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GENERAL INFORMATION

Education

University of Michigan, Taubman College of Architecture + Urban Planning, Master of Architecture with Distinction, 2005
University of Michigan, Taubman College of Architecture + Urban Planning, Master of Urban Design with Distinction, 2005
University of Virginia, School of Architecture, Bachelor of Science in Architecture, Minor in Urban and Environmental Planning, 1999

Academic Appointments

Associate Professor of Architecture and Community Development, University of Detroit Mercy School of Architecture and Community Development, Aug. 2021-present
Assistant Professor of Architecture and Community Development, University of Detroit Mercy School of Architecture, 2015-2021
Director, Master of Community Development Program, University of Detroit Mercy School of Architecture, 2014-2020
Co-Director, Master of Community Development Program, University of Detroit Mercy School of Architecture, 2013-2014
Adjunct Professor of Architecture, University of Detroit Mercy School of Architecture, 2009-2015
Graduate Student Instructor, University of Michigan, 2005
Summer Discovery Instructor, University of Michigan, 2005

Professional Experience

City Form Detroit, Principal, Detroit, 2014-present
Detroit Collaborative Design Center (DCDC), Detroit, MI, 2006-2014
Director of Urban Design, 2011-2014
Urban Designer, 2006-2011
Genesee Institute, Architectural Consultant, Flint, MI, 2005-2006
Graham-Meus Architects, Inc., Designer, Boston, MA, 2003, 1999-2001
Ayers Saint Gross Architects and Planners, Designer, Washington, DC, 2001-2002
Mark Comeau Architect and Associates, Intern Designer, Mystic, CT, 1999
William McDonough + Partners, Intern Designer, Charlottesville, VA, 1997

Professional Societies

Environmental Design Research Association, 2020-present
Community Development Advocates of Detroit, 2014-present
Community Development Society, 2017-present
Association for Community Design, 2023, 2012-2017

PROFESSIONAL PRACTICE

Commissioned Projects at City Form Detroit

Braden Street Greenway and Park, Detroit, MI
O'Hair Park Community Engaged Design Process and Neighborhood Plan, Detroit, MI
Chadsey-Condon Neighborhood Skate Park, Detroit, MI
Mack Avenue Strong Neighborhoods Plan, Detroit, MI
Eastern Market Neighborhood Framework and Stormwater Management Network Plan, Detroit, MI
Spirit of Detroit Plaza, Detroit, MI
Woodward Esplanade, Detroit, MI
Capitol Park, Detroit, MI
The Mack Lot, Detroit, MI
The Villages Neighborhoods Strategy, Detroit, MI
Wigle Development Framework, Detroit, MI
Grand River Factory, Detroit, MI
Mack Avenue Corridor Development Plan, Detroit, MI
West End Gallery District, Detroit, MI
Eastern Market Stormwater Management District, Detroit, MI

Other Professional Experience + Projects

Detroit Collaborative Design Center (DCDC):
Eastern Market EcoDistrict, Detroit, MI
Lollo Park Enhancement Plan, Detroit, MI
Vetal School Programming and Neighborhood Plan, Detroit, MI
The Villages Catalyst Block, Detroit, MI
Livernois Community Storefront, Detroit, MI
Community How-To Guides, Detroit, MI
Impact Detroit Initiative, Detroit, MI
Detroit Future City Strategic Framework Plan (formerly Detroit Works Project Long Term Planning), Detroit, MI
The Bloody Run Creek Greenway Redevelopment Project, Detroit, MI
Research Project: From Crisis to Opportunity: An Investigation of Detroit's Leadership, Policy, and Engagement
SHAR RecoveryPark, Detroit, MI
West Warren Business Association Neighborhood Vision, Detroit, MI
Detroit Conceptual Urban Vision, Detroit, MI
Firebreak: Publishing House, Detroit, MI
Skillman Foundation Good Neighborhoods Visioning, Detroit, MI
Lourdes Senior Community Strategic Plan and Skilled Nursing Home Feasibility Study, Waterford, MI
Paradise Valley Cultural and Entertainment District, Detroit, MI
Fox Creek Master Plan, Detroit, MI
Dingeman Park Revitalization Plan, Detroit, MI
Woodbridge-NW Triangle Neighborhood Plan, Detroit, MI
Conant-Mt. Elliott Neighborhood Plan, Detroit, MI

48217 Neighborhood Development Strategy, Detroit, MI

Genesee Institute:

The Mott Block Feasibility Study, Flint, MI, 2006

Graham-Meus Architects, Inc.:

