

# DANE HAWTHORNE, AIA, LEED AP Sports Architect

The combined passion of sports and architecture is motivation to keep raising the bar in sports facility design, always striving to advance the student-athlete and fan experience, by setting project goals and achieving them with outside-the-box solutions. With nearly 20 years in the Architecture profession and over a decade specializing in sports design, comes the realization of how the key is not just following the trends but setting them, creating the 'wow' factor while ensuring the design not only facilitates needs but exceeds them.

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#### REGISTRATIONS:

Registered Architect - GA LEED AP

#### **EDUCATION/ACHIEVMENTS:**

Master of Architecture - 2010 Georgia Institute of Technology

Bachelor of Design - 2005 Summa Cum Laude University of Florida

Highest Honors - 2001 Lake Gibson High School

Eagle Scout - 1998, BSA

#### SPEAKING ENGAGEMENTS:

Stadium Managers Association Conference 2018, *Spotlight Atlanta* 

Society for College and University Planning 2017, *Turning Turner* 

CEFMA GSU Regional 2017, Stadium Tour

Alpha Rho Chi (Co-ed Professional Arch Fraternity Joint Meeting) 2017, What's the Most Important Role of an Architect? SELLING

#### PROFICIENT SOFTWARE:

REVIT, SketchUp, AutoCad, Bluebeam, Photoshop, InDesign, Microstation, MakerBot, Microsoft Office Suite

#### **EXPERIENCED SOFTWARE:**

BSD Speclink, EnScape, Maxwell Render, Illustrator, Dreamweaver

## **Work History**

**July2007 - Present CBRE|HEERY Sports Designer|Associate Atlanta, GA** Responsible for managing and assisting with the creation, production, and development of over 50 collegiate sports projects spanning a wide range of sports, facility types, and deliverables:

- 25+ Football projects
- 13 Football Team Facilities
- 9 Athletic Master Plans
- 3 Basketball Facilities 3 Baseball Ballpark studies

4 Indoor Football Practice Facilities

- Softball, Track, Lacrosse, Swim/Dive, Tennis
- Lead all phases of the design and construction process, with in-depth
- experience in facilitating designs from abstract concepts into 3D computer models into built realities.
- Manage teams of architects, engineers, and interior designers, to successfully deliver multiple projects on time and in budget.
- Specialize in team facility design. Intimately involved in the design trends
  of locker rooms, equipment rooms, sports medicine, hydrotherapy, recovery
  suites, strength and conditioning, coaches' offices, position meeting rooms, and
  auditoriums.
- Participated in 17 multi-million dollar job pursuit interviews, eight of which Heery was selected to complete the work.
- Assisted as lead designer to generate six direct selections for follow up projects, including the \$16.5m Georgia State Stadium conversion and \$15.7m North Texas Indoor Practice Facility.

### Feb2006 - Jun2007 Murphy/Jahn - Intern Architect Chicago, II

Collaborated with a principle and project architect to put together multiple pricing, design development, and construction document packages for 3 award winning projects. The technically innovative full glass and steel façade skins of all three projects required multiple iterations to produce a final system:

- 50 West a 716' skyscraper on the tip of Manhattan
- 1999K Street a 13 floor office building in Washington D.C.
- West Chiller Plant a high rise, steel and glass, utility plant at Univ. of Chicago

**Feb2000 - Jan2006 WMB Architects - Intern Architect Lakeland,FL** Joined WMB as Junior in High School, quickly working up from gopher, to CAD tech, to integral member of the team:

- Worked on 70+ projects ranging in building type and form of documentation.
- Gained the knowledge of three-dimensional modeling to become the primary three-dimensional modeler at the firm.