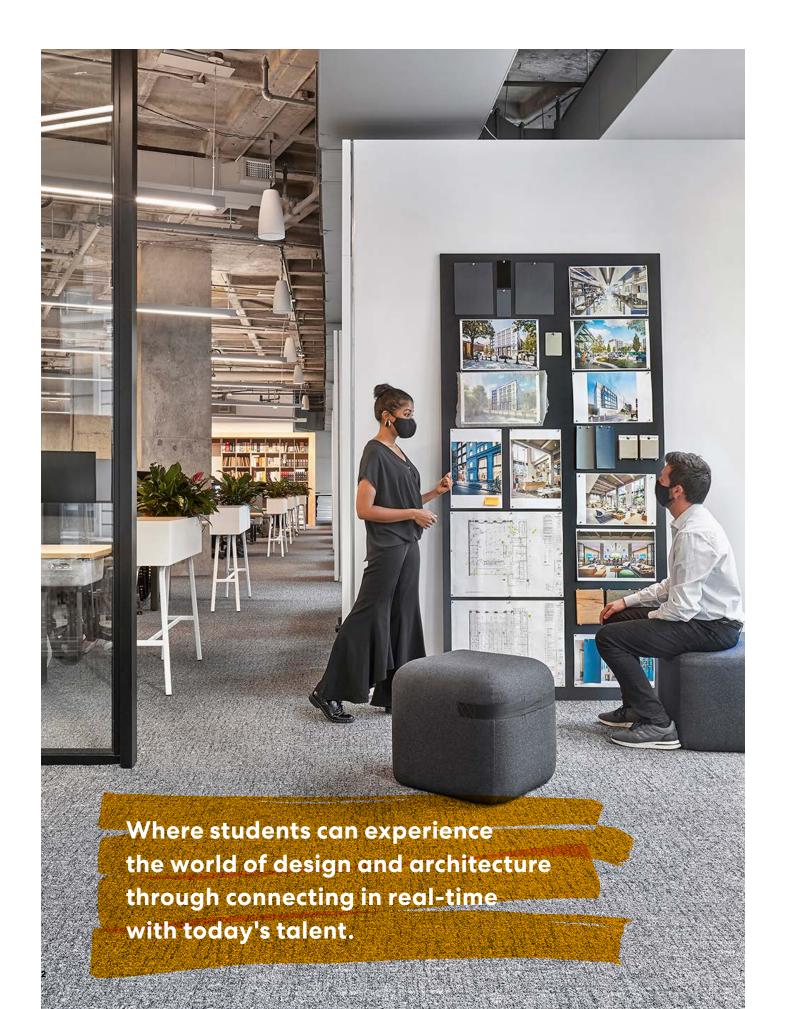
# Mentor Series Spring Edition

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**Perkins&Will** 



### **Seminar Series**

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### **Welcome Students**



"We are excited you are joining us for a day to explore the lives of the most valued assets at Perkins&Will: our People. We created this program to answer questions that students like you may have about our firm, our profession, the projects we are working on and what it means to be a Designer or Architect at Perkins&Will New York.

We hope you will enjoy your day with us, and that you will gain a better understanding of careers in architecture and design."

Bill Harris, ManagingDirector, New York

### Who We Are

# Designing beautiful, awe-inspiring, uplifting places for over eight decades.

More than 80 years ago, Lawrence B. Perkins and Philip Will, Jr. founded Perkins and Will on a tenet that has since guided every design decision we make: Our "ideas and buildings" must always "honor the broader goals of society." Put another way, people must always

be at the heart of everything we do. This philosophy—combined with our relentless passion, curiosity, and daring—continues to motivate and inspire us today.

<u>Click here</u> to learn more about our legacy

## **Design Excellence**

### We've set the bar high.

We're dedicated to creating environments where people live happier, healthier lives. To working collaboratively with our clients—engaging, listening, questioning—until, together, we exceed expectations. This is how we define design excellence.

# For us, performance and aesthetics go hand in hand.

We look at projects holistically, because we know that the bottom line and great design are not mutually exclusive. Perhaps that's why we've grown to be the world's second-largest design firm. Our projects delight the people who use them and perform as well long-term as they do on opening day.

#### Sustainability is a top priority.

The most effective designs are those that work symbiotically with the natural environment. They help protect human health and preserve the vitality of Earth's many ecosystems. They also help conserve the planet's resources—sometimes even replenishing them.

## **Diversity & Inclusion**

# We believe diversity drives innovation and inclusion sparks creativity.

Different perspectives from people of different backgrounds paint a canvas of ideas with bolder, brighter colors. The combined creativity is infinite.

Together, we're designing a more vibrant, dynamic world. We're moving beyond socially constructed barriers and stereotypes and toward an open, united, productive society.

### **Fun Fact**

Awarded Best Place to
Work for LGBTQ Equality\_
by the Human Rights
Campaign's Corporate
Equality Index



# Our firm's people-first philosophy is built on three core principles:

#### **Diversity**

A diverse talent pool mirrors the diversity of our clients and communities, and ensures outsidethe-box design thinking.

#### Inclusion

The inclusion of many voices—both within our firm and in the communities we serve—gives everyone the opportunity to contribute in a meaningful way. This leads to more enriched designs solutions.