Princeton House Behavioral Center, Princeton, NJ, 2003

Hallbrooke Hospital, Westport, CT, 1999-2001

Boar's Head Inn and Spa, Charlottesville, VA, 1999-2001

Boston Sports Clubs at Wellesley, Franklin, and Lexington, MA, 1999-2001

Ayers Saint Gross Architects and Planners:

The Town Hall Education and Arts Recreation Center, Washington, DC, 2001-2002

Coffee Creek Center Design Code, Chesterton, IN, 2001-2002

Mark Comeau Architect and Associates:

Various residential projects in New England, 1999

William McDonough + Partners:

GAP Headquarters, San Bruno, CA, 1997

RESEARCH AND SCHOLARLY ACTIVITY

Grants

Co-Principal Investigator, *Public-Private Development Practices of Public Space*, UDMPU Faculty Research Award, 2020-2023, \$16,900.

Co-Principal Investigator, *Building Capacity and Diffusing Innovation in Community Development Education*, United States Department of Agriculture Higher Education Challenge Grant, 2017-2021, \$730,000

Principal Investigator, Community Development Society Innovative Engagement Fellows Grant, 2017-2018, \$2,500.

Principal Investigator, W.K. Kellogg Foundation Grant to University of Detroit Mercy Master of Community Development Program, 2013-2016, \$750,000

Principal Investigator, Micro Mission Grant, University of Detroit Mercy, 2018-2019, 2017- 2018, 2016-2017, \$200

Publications

Refereed:

Stanard, V. & Rios, M. (2021). Community Development Education: Convergent Approaches to Community Well-Being. *International Journal for Community Well-Being*. <https://doi.org/10.1007/s42413-021-00128-4>

Stanard, V., Hains, K., Knobloch, N., O'Leary, C., Reinhard, A., Hains, B., & Rios, M. (2021). Towards a More Connected Field of Community Development Education: Encouraging Community Well-Being Through an Engaged Symposium. *International Journal of Community Well-Being*. <https://doi.org/10.1007/s42413-021-00113-x>

- Rios, M., Hains, B., Koundinya, V., Abrams, C., & Stanard, V. (2021). Foundational Knowledge and Skills in Community Development: A Comparison of Educator Perspectives. *Journal of Planning Education and Research*. <https://doi.org/10.1177/0739456X21997901>
- Hains, K., Rios, M., Hains, B., Koundinya, V., Abrams, C., & Stanard, V. (2021). An exploration of community development higher education in the United States: A programmatic study, *Community Development*. <https://doi.org/10.1080/15575330.2021.1874457>
- Hains, K., Hains, B., White, S., Stanard, V. & Rios, M. (2020). Knowledge, values and skills essential for effective community development practice: A Delphi study. *Journal of Community Practice*, 28 (4). 416-429. <https://doi.org/10.1080/10705422.2020.1838021>
- Stanard, V., Goodman, A., & Reddy, M. (2020) Creating a Learning Community for Community Engagement for Detroit Practitioners. *Community Development Practice*, 24 (1). Art. 5. <https://egrove.olemiss.edu/cdpractice/vol24/iss1/5>
- Stanard, V. (2019) Interdisciplinary Collaborations: Detroit's Shifting Paradigm. In Blume, L. B. & Vogel, Stephen (Eds.), *Teaching and Designing in Detroit: 10 Women on Pedagogy and Practice* (pp. 143-158). Routledge. ISBN: 9780367259327
- Stanard, V. (2017) Lafayette Park: In-Between Urbanism. *Annual Meeting Paper Proceedings by Association of Collegiate Schools of Architecture*. ACSA Press. ISBN: 978-1-944214-08-1

Non-Refereed:

- Stanard, V. (2018). Profile. *Detroit City of Design Action Plan*. Design Core Detroit, 98.
- Hains, K., Kahl, D., & Stanard, V. (2017, Nov.). Community Complications. Community Development Society Blog and Newsletter. Community Development Society.
- Stanard, V. & Bogdanovic, L. (2016). *Connect Six*. University of Detroit Mercy.
- Chadha, M. & Stanard, V. (2016, Feb.). Impact Detroit as Catalytic Converter. *Young Architects Forum Connection*, 14(1), 16-19.
- Chadha, M. & Stanard, V. (2014). Impact Detroit as a Catalytic Converter. *Syncopating Detroit: More People, More Places, More Geographies*. University of Detroit Mercy.
- Chadha, M. & Stanard, V. (2013) Impact Detroit as a Catalytic Converter. American Architectural Foundation: Center for Design & the City.
- Stanard, V. & Quaine, J. (2012). *Ideas for Livernois*. University of Detroit Mercy.
- Fidler, J. & Stanard, V. (2005). *Mapping Mumbai*. Urban Design Research Institute.
- Stanard, V. (1999). *Virginia Studio Record*. University of Virginia, 72-73.
- Stanard, V. (1997). *Virginia Studio Record*. University of Virginia, 32.

