

Richard Black



Qualifications

BA (Hons), Dipl. Arch, M Arch, ARB, RIBA

Education

2013-14	Postgraduate Diploma in Professional Practice, University of Westminster
2012	Master of Architecture, Oxford Brookes University
2010-12	Diploma in Architecture, Oxford Brookes University
2006-09	BA (Hons) in Architecture, University of Manchester

Practice

2025 -	Senior Associate, RSHP
2022 - 25	Associate, RSHP
2021 - 22	Associate, Rogers Stirk Harbour + Partners
2019 -21	Senior Architect, Rogers Stirk