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Ashley is a Senior Sustainability Manager at YR&G with ten years of experience in architectural and green building. She works on a wide range of residential, commercial, educational, cultural, and master planning projects. Ashley maintains accreditation in Living Futures, LEED AP BD+C, and the WELL Building Standard.

Ashley has expertise in passive and ecologically-driven design, energy and water efficiency, responsible materials selection, and building health and wellness. She is also an experienced facilitator committed to a cooperative approach to the design and development process. She enjoys working with diverse and interdisciplinary teams—drawing on her skills in systems thinking.

Ashley has developed and continues to teach courses on technical aspects of green building, as well as the evolving concepts and trends informing ecological design, sustainability, and resilience. Her research interests are focused on the subjects of equity and community engagement, how an understanding of place and ecology can inform design, and what it means to design for the uncertainty of climate change.

Accreditations & Affiliations

- LEED AP BD+C
- WELL Provisional AP
- Ambassador, Living Building Challenge
- Adjunct Professor at Columbia School of Professional Studies
- Member, AIA Committee on Design for Risk and Redevelopment
- Member, NYC Urban Land Institute
- Member, Municipal Arts Society

Education

- University of Washington – Master of Architecture
- University of Colorado – Bachelor of Environmental Design

Select Publications & Presentations

- Adjunct Professor and Visiting Speaker, Columbia University: 2013-present
- “Strengthening Design through Community,” American Institute of Architects National Pre-Convention Workshop: April 2016
- “Ecology for Design and Business” Living Futures (International Living Futures Institute): April 2015

Select Project Experience

- Delos Headquarters; Manhattan, NY
- TWA Flight Center Hotel; JFK Airport, NY
- Domino Sugar Factory Redevelopment; Brooklyn, NY
- Brooklyn Bridge Park Boathouse, and Maintenance and Operations; Brooklyn, NY
- West Elm Office and Retail at Empire Stores; Brooklyn, NY
- Columbia University Center for Global Energy Policy; Manhattan, NY
- Columbia Studebaker Building 6th floor renovation; Manhattan, NY
- Marriott AC Times Square; Manhattan, NY
- New York School Construction Authority Green Schools Guide update; NY
- PS339 Woodside Community School; Queens, NY