Presentations

Refereed:

- Bernasconi, C., Stanard, V., & O'Leary, C. (2020, April). *Value-Based Education: A Case for Biased Pedagogies and Practices in Detroit*. Environmental Design Research Association 51st Annual Conference, Tempe, AZ. (abstract presenter)
- Bernasconi, C., O'Leary, C., Stanard, V. & Wasner, L.. (2019, May). *Community Engagement and Higher Education at University of Detroit Mercy School of Architecture*. Community Development Education Symposium, Detroit, MI. (abstract presenter)

- Stanard, V. (2019, May). *The HOPE Model*. Community Development Education Symposium, Detroit, MI. (abstract presenter)
- Stanard, V. (2018, July). *Collaborative Capacity Building: Detroit's Shifting Paradigm Towards an Innovative Practice of Community Development*. 49th Annual International Conference of the Community Development Society, Detroit, MI. (abstract presenter)
- Goodman, A., Stanard, V., Reddy, M., & Flintoff, A. (2018, July). *Equitable Community Engagement: Tools and Strategies for Community Development*. Community Development Society Annual Conference, Detroit, MI. (workshop organizer and discussant)
- Stanard, V. (2017, Mar.). *Lafayette Park: In-Between Urbanism*. 105th Association of Collegiate Schools of Architecture Annual Meeting: Branding the Underdog. Detroit, MI. (paper presenter)
- O'Leary, C., Taylor, E., & Stanard, V. (2014, June). *Making and Teaching Change: Design Centers in Detroit and New Orleans*. American Institute of Architects National Convention, Chicago, IL. (abstract presenter)
- Eggert, R., Stanard, V., & Comer, Sr. M. (2009, May). *Celebrate the Human Process: Exploring the Realm of Possibilities*. International Association of Homes & Services for the Ageing Conference, Indianapolis, IN. (abstract presenter)
- Stanard, V. (2018, July). *Work of the Detroit Fellows*. Community Development Society Fellows Plenary. Community Development Society Annual Conference, Detroit, MI. (presenter and panelist)
- Invited:*
- Stanard, V. (2023, Apr.) *Designing with/Learning from: Community-Engaged Design Through Collaborative Capacity Building*, Designing w/Learning from Symposium, Buffalo, NY. (presenter and panelist)
- Stanard, V. (2022, Nov. 11). *Agency in Alternative Forms of Practice: Inclusive Urban Design Through Collaborative Capacity Building*. ARCH 515 Sustainable Systems, University of Michigan, online. (lecture)
- Stanard, V. (2022, Mar.) *Crossing Thresholds*. Reinventing Public Space in Business Improvement Districts Symposium, online. (moderator)
- Stanard, V. (2021, Oct.). *Teaching and Designing in Detroit: Ten Women on Pedagogy and Practice*, University of Detroit Mercy, Detroit, MI. (panelist)
- Stanard, V. (2021, Sept.). *Equitable Communities*. AIA/ACSA Intersections Research Conference, online. (moderator)
- Stanard, V. (2019, Sept.). *Shaping Future Cities: Urban Technology in Detroit through Community-Engaged Participatory Design*. University of Michigan Detroit Alumni Event, Detroit, MI. (presenter and panelist)
- Stanard, V. (2019, Sept.). *Neighborhoods: Inclusive Design through Collaborative Capacity Building*. Detroit Design 139: Ladies Design Salon, Detroit, MI. (presenter)
- Hains, B., Hains, K., Rios, M., & Stanard, V. (2019, June). *Building Capacity and Diffusing Innovation in Community Development Education*. University of Kentucky Department of Community & Leadership Development, Lexington, KY, online. (presenter)
- Stanard, V. (2019, May). Curriculum Development & Student Skills Session. Community Development Education Symposium, Detroit, MI. (panel moderator)
- Stanard, V. (2018, July). *The Agency of Engagement: Mack Avenue Corridor*. Community Development Society Annual Conference, Detroit, MI. (abstract presenter)
- Stanard, V. (2017, July & 2016, May). *The Intersection of Practice + Academia*. UD 712: Urban Design Studio, University of Michigan, Detroit, MI. (lecture)

