

KRISTI PAULSON

PARTNER, BEHNISCH ARCHITEKTEN, LOS ANGELES



Kristi Paulson, born in 1976, received her Bachelor of Arts in Architecture from the University of Washington in 1998 and her Master of Architecture from the University of British Columbia in 2003. Over the years she has worked in significant architectural practices in Seattle and Los Angeles and has designed notable projects up and down the west coast. Kristi joined Behnisch in 2007 as a Project Partner in the Los Angeles office and led the design for the Maximino Martinez Commons at UC Berkeley, the Santa Monica Parking Garage and numerous national and international competitions. In 2020, she became the Partner-in-Charge of the Los Angeles office.

PROJECTS (SELECTION)

- SC Workplace, Southern California, CA, USA
- Google Spruce Goose Offices,, Playa Vista, CA, USA*
- Samuel Oschin Air and Space Center, Los Angeles, USA*
- Undisclosed Entertainment Company Headquarters, Los Angeles, CA, USA*
- Research Lab Health Campus Development,, Los Angeles, USA*
- Maximino Martinez Commons, University of California, Berkeley, CA, USA
- Harvard University Science and Engineering Complex, Boston, MA, USA
- 416 West Deming Place, Condominium, Chicago, IL, USA (unbuilt)
- New Taipei City Art Museum of Contemporary Art, Taipei, Taiwan (unbuilt)
- UC Santa Barbara Aquatics, Santa Barbara, CA, USA (unbuilt)
- St. Louis Arch Grounds Competition, St. Louis, MO, USA (unbuilt)
- Zayed Sportsworld Competition, Abu Dhabi, UAE (unbuilt)

*ZGF Architects

PROFESSIONAL DESIGNATIONS

- Registered Architect: Washington State and California, USA

PROFESSIONAL

Since 2020	Partner, Behnisch Architekten, Los Angeles, CA, USA
2012-2019	Principal, ZGF Architects, Los Angeles, CA, USA
2007-2011	Project Partner, Behnisch Architekten, Los Angeles, CA, USA
2005-2007	Associate , LMN Architects, Seattle, WA, USA
2003-2005	MBT Architecture, Seattle, WA, USA

EDUCATION

2003	University of British Columbia, Vancouver, Master of Architecture
1998	University of Washington, Seattle, Bachelor of Arts in Architectural Studies