

SENIOR PROJECT ARCHITECT

Gunkel Architecture is seeking an experienced Senior Project Architect to join our 12-person firm in Emeryville. Our vision is to create dynamic and inspiring built environments that foster dignity and empower end-users. We specialize in residential, educational, and mixed-use projects, with a strong commitment to quality and affordable housing as a basic human right.

We believe in fostering a diverse and inclusive mix of talented people who want to come, stay, and do their best work. As such, the firm strives to provide our staff with a well-rounded experience and healthy work-life balance in a collaborative work environment. We are looking for someone with shared values and who has the skills, desire, and commitment to be a long-term leader with us.

Responsibilities:

As a key leadership position within the firm, the Senior Project Architect must be committed to building on the firm's overall vision, values, and goals. This position requires technical expertise, a passion for mentoring staff, strong leadership skills. The principals and office will depend on the technical knowledge this person shares and on the ability to establish appropriate and implementable quality control and office standards. Because Gunkel Architecture is a relatively small and young office, the work will require collaboration, a desire for problem solving, and an enthusiasm for building office-wide standards that may not yet exist.

Knowledge and Skills Requirements:

- Bachelor's degree in Architecture from an accredited university;
- License in Architecture in the State of California;
- Minimum of 15-20 years of working experience in the profession;
- Strong technical skills in wood-frame multifamily residential projects, from code compliance and permit sets to construction details and construction administration;
- Strong organizational skills that complement the principals and project managers' financial, schedule, design and technical goals for different projects;
- Proven leadership, mentorship, and communication skills, with a particular understanding
 of how to successfully develop and roll out standards with a diverse group of staff and
 project needs;
- Software proficiency in AutoCAD, and strong preference for experience in Revit; and
- Experience with affordable housing or a commitment to socially- and environmentally-focused work is a plus.

We offer competitive salaries, health benefits, and a 401k plan. Interested candidates should review our website at gunkelarchitecture.com. Please email PDFs of your resume and work samples (totaling no more than 10MB) to angela@gunkelarchitecture.com.