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- Stanard, V. (2017, Mar.). *Current Work*. ARCH-712-005 Detroiters' Spatial Imagination: Architectural Translations of Grassroots Networks, PennDesign/University of Pennsylvania, Detroit, MI. (lecture)
- Stanard, V. (2017, Mar.). *Value Add: Collaborative Design Praxis*. Women in Architecture Panel. National Organization of Minority Architects, Detroit, MI. (presenter and panelist)
- Stanard, V. (2017, Mar.). Detroit Small Scale: University and Community Partnerships Panel. 105th Association of Collegiate Schools of Architecture Annual Meeting, Detroit, MI. (presenter and panelist)
- Professional Team Lead, Congress for New Urbanism Conference Southwest Detroit Charrette, April 2016
- Stanard, V. (2016, Nov.). *On Research*. Fridays@5 Lecture Series, University of Detroit Mercy School of Architecture, Detroit, MI. (presenter)
- Stanard, V. (2016, Oct.). *City Form Detroit as Community Partner*. Challenge Detroit Community Engagement Challenge Kick-off, Detroit, MI. (lecture)
- Stanard, V. (2016, Sept.). *The Mack Corridor Development Plan and Mack Lot*. Challenge Detroit Kick-off, Detroit. (presenter)
- Stanard, V. (2016, Sept.). *Livernois & Puritan*. University of Michigan ARCH 672 Systems Studio, Detroit, MI. (presenter)
- Stanard, V. (2016, May). Livernois/McNichols Business Revitalization and Entrepreneurship Panel. UDM/MSU Extension-Greening Michigan Institute, Detroit, MI. (panel moderator)
- Stanard, V. (2014, Oct.). Detroit Fellowships Panel. University of Detroit Mercy School of Architecture Lecture Series, Detroit, MI. (panel moderator)
- Stanard, V. (2014, May). *Livernois Community Storefront*. Planning in Metro Detroit Event Series, Michigan Association of Planners, Detroit, MI. (presenter)
- Stanard, V. (2013, Oct.). *The Collaborative Approach and Current Work*. Practice-Space, Detroit, MI. (presenter)
- Pitera, D., Stanard, V., & Cross, C. (2014, Feb.). *Syncopating Detroit: More People, More Programs, More Geographies*. DCDC 20th Anniversary Lecture, Detroit Public Library, Detroit, MI. (lecture)
- Chadha, M. & Stanard, V. (2013, Aug.). *Catalytic Converter*. Graham Foundation Public Program, Chicago, IL. (presenter and panelist)
- Stanard, V. (2012, July & April). *The Detroit Works Project*. University of Michigan, Detroit, MI. (lecture)
- Stanard, V. (2011, Oct.). *Thoughts on Sustainable Cities*. Sustainable Cities Design Academy, Philadelphia, PA. (presenter)
- Stanard, V. (2010, Dec.). *The Bloody Run Creek Greenway Project*. Oxford Brookes University Event, Detroit, MI. (lecture)
- Stanard, V. (2010, June). Diversity and Leadership Panel. Design Futures Student Leadership Forum, New Orleans, LA. (panelist)
- Stanard, V. (2010, Mar.). Women in Architecture Panel. University of Detroit Mercy School of Architecture Lecture Series, Detroit, MI. (presenter and panelist)

Exhibitions

Refereed:

- City Form Detroit. (2019, Sept.). *Mack Avenue Corridor Plan: Three Projects Planning the Future of Mack Avenue*. Detroit Design 139 Inclusive Futures Exhibit, Detroit, MI.
- Stanard, V. (2016, May). *Livernois Community Storefront*. Living-Learning: Designing University Environments. University of Virginia Alumni Exhibition, Charlottesville, VA.

Detroit Collaborative Design Center. (2012, Oct.). *Bloody Run Creek Greenway Redevelopment Project*. Infill Philadelphia: Soak It Up! Center for Architecture, Philadelphia, PA.

Invited:

Stanard, V. (2023, Apr.) *Designing w/ Northwest Detroit*, Designing w/Learning from Exhibit, Buffalo, NY.

Stanard, V. & City Form Detroit. (2020, Sept.) *Braden Street Greenway and Chadsey-Condon Neighborhood Skate Park*. Tangle: A Wonder Garden Experience. Design Core Detroit Month of Design, Detroit, MI.

Stanard, V. & City Form Detroit. (2018, Sept.). *Faculty and Student Work of University of Detroit Mercy School of Architecture*. American Institute of Architects Detroit Celebration of Architecture, Detroit, MI.

