

## GERALD GAST.

### Current Academic Position

Associate Professor of Architecture (with Tenure), Portland Urban Architecture Program, The University of Oregon. 1994-present.

**Professional Position** Principal, Gast-Hillmer Urban Design. California

**Education** Master of Architecture, University of Illinois.

Bachelor of Architecture (H. Hons.), University of Illinois.

### Professional Registration

Licensed Architect: California C 9375

### Teaching Appointments

**The University of Oregon, Portland Urban Architecture Program.**  
1994-present. Director of Portland Programs, 1994-97;1999-2000.

**Stanford University.** Visiting Associate Professor, Program on Urban Studies.  
Teaching: Introduction to Urban Design in the Stanford Urban Studies Program, a required core course. 1982-2012.

**San Francisco Center for Architecture and Urban Studies.**  
Director, 1978-85.

### Selected Research, Professional Projects And Publications

*Master Plan for The Ukrainian Catholic University.* Lviv, Ukraine. Master Plan and first phase architectural design studies for the new 10-acre Stryisky Park campus. Founded in 1915, the University reopened in 1992 after being closed by the Soviet government in 1945. The Master Plan commenced in Fall 2006. First phase (academic building and student residences) construction commenced August 2010, completed 2013. Continuing and current project.

*Healthy Working Waterfronts.* With Will Ives. Monograph publication of The Urban Projects Workshop, Portland Urban Architecture Program, University of Oregon. Design Thesis Projects, 2011.

*General Plan for the City Redwood of Redwood City, California.* Urban Design consultant for the City's Comprehensive Plan. 2008-2011. Awards: American Planning Association: Northern California Comprehensive Plan Award, small Jurisdiction. 2012. State of California Comprehensive Plan Award, small jurisdiction. 2012.

*Downtown Development Studies,* City of Milwaukie, Oregon. Development studies for downtown revitalization, integration of new light rail (MAX) transit station and public square. 2006-2008.

*Oregon Science and Technology Partnership Study.* East Metro Economic Alliance. Eco-Industrial park completed for a joint venture of four cities in the

Portland East Metro Region. Funded by the State of Oregon, Department of Land Conservation and Development, 2003-2007.

*Downtown Santa Rosa, California. Mixed Use Development Study.* Client: Santa Rosa Redevelopment Agency and Seifel Consulting.  
Two block study area to contain retail, housing and parking structure.  
Principal in charge, Gast-Hillmer Urban Design, 2002-03.

*Management of design charette on Transit-Oriented Development Sites.*  
Client: METRO Regional Government, Portland, Oregon. 2001.

*Agnews West Community Master Plan, (now called Watermark),* Santa Clara, CA. 248-acre pedestrian-oriented new community on former Agnews Hospital site. Client: State of California Dept of General Services, Participating Principal, Gast-Hillmer Urban Design, 1997-2000.

*San Diego County Government Center, Master Plan Update.*  
Client: County of San Diego Chief Administrator's Office, Community Services Group, 2000.

*Uptown District Master Plan, San Diego, CA.*  
\$70 million mixed-use urban residential development in the Hillcrest neighborhood, San Diego.  
Client: City of San Diego Planning Department.  
Principal-in-charge, Gast-Hillmer Urban Design, completed 1990.

*San Diego County Government Center Master Plan, San Diego, completed 1989,* principal, APA "Outstanding Planning Project" Award.  
Client: County of San Diego, Chief Administrator's Office.  
Principal-in-charge, Gast-Hillmer Urban Design, completed 1990.

*San Rafael Hillside Design Guidelines,* Client: City of San Rafael CA. American Planning Association, California State and National "Planning Implementation Award", 1992 and 1993. Participating Principal, Gast-Hillmer Urban Design, completed 1990.

*North City Future Urbanizing Area Framework Plan, San Diego.*  
Plan for two new urban neighborhoods of 30,000 persons. Principal urban design consultant to the City of San Diego. Completed 1992.

*San Clemente General Plan, Urban Design Element and Citywide Design Guidelines.*  
Client: City of San Diego, CA.  
Principal-in-charge, Gast-Hillmer Urban Design, completed 1991.

*Downtown Scottsdale Urban Design Guidelines and Fifth Avenue District Public Spaces Design, Scottsdale, Arizona.*  
Client: City of Scottsdale, Arizona  
Principal-in-charge, Gast-Hillmer Urban Design, completed 1991.  
1986-92.

## **Recent Professional Presentations**

"Reviving Urban Industry in the United States". Paper recently selected for presentation. National Conference of the Society for American City and Regional Planning History". Baltimore, MD. November 2011.

"The Emscher Park International Building Exposition of 1989-99: An Evaluation Ten Years After". National Conference of the Society for American City and Regional Planning History". Oakland, California. October 2009.

*"The Oregon Science and Technology Park"*. Presentation to the East Metro Economic Alliance and Mayors of the Cities of Gresham, Troutdale, Fairview and Wood Village. December, 2004.

*"Green Regeneration of the German Ruhr"*. Stanford Urban Studies Lecture series. February, 2004.