### **Engagement**

People who feel included are naturally more engaged, and engagement creates a sense of pride, ownership, and accountability.

### **Our Studio**



### Welcome to our New, New York studio

We never expected to build and move during a pandemic, but that's what we are accomplishing! We are excited to announce our new home at Nomad Tower, in the center of a dynamic neighborhood in the heart of the city. Our resilient design is already a "future workplace"—a laboratory for new ways of collaborating, visualizing and producing responsive and exciting design solutions that make a difference for our clients, the occupants and the community.



Find out more here: perkinswill.com

"Coming back to the New York studio represents a rare opportunity to help pave the way forward as we all navigate what a return to work looks like. We're excited for the invaluable insights we'll gain in our 'learning lab' as we explore innovative ways to grow together in our new normal."

- Bill Harris, Managing Director



# A "workplace of the future," ready for the "right now."

We envisioned the New York studio as a learning lab—one that can both predict and react to behavioral, cultural, and technological change. As we begin our return to studio, still amid a pandemic, we have the opportunity to test our design concepts in real-time.





In the city that never sleeps, we never stop dreaming. Our studio's creative energy propels us to innovate at every level. We believe design unites us all by addressing critical social needs and promoting human interaction.

We draw from our raw talent, values, and design process to effect positive change.
Whether we're in our own five boroughs or anywhere else in the world, our projects are as diverse and dynamic as the metropolis we call home.

# **Our Projects: Architecture**





↑ Lucile Packard Children's Hospital

↑ 799 Broadway









floor Penn Medicine, University of Pennsylvania





↑ Memorial Sloan Kettering, Monmouth



Cornell University Upson Hall

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# **Our Projects: Interiors**



↑ Indeed.com



Nixon Peabody ↑



← Häfele



↑ Unilever North American HQ

#### Guardian Life HQ $\, ullet$



#### Swarovski ↓



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### **About the Program**

Engage, Belong, Create, Establish

# A closer look at your career

This program offers you the opportunity to explore what it means to be a Designer or an Architect on a dayto-day basis. What will your career look like? Join us for one day and explore what we mean by "design excellence."

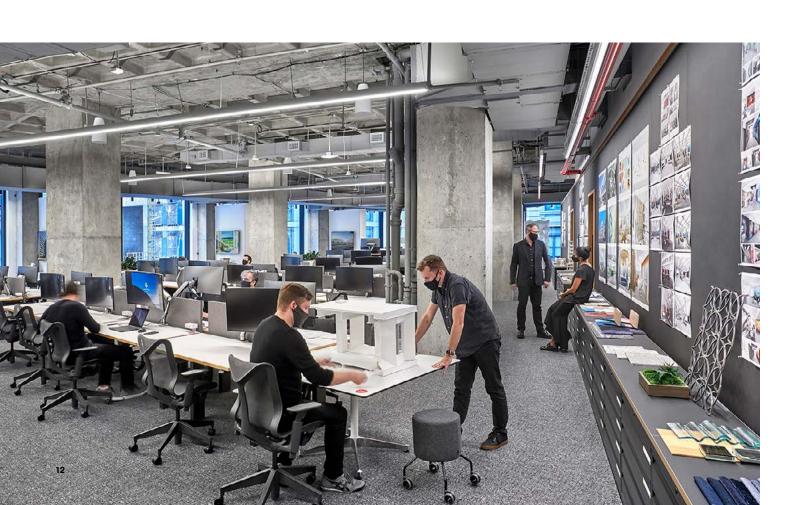
# Building bonds

Get to know design professionals. What does their role entail, how do they design for clients in different markets? You will get an insight into the day-to-day and gain a mentor.

# How will you benefit?

Students will get to know our greatest and most valued asset at Perkins&Will — our people.

You will also have the chance to share your creativity with us and see what we do!



# Why did we create the program?

We created this program specifically for students like you, whether you just started your bachelor's degree or you are entering graduate schools. Through this program, you will have the opportunity to ask all the questions you may not have the chance to ask at school: what does it mean being a Designer? What does it take to be a successful Architect? What do our people like the most about Perkins&Will? Gather all the information you need to reflect on your future career and goals: we are here to help you getting to know better the world of Design and Architecture.

# **Mentor Series — Spring Edition**

Monday, February 7, 2022

Meet our Healthcare Team

Monday, March 7, 2022

Meet our Workplace Team

Monday, April 4, 2022

Meet our Science & Technology Team

Monday, May 9, 2022

Meet our Internship Committee

+ Additional events will be announced

### **How to Apply**

Please review the following application requirements and apply before the deadline to be considered.

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All 3rd, 4th, and 5th year students currently enrolled at the New York City College of Technology, are eligible.

#### Requirements

Cover Letter Resume Current Portfolio

#### **Timeline**

Applications due: **December 1, 2021** 

Selected Students Notified: **December 20. 2021** 

### **Apply today!**

Email the following documents:

- 1. Resume: PDF file format
- 2. Current Portfolio: Link to your website or a PDF file.
- **3. Cover Letter**: Tell us about yourself, previous academic/professional projects you have worked on and explain the aspects of architecture that interests you the most.

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### **Any questions about Perkins&Will New York?**

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