

Curriculum Vitae

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Present Position:

Research Fellow: Royal College of Art Helen Hamlyn Centre
Leader, 'Design for Our Future Selves' Awards Programme, HHC
Researcher i~design 3 EPSRC
Inclusive Design Adviser, Heartlands project, Kerrier District Council, Cornwall

Education:

2003-2007 Ph.D. in design, School Of Design,
Hong Kong Polytechnic University
Title: *Design Participation Tactics: involving people in the design of their built environment*

1998-2000 Master of Art In Architecture And Interiors
Royal College Of Art, London

1993-1996 Bachelor of Arts In Design – architecture and interiors
Awarded Second Class (Division 1) Honour
School of Design, Hong Kong Polytechnic University

Professional Experience:

2006 - Founder of EXHIBIT at GOLDEN LANE ESTATE, a non-profit organisation promoting art/design collaboration through notion of exhibiting

2000-2001 Research Associate – Helen Hamlyn Research Centre, Royal College of Art, London Research Project: "Live/Work Business Incubator"

2000-2003 Senior architectural designer and researcher
Karakusevic Carson architects, London
Designed and researched public housing developments in the United Kingdom

1996-1998 Senior architectural designer
RMJM (HK) Ltd

1995 Architectural Designer
Edge (HK) Ltd

Community Design Experience:

NOV – FEB 2008 DESIGNING YOUR HOME, design workshop for architects and clients to develop an effective communication platform for better design outputs, co-developed with the User-Science Institute, Kyushu University, Japan

JUNE – SEPT 2007 DESIGNING ACROSS BOUNDARIES, new design initiative developed with Paula Dib, et.al and STBY to encourage designers to adapt user participation in design

MAY- SEPT 2004 DESIGN AND ORGANISE THE USER RESEARCH WORKSHOP FOR THE "INCLUSIVE DESIGN EXHIBITON"
For the Helen Hamlyn Research Centre, London

FEB – AUG 2004 ORGANISE THE USER RESEARCH PROJECT – "DESIRABILITY OF HOME" DESIGN A PUBLIC CONSULTATION ENTITLED THE "HOME CORRIDOR"
For the Royal College of Art and the Architecture Foundation, London

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- MAY 2004 DESIGN AND ORGANISE THE "LIVE-WORK SEMINAR"
For the Live – Work Network, London
- MAY- AUG 2003 DESIGN AND ORGANISE THE "AWARENESS
WORKSHOPS"
For the Hong Kong Sheng Kung Hui Ngau Tau Kok
Community Development Centre
- JULY - SEPT 2003 DESIGN AND ORGANISE THE "CLEAN NGAU TAU KOK
PROJECT"
For the Civic Exchange's Summer Programme (July –
September 2003)
- JUNE – AUG 2002 DESIGN AND ORGANISE SPATIAL USAGE RESEARCH
TOOLS AND WORKSHOPS
For the Research Group on Urban Space and Culture, School
of Design, HKPU

Publications, Conference Papers & Posters:

- Lee Y.** (2008) 'Design participation tactics: the challenges and new roles for designers in the co-design process' CoDesign (International Journal of CoCreation in Design and the Arts), 4:1, 31-50
- Lee Y.** (2007) 'What is designers' social responsibility? investigating new roles of designers in design participation processes' International Association of Societies of Design Research (IASDR) Nov 2007, Hong Kong, China
- Lee Y.** (2007) 'Children-Computer Interaction: An Inclusive Design Process for the Design of Our Future Playground' Human Computer Interaction International (HCII) July 2007, Beijing, China
- Lee Y. & Takeoka A.** (2007) 'Equal Exchange – Is Money Enough? Workshop to investigating new strategies of users' incentives' Include 2007, RCA, London
- Lee Y.** (2007) 'Emancipating art and design students through an inclusive design awards programme' Include 2007, RCA, London
- Lee Y.** (2007) 'Facilitating Knowledge Exchanges through Inclusive Design' in: (Un)common Ground: Creative Encounters across sectors and disciplines, Bis Publishers, Amsterdam
- Lee Y.** (2007) 'Beyond ageing and disability: The case of inclusive residential design', Planning in London: the Journal of the London Planning & development forum, issue 60, 44-46, Land Research Unit, London
- Lee Y.** (2006) 'Design Participation Tactics: Redefining User Participation in Design' Proceedings of Design Research Society Wonderground Conference, Lisbon, Portugal.
- Lee Y & Bichard J.** (2006) 'From inclusive user research processes to universal design outputs: the cases of an inclusive design education programme' Proceedings of IAUD, 2nd International Conference on Universal Design, Kyoto, Japan.
- Lee Y.** (2005) 'Empowerment Games: Participatory Design exercises for sustainable public housing development in the social context of Hong Kong' Include 2005, RCA, London