

**Kristina Floor, FASLA | LEED-AP BD+C
Partner**

Project Responsibilities and Experience

As Principal-in-Charge, Kris leads the design direction to establish a unique identity that speaks to the needs of each project. Her role is to ensure that design goals are maintained through the entire process, from concept development through implementation. With over 30 years of experience in site planning and landscape design for mixed-use, retail, commercial office, hospitality, parks, streetscape, and residential, as well as extensive knowledge of regional and indigenous plant materials, Kris strives to create a sense of place that is timeless and unique to each project. Her relevant projects include:

The Heritage Garden at the Desert Botanical Garden, Phoenix, AZ: Renovation of the original botanical collections from 1929, The Heritage Garden honors the Garden’s 75 year history while celebrating the present and looking toward the future. The space includes some of the garden’s most important specimens including the dramatic Cardon cacti and Boojum trees. *Client: Desert Botanical Garden*

Hance Park Master Plan, Phoenix, AZ: Member of the design team to re-image and reposition this urban park over the I10 freeway as an activator for downtown development. Master plan includes identity development, improving visibility from surrounding area, and providing various amenities to encourage daily and host major events. *Client: City of Phoenix, Design Team: Imelk, WeddleGilmore, Floor Associates*

Agritopia, Gilbert, AZ: Self-sustaining master planned community with a focus on open space and maintaining a pedestrian oriented neighborhood setting. In addition to office, retail, school and park components, the community features several large areas of organic farming and preserved pasture land. Residential areas feature tree-lined streets and a variety of architectural styles. *Client: Johnston Properties*

ASU College Avenue Commons, Tempe, AZ: Master plan and Phase I implementation of streetscape design for mixed-use, private-public development along College Avenue. Project included preparing overall Master Plan addressing issues such as primary, secondary and parcel ingress/egress, pedestrian and vehicular circulation, plaza development and overall landscape character. *Client: ASU, SmithGroupJJR*

Phoenix Biomedical Campus, Phoenix, AZ: Mixed-use master planned urban development including high-rise lab and office buildings with street level retail and university components. Project implementations include: TGEN / IGC HQ, UofA College of Medicine, Arizona Biomedical Collaborative I, Health Sciences Education Building. *Clients: City of Phoenix, ASU, UofA, NAU, SmithGroup, CO Architects, Ayers Saint Gross*

Elsie McCarthy Sensory Garden, Glendale, AZ: Garden design inspired by sensory experiences of the visually impaired. The design goal was to create a multi-sensory environment that could be safely and independently explored through touch, sound and scent, and includes the extensive use of small water features, tactile materials and plant materials that are pleasing to all the senses. *Client: City of Glendale*

Silverleaf Clubhouse and Spa, Scottsdale, AZ: Located in the Upper Canyon Village of DC Ranch this project design was inspired by the rural Mediterranean villages of southern France and offers its

Education

Arizona State University,
Bachelor of Science in Urban Planning
and Landscape Architecture - 1983

Professional Affiliations

American Society of Landscape
Architects – Council of Fellows
AIA Arizona – Affiliate Member
Urban Land Institute
Arizona Forward Association
Hance Park Conservancy – Founding
Member - Secretary

Licensure

Landscape Architect
- Arizona, New Mexico, Utah

Accreditations

USGBC LEED-AP BD+C

Selected Awards

Margaret T. Hance Park
- 2015 AZASLA Honor Award
- 2015 AIA AZ Chapter Citation Award

ASU College Avenue
- 2014 Arizona Forward Association
Environmental Excellence Award
- 2016 AZASLA Honor Award

Paradise Valley Mall Streetscape Renovation
- 2010 Valley Forward Association
Environmental Excellence Award

The Wolff Residence
- 2008 AZASLA Honor Award
- 2008 Sunset Magazine Award of Excellence

Elsie McCarthy Sensory Garden
- 2002 AZASLA Honor Award
- 2002 Valley Forward Association
Crescordia Award