Stanard, V. (2018, Sept. & 2017, Sept.). *Student Work*. Cuba Study Abroad Exhibit. University of Detroit Mercy, Detroit, MI.

City Form Detroit. (2017, Sept.). *Recent Work: City Form Detroit*. Detroit City of Design Today. DC3 City of Design Summit, Detroit, MI.

City Form Detroit. (2016, June). *City Form Detroit: Urban Design*. Drinks x Design: Urban Design, Detroit, MI.

Stanard, V. (2014, Feb.). Exhibition of 20 Years of the DCDC's Work. Detroit Public Library, Detroit, MI.

Stanard, V. (2012, May). *Ideas for Livernois*. University of Detroit Mercy School of Architecture, Detroit, MI.

Fidler, J., Mehrotra, R., & Stanard, V. (2006, Oct.). *Maximum City: Mumbai Urbanism*. Lille 3000 Festival, Lille, France.

Other Scholarly Activities

External Reviewer for Tenure and Promotion, Entrepreneurial Studies Program, Hobart and William Smith College, 2022.

External Reviewer for Tenure and Promotion, Department of Urban Planning, University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee, 2021.

Peer Reviewer, Manuscript IJCW-D-20-00153R1. *International Journal of Community Well-Being*, 2021.

Peer Reviewer, Scholarly Abstract Review Committee, Community Development Education Symposium, 2019.

Peer Reviewer, Research Grant Review Committee, Faculty Practice and Applied Research Center (PARC), University of Detroit Mercy School of Architecture, 2019.

CITI Program, Certified in Responsible Conduct of Research & Responsible Conduct of Research for Administrators, 2019.

Stanard, V. (2007-2019). *The Planning and Urban Design of Lafayette Park*. Tours for Enterprise Rose Fellows, Illinois Institute of Technology, International Honors Program, Laurentian University, Oxford Brookes University, University of Detroit Mercy, University of Michigan, and Xavier University, Detroit, MI.

Peer Reviewer, Scholarly Abstract Review Committee, 49th Annual International Conference of the Community Development Society, 2017.

Stanard, V. (2017, Oct. & 2016, Apr., Nov.). *Made in Detroit: Lafayette Park*. Tour for University of Michigan HISTART 431: Made In Detroit: A History of Art And Culture In The Motor City, Detroit, MI.

Stanard, V. (2017, Mar.). *Detroit Lafayette Park*. Tour for 105th Association of Collegiate Schools of Architecture Annual Meeting, Detroit, MI.

Stanard, V. (2005). *Process Urbanism*. Master of Architecture Thesis, University of Michigan.

Study Abroad Studio. Mumbai, India, 2005.

Study Abroad. Danish Institute for Study Abroad Educational Exchange, Copenhagen, Denmark, 1998.

TEACHING ACTIVITY

Courses Taught at University of Detroit Mercy School of Architecture and Community Development

Graduate Design Studios:

ARCH 5200 Master of Architecture Thesis Studio, 2023

ARCH 5100 Master of Architecture Thesis Studio, 2022

Graduate Seminars and Capstone/Thesis:

ARCH 5921 Theory of Urban Form, 2019-2022

ARCH/MCD 5290 Architect/Community Developer as Real Estate Developer (co-taught with Clarke Lewis), 2017-2022

MCD/ARCH 5060 Introduction to Physical Development (co-taught with Christina Heximer), 2009-2020

MCD 5200 Skills Workshops, 2011-2020

MCD 5010 Introduction to Community Development, 2018-2019

MCD 5010 Introduction to Development (co-taught with Dr. Gloria Albrecht), 2015-2017

MCD 5900 Capstone I (co-taught with various instructors), 2013-2017

MCD 5950 Capstone II (co-taught with various instructors), 2013-2017

ARCH/MCD 5290 Architect/Community Developer as Real Estate Developer, 2016

MCD 5300 Internship in Community Development, 2014-2016

MCD 5200 Skills Workshops, 2013-2020

ARCH/MCD 5290 Real Estate Development Practicum (co-taught with David Schervish), 2009-2013

Graduate Directed Studies:

ARCH 5980 Urbanism Praxis, 2022

MCD 5550 Understanding Economic Impact of Distressed Communities in Detroit, 2019

MCD 5500 Understanding Community Development, 2018

ARCH 5910 Documenting Design, 2016

MCD 5550 Activating Community Development, 2013

ARCH 4920 Documenting Design, 2012

ARCH 5990 Engaging the Design Process from a Research and Implementation Perspective, 2011

MCD 5550 The Process of City-Making Through the Lens of Preservation, 2011

Undergraduate Design Studios:

