

Ole Smith
Architect MAA, ARB, Director
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NOAA

OLE SMITH Co-Founder and partner at NOAA and responsible for tasks in the field of strategic management, architecture, concept development and detail. He has extensive experience in managing international strategic and creative processes with a high degree of complexity. Ole is Teaching at the Institute of Architecture and Technology at The Royal Danish Academy of Fine Arts, School of Architecture, Copenhagen, Denmark.

Cand. Arch. Architect MAA, Aarhus School of Architecture, Denmark, and ARB registered architect from Bartlett UCL, London. He has worked in London, Singapore, Wales, Kuala Lumpur, Hong Kong, Denmark and New York and he has acted as project architect, project leader and contractor. These interdisciplinary roles have given him a good overall understanding of the construction process, worldwide, and his focus is on the creative and productive cooperation with all parties throughout the design and construction process.

Ole is a solution-oriented, positive and motivating leader and he leads his teams, small or large, with enthusiasm and drive. He has had many repeat clients and sees this as his greatest recognition.

Ole has won awards in architecture, Sustainability & lectured in Europe and Asia.



EDUCATION

- 2005 Registered ARB Architect, Bartlett, London
- 2003 Cand. Arch. Aarhus School of Architecture, Denmark

EMPLOYMENT

- 2015 - NOAA, Copenhagen, Denmark
- 2005-15 Heatherwick studio, London
- 2003-5 LOM, London
- 2003-4 RTKLUK Ltd, London
- 2001-2 Link Architects, Aarhus, Denmark
- 2000-1 Asymptote architecture, New York
- 2000 Michael Sorkin Studio, New York

TEACHING

- 2016- Institute of Architecture and Technology at The Royal Danish Academy of Fine Arts, School of Architecture, Copenhagen, Denmark.

AWARDS

- 2018 Svendborg Architecture Award for design of public realm, Munkestræde Svendborg, Denmark
- 2014 Concrete Society award, Nanyang University Learning Hub
- 2013 Platinum Award, Green Mark, Nanyang University Learning Hub
- 2010 RIBA regional award, Aberystwyth Creative Business Units
- 2010 Civic Trust award, Aberystwyth Creative Business Units

SELECTED WORK

- 2018 Redesign of McDonalds head office, Denmark
- 2018 Google Success Online centre, Denmark
- 2017 Calvin Klein Jeans, Købmagergade, Copenhagen
- 2017 Calvin Klein Underwear, Fields, Copenhagen
- 2017 Calvin Klein Underwear, Fisketorvet, Copenhagen
- 2017 Public realm, design of historic streetscape, Munkestræde, Svendborg, Denmark (AWARD WINNING)
- 2016 Lindehøj, 70 residential units for housing association 3B, Herlev, Copenhagen
- 2016 Refurbishment of private house, Copenhagen

- 2015 Google Kings Cross, London
- 2015 Glory Tower - 280m tower 55.000m² -invited competition, Singapore
- 2012-15 Nanyang University Learning Hub, 14.000m², from start to completion, Singapore
- 2010-12 Kondo 8, four residential towers, 56.000m², from start to planning approval (including), Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia
- 2010 Pavillion for the World Expo, Shanghai
- 2009 Biomass Power station, Teesside, Stockton-On-Tees, UK
- 2008-10 Hotel Tower, Height 160m, 10.000m², from start to first construction phase, Hong Kong,
- 2010 Theatre, Oxford Circus, London, UK
- 2010 Swimming stadium, Worthing, UK
- 2007-8 Mixed use scheme, Harewood Quarter, Leeds, UK,
- 2005-9 Aberystwyth Arts museum, Business Unit, nine buildings, start to completion, Wales, Project architect and contractor
- 2006 Guys hospital, London, UK
- 2005 Ribblesdale Holiday park, Lancashire, UK
- 2005 Atlantic College, Wales - International Open Competition
- 2004 Pharmacy, new built, Bridgend, Wales
- 2003 University Hospital Lewisham, Lewisham Hospital NHS Trust. London

PERSONAL WORK & ARCHITECTURAL COMPETITIONS

- 2012 Pavillion for the Olympics appointed by 'Royal Institute of British Architects', Pernille Bisgaard / Ole Smith completed 2012, Pontoon Dock, London
- 2008 'Toftegaardsplads Valby', Danmark - International Open Competition
- 2007 Refurbishment of private Victorian house - Battersea, London
- 2007 Carlsberg 'Vores By' Denmark - International Open Competition
- 2005 'Parachute Pavilion', Coney Island, New York - International Open Competition
- 2001 Alfa – Arkitektur installation - Aarhus Art Festival– Danmark
- 1999 Aarhus Urban Harbour areas (awarded) - International Open Competition

LECTURES

- 2015 Rising Architecture, Copenhagen, Danmark
- 2015 DAC, Copenhagen, Denmark.
- 2015 DATUM, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia
- 2015 UPH University, Jakarta, Indonesien
- 2014 WAF World Architecture Festival, Singapore
- 2013 Symposium Seismographen der Architektur, Bregenz, Schweiz
- 2012 V&A, Victoria and Albert Museum, Higher Education and Creative Industries. South Kensington, London.
- 2012 The Royal Danish Academy of Fine Arts, School of Architecture, Copenhagen, Danmark
- 2010 Architects Benevolent Society, London, England
- 2010 RIBA (Royal Institute of British Architects), Wales
- 2007 Aberystwyth University, Wales
- 2006 Cambridge University, England