

Laura Faucher, AIA



Professional Experience

Self-Employed

Architect, 2011-Present

Miller Dunwiddie Architects – Minneapolis, MN

Architect, 2002-2011

Architectural Intern, 1996-2001

Miller Hanson Westerbeck Berger – Minneapolis, MN

Architectural Intern, 1994-1996

Historical Research Inc. – Minneapolis, MN

Research Assistant, 1993-1994

Architectural Registration

State of Minnesota, 2002-Present

Affiliations

American Institute of Architects

Member

Association of Preservation Technology

Member

Minneapolis Heritage Preservation Commission

Commissioner, 2012-Present

Preservation Alliance of Minnesota

Board of Directors, 2004-2009

Executive Committee, 2005-2008

Secretary, 2005-2006

Real Estate Committee, 2007-present

Special Events Committee, 2003-2009

National Trust for Historic Preservation

Volunteered in New Orleans for one week, 2006

Education

North Dakota State University

Bachelor of Architecture

Bachelor of Environmental Design

Concordia College – Moorhead, MN

Bachelor of Arts

Ms. Faucher is a registered Architect in the State of Minnesota with 17 years of experience. She meets the National Park Service's Professional Qualification Standard (36 CFR Part 61) for Historic Architecture as part of the Secretary of the Interior's Standards for the Treatment of Historic Properties. She has a Bachelor of Architecture degree from North Dakota State University in Fargo and a Bachelor of Arts from Concordia College in Moorhead, Minnesota. She was employed by Miller Dunwiddie Architecture from July, 1996 - September, 2011, where she specialized in historic preservation projects. Prior to that, she was an intern at the firm of Miller Hanson Westerbeck Berger, Inc. Both firms are located in Minneapolis, Minnesota.

Ms. Faucher is a member of the American Institute of Architects, the Association for Preservation Technology, and the Preservation Alliance of Minnesota (PAM). She served two terms on PAM's Board of Directors from 2004-2010 and served as Secretary for the organization from 2005-2006. She also served on PAM's Executive Committee, the Special Events/Programs Committee, and the Real Estate Committee. She continues to serve on the Real Estate Committee. In January of 2012, she began serving as a commissioner on the Minneapolis Heritage Preservation Commission. She also currently serves as the Facilities Committee Chair for the Minneapolis Chapter of the Alliance Française, a French cultural organization.

Project Experience

Assumption Church – St. Paul, MN*

Exterior Lighting Plan, Exterior Stair Restoration

Basilica of St. Mary - Minneapolis, MN*

Undercroft Renovation, Exterior Restoration,

Palace Theatre – Luverne, MN*

Master Plan and Renovation

Cathedral of St. Paul – St. Paul, MN*

Exterior Restoration and Lighting, Interior Lighting Improvements, Campus Master Plan, and Founder's Chapel Renovation

Grace University Lutheran Church – Minneapolis, MN*

Schematic Design for Phase II Expansion

Grant County Courthouse – Elbow Lake, MN*

Rehabilitation & Renovation, Historic Structures Report, and Investigation of Structural Concrete

Guardian Angels Catholic Church – Chaska, MN*

Friary Wall Restoration, Conditions Assessment - Church and Friary, Conditions Assessment - School and Administration Building

Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic Church - Minneapolis, MN*

Interior Renovation of Worship Space, Exterior Restoration, Existing Conditions Assessment

Stillwater Public Library - Stillwater, MN*

Renovation and Expansion

Temple Israel – Minneapolis, MN*

Conditions Assessment for Temple and School complex, Memorial Park, and Camp Teko

*work completed with Miller Dunwiddie