ARCH 2100/2200/2300 Special Topics Design Studio, Winter 2021, 2022

ARCH 3100 Public Interest Design Studio, Winter 2020

ARCH 2200/2300 Architectural Design/ARCH 3100 Community Design Studio, Winter 2018

ARCH 3100 Community Design Studio, Winter 2017

ARCH 2100/2200/2300 Architectural Design Studio, Fall 2015

ARCH 2100/2200/2300 Architectural Design Studio, Fall 2011

ARCH 2100/2200/2300 Architectural Design Studio, Winter 2009

Undergraduate Seminars:

ARCH 4990 Urban Analysis, 2023

Courses Taught at University of Michigan Taubman College of Architecture + Urban Planning

Undergraduate Courses + Summer Discovery:

ARCH 212 Understanding Architecture, Winter 2005

Summer Discovery Design Studio, Summer 2005

External Advisor to Graduate Theses

Master of Architecture, University of Detroit Mercy, Natalie Wilson, "A Community for all Ages," 2022.

Master of Architecture, University of Detroit Mercy, Taylor Kile, "Reclaiming Jamaica: Tourism Intervention," 2022.

Master of Architecture, University of Detroit Mercy, Connor Barbara, "Housing for Us," 2022.

Master of Architecture, University of Detroit Mercy, Dallas Mahaney, "First Quarter Recovery: A new model for disaster relief sustainable housing in Galveston, Texas," 2020.

Master of Architecture, University of Detroit Mercy, Aaron Danko, "Walkability 2.0: A Specific Focus on the Reintroduction of Walkability in Detroit," 2020.

Master of Architecture, University of Detroit Mercy, Salvatore Lorenzano. "On Edge: Enhancing the Edge of Two Cities," 2019.

Master of Arts in Development Management and Public Policy, Georgetown University, Weyandt, Nicole, "Social Capital and the 'Sidewalk Ballet' Examining How Streetscape Development Can Influence A Neighborhood's Social Capital," 2018.

Master of Fine Arts Transport Design, College for Creative Studies, Brook Banham, 2012.

Master of Architecture, University of Detroit Mercy, Krista Wilson, "Human Urbanism" 2010.

Advisor to Graduate Capstones

Master of Community Development, University of Detroit Mercy, Steve Gay, Debbie Threloff, & Ahmad Kronfol, "Project Meerkat," 2012.

Master of Community Development, University of Detroit Mercy, Brian Ellison, Vicky Mazzola, & Tiffany Tonomi, 2011.

Master of Community Development, University of Detroit Mercy, Jake Lyon, Robin Underwood, Dana Hart, & Diamond Jenkins, 2009.

Supervision of Graduate Capstones

Master of Community Development, University of Detroit Mercy, Keith Crispen, Joe Gifford, & Caitlin Murphy, "Moving Forward Together: A Participatory Model of Community Engagement for the Livernois and West McNichols Communities," 2017.

Master of Community Development, University of Detroit Mercy, Phillip Caldwell, Ritchie Harrison, Priscilla Darby, & Lori Wild, "Mack Avenue Rising: Comprehensive Approaches for Commercial Corridor Revitalization," 2016.

Master of Community Development, University of Detroit Mercy, Molly Redigan, Amber Rucker, Alex Serowoky, & Rob Weber, "The Equitable Land Initiative: Community Land Trusts in Detroit's Springwells Community," 2016.

Master of Community Development, University of Detroit Mercy, Jessica, Back, Toni Henry, Elizabeth Iszler, Annie Mendoza, Megan McGreal, "Inner Circle Greenway: Community Engagement," 2016.

Master of Community Development, University of Detroit Mercy, Shaundra Board, Jeff Henze, Latoya Mobley, & Karen Thurman, "Highland Park Connections: Facilitating Access to Youth Resources," 2015.

Master of Community Development, University of Detroit Mercy, Larissa Carr, Carrie Kulikowski, & Shaema Al Saade, "Sustainable Relationships: Laying a Groundwork for Community Development in Jefferson-Chalmers with Facelift Detroit" 2014.

Master of Community Development, University of Detroit Mercy, Dan Meyering, & Alex Mueller, 2014.

Master of Community Development, University of Detroit Mercy, Joe Gruber & Scott Douglas, "The F.R.E.E. Project Framework and Resources for Empowering Environments," 2014.

Master of Community Development, University of Detroit Mercy, Ashley Flintoff, Mike Smith, & Kendra Harrison, "Sustainable Community Development: A Model to Reconnect Neighbors," 2013.