Safari Drive
- 2010 AIA Arizona Merit Award

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members full golf and resort spa services. The project goal was to recreate courtyard spaces using the same proportion, forms and materials to enhance internal views from the clubhouse and spa as well as to provide a sense of place. *Client: DMB and OZ Architects*

Paradise Valley Regional Mall, Phoenix, AZ: Major renovation of the 30 year old, 140-acre Master Planned regional mall district. Design provided for a strong, new visual identity and re-established continuity to the Paradise Valley shopping 'village'. The mall's community open spaces were completely renovated to encourage outdoor local functions and community interaction. *Client: Westcor*

Good Samaritan Hospital Healing Garden, Phoenix, AZ: Renovation of an existing over structure concrete courtyard at the center of the hospital into a sinuous terraced garden. The garden and water feature designs reflect the surrounding architecture and symbolize the stages of life while creating a sensory experience for visitors. *Client: The Orcutt Winslow Partnership / Good Samaritan Hospital ***

Herberger Theater, Phoenix, AZ: Member of the design team responsible for the renovation of the main plaza at the Herberger Theater to accommodate the new location for the Waddell Sculpture. The renovation provided the theater with a large pre-function area as well as improving the visibility to the main entrance and box office. *Client: The City of Phoenix and Senior/Oesterle*

NAU Communications Center, Flagstaff, AZ: Scope included renovation of the existing School of Communications facility and the addition of a new wing and auditorium to allow for expansion of the program and curriculum. The plant palette incorporated plants native to the Ponderosa Pine forests of Northern Arizona. *Client: RNL Design*

Scottsdale Civic Center Mall Master Plan, Scottsdale, AZ: Member of the design team to re-image and reposition this urban park with a goal of activating the space 24/7 through events as well as daily programming. *Client: City of Scottsdale, Design Team: Holly Street Studio Architects, Floor Associates*

Yuma Regional Medical Center, Yuma, AZ: Expansion of regional Medical Center to accommodate the area's population growth. New campus developments emphasize a holistic healing environment with a healing garden serving as the project's focal point. *Client: The Stichler Group*

ASU Downtown Recreation Center, Phoenix, AZ: New Student Recreational Center adjacent to existing YMCA in the urban core of downtown Phoenix. Design included hardscape and landscape for building entry plaza and approximately 145 linear feet of streetscape improvements, as well as a rooftop pool terrace. *Clients: ASU, Gabor Lorant Architects*

McDowell Mountain Ranch, Scottsdale, AZ: Development of overall image and landscape character guidelines for this 1800-acre master planned community at the base of the McDowell Mountain Preserve. Project theme and site amenities focus on preservation while promoting a family oriented character through the use of icons and imagery placed throughout the site. *Client: City of Scottsdale*

Recognition (continued)

Arizona Canal Bank Improvements
- 2008 Valley Forward Association
Environmental Excellence Award

Scottsdale Waterfront
- 2008 AZ|RE RED Award
- Best Multi-Family Project
- 2008 Valley Forward Association
- Environmental Design
Excellence Award

Optima Camelview Village
- 2008 ALCA President's Award
- 2009 Valley Forward Association
- Crescordia Award

Herberger Theater Entry Plaza
- 1999 Valley Forward Association
- Environmental Design Excellence

The ACME Building
- 2001 Valley Forward Association
- Environmental Design Excellence

Desert Wing Residence
- 2008 Golden Nugget Award
- Best Custom Home

Selected Publications

1000x Landscape Architecture, First Edition, Braun Publishing, 2009. Print.

Landscape Design @ USA, 2nd Edition. Pace Publishing LTD, 2009. Print.

Landscape Architecture: A Manual of Environmental Planning and Design, Fourth Edition, Simonds, 2006. Print.

City + Design + Evolution – Unique Landscape Designs from 6 Continents, Pedro Marcelino, 2011. Print.

Pocket Gardens, James Trulove, 2000. Print

"Safari Drive", [Landscape Architect](#), Dalian University, January 2010