Invited Lectures and Talks at Home Institution

Stanard, V. (2023, Jan.). *Analysis + Mapping*. ARCH 5200 Thesis Supplement, Detroit, MI.

Stanard, V. (2022, Oct. & (2009-2021, Sept.). *Introduction to Physical Development*. MCD 5010 Introduction to Community Development, Detroit, MI.

Stanard, V. (2022, Sept.) *Physical Planning Primer: The Methods & Language of Planning*. MCD 5060 Introduction to Physical Development, Detroit, MI.

Stanard, V. (2022, Feb.) *Urban Analysis: Representation + Systems*. ARCH 5200 Thesis Supplement, Detroit, MI.

Stanard, V. (2021, Feb. 2022, Mar.). *Introduction to Urbanism*. ARCH 1190 Introduction to Architecture, Detroit, MI.

Stanard, V. (2020, Sept.). *Sustainability in the Creation of Just Communities*. MCD 5010 Introduction to Community Development, Detroit, MI.

Stanard, V. (2017-2020, May). *Research Methods for Community Development*. MCD 5900 Capstone I, Detroit, MI.

Stanard, V. (2013-2017, Nov.). *Master of Community Development Program*. ARCH 1190 Introduction to Architecture, Detroit, MI.

Stanard, V. (2016, Nov.). *The Villages Neighborhoods Strategy*. DMS 1710 Introduction to Design, Detroit, MI.

Stanard, V. (2016, Oct.). *Connect 6 Studio*. ARCH 1300 Architectural Design III, Detroit, MI.

Stanard, V. (2007-2009, 2011, July). *The Architecture of Urban Planning and Transportation*. University of Detroit Mercy Engineering Camp, Detroit, MI.

Stanard, V. (2010, Jan. & 2009, Oct.). *Paradise Valley Cultural Entertainment District*. ARCH 2100 Design Studio, Detroit, MI.

Stanard, V. (2008, Nov.). *A Development Strategy for Woodbridge*. ARCH 3990 Religion in(forming) the Public Square, Detroit, MI.

Stanard, V. (2008, Oct.). *Scenarios for the Mott Block*. ARCH 5290 Real Estate Development Practicum, Detroit, MI.

Stanard, V. (2008, Jan.). *Driving Forces for Woodbridge*. ARCH 2100-2400, University of Detroit Mercy, Detroit, MI.

Invited Critic at Other Institutions

University of Michigan, Taubman College of Architecture + Urban Planning, Ann Arbor, MI, 2007-2022

University of Buffalo, School of Architecture and Planning, 2021

City College New York, Spitzer School of Architecture, 2021

Lawrence Technological University, College of Architecture and Design, Southfield, MI, 2007-2011

Practice-Space, Detroit, 2013-2014

Kent State University/Cleveland Urban Design Collaborative, Cleveland, OH, 2009

Special Courses, Initiatives, and Collaborations

- Co-Chair, Reinventing Public Spaces in Business Improvement Distircts Symposium, Detroit, MI, Mar. 2022
- Co-Chair, Community Development Education Symposium, Detroit, MI, May 2019
- Coordinator, *Inclusive Placemaking & Planning for Equitable Cities* course with Pitter, J., Knight Foundation, and Community Development Advocates of Detroit, Detroit, MI, Fall 2019
- Coordinator, *Building Cities That Work for People*. Detroit Design City Summit Workshop with Theodore, G., Detroit, MI, Sept. 2017
- Faculty Co-Lead, Cuba Study Trip, Havana, Cuba, 2016
- Coordinator, *Bridging People, Places, & Ideas* Workshop and Installation with Impact Detroit, Christophe Hutin, French Embassy of the United States, Young Nation, & DCDC), Feb. 2013
- Detroit Program Coordinator, *Cities in the 21st Century Detroit Program*. International Honors Program (IHP), Detroit, MI, 2009-2011
- Host, Challenge Detroit with Detroit Collaborative Design Center, Sept. 2013

SERVICE ACTIVITY

Service to the University

- College of Liberal Arts & Education Strategic Vision Taskforce, 2023
- Faculty Formation Mentor, 2022-2023
- Program Review Committee, 2020-2023
- Workload Committee, 2022
- Institute for Leadership and Service Advisory Board, 2021-2023
- Institute for Leadership+Service Task Force, 2019-2021
- Core Curriculum Committee, 2021
- Course Evaluations Committee, 2015-2020
- Honorary Degree Committee, 2014-2020
- Planning Committee Member, Center for Social Entrepreneurship "Boost," 2016-2017
- Service Learning 2020 Taskforce, 2013-2017
- Adjunct Faculty Committee, 2012-2016
- Coordinator, Alternative Winter Break Service Trip for Tornado Relief in Tuscaloosa, AL, 2012

Service to the School of Architecture and Community Development

- Promotion and Tenure Committee, 2023
- Graduate Admissions Committee, 2022-2023
- Co-Chair, 11.6 Funds Committee, 2021-2023
- NAAB Accreditation Team, 2022-2023
- MCD Strategic Visioning , 2022-2023
- MCD Advisory Board, 2022-2023
- Chair, Community Development Faculty Search Committee, 2022
- UDMPU Faculty Research Funds Committee, 2021-2022
- MCD Advisory Board, 2020-present
- Tenure and Promotion Committee, 2021

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Fridays@5 Committee, 2021

Mock Interviewer, ARCH 3000 Professional Development Preparation, University of Detroit Mercy School of Architecture, 2021, 2016

Director, Master of Community Development (MCD) Program, 2014-2020

Academic Advisor, Master of Community Development Program, 2013-2020

Chair, MCD Faculty Council, 2013-2020

Chair, MCD Advisory Board, 2017-2020

Chair, Faculty Council, 2019-2020

Co-Chair, Lecture Series Committee, 2016-2020

Branding/Communications Committee, 2015-present

Curriculum Objectives Committee, 2019-present

Urban Analysis/North American Study Abroad Committee, 2017-present

Chair, Concentrations Committee, 2017-2018

Faculty Participant, "Meet the Faculty," University of Detroit Mercy School of Architecture, April 2016

Faculty Participant, "Portfolio Workshop," University of Detroit Mercy School of Architecture, March 2016

International Programs Committee, 2015-present

Representative, Association of Collegiate Schools of Architecture, 2015-2018

Graduate Recruitment Committee, 2015-2017

Co-Director, Master of Community Development Program, 2013-2014

Media Committee, 2011-2015

Service to the Profession and Community

Historic Committee, Detroit Waldorf School, 2022

Alumni Mentor, University of Virginia Alumni Mentorship Program, 2021-2022

Planning Committee, Detroit GIS Day, 2020

Board of Directors, Community Development Advocates of Detroit, 2016-2019

Vision and Values Committee, Building the Engine of Community Development Initiative, 2017-2018

DC3 Detroit City of Design Academia Stakeholder Group, 2017

Academic Kitchen Cabinet and Research and Development Design Committee, Building the Engine of Community Development Initiative, 2016-2017

City of Detroit Non-Motorized Facilities Task Force, 2016-2017

Live6 Advisory Committee, 2016-2017

Mentor, Executive Mentoring Roundtable, Challenge Detroit, 2016

Advisory Board, Practice-Space, Detroit, 2013-2014

Project Team, Sustainable Cities Design Academy, American Architectural Foundation, Washington, D.C., 2013

Professional Team Lead, Detroit Matters: A Workshop Testing Detroit Future City, Detroit, 2013

Placemaking Leadership Council, Project for Public Spaces, 2013-2015

Board of Directors, Association for Community Design, 2012-2013

Design Team, Sustainable Cities Design Academy, American Architectural Foundation, Philadelphia, 2011

Professional Team Lead, Detroit East Side Villages Design Charrette, Detroit, 2009

Design Committee, Southwest Detroit Business Association, Detroit, 2008-2014

Design Committee, Friends of Dingeman Park, Detroit 2008-2009

Steering Committee, Safe Routes to School, Chadsey-Munger Neighborhood, 2008
Design Charrette Team, Driving Forces for Woodbridge, Contemporary Art Institute of Detroit, 2008
Design Committee, Mexicantown Hubbard Communities Commercial District, 2007-2008

FELLOWSHIPS / AWARDS

Fellowships

Community Development Society Innovative Community Engagement Fellows Program, 2017-2018

Professional Awards

Whitney Young Award, 2017 (for DCDC work from 1993-2017)
SEED Award for Excellence in Public Interest Design, Design Corps, 2014 (for DCDC's Community How-To Guides)
Michigan Community Resources Award for Partner of the Year, 2012 (for DCDC's Detroit Future City)
Spirit of Detroit Award, 2007 (for DCDC's Fox Creek Master Plan)
Urban Land Institute's Award for Excellence, 2007 (for Ayers Saint Gross's The Town Hall Arts and Recreation Center)

Academic Awards

Bertha Xerox Scholarship, University of Michigan, 2003-04
Fourth Year Award for Design Excellence, University of Virginia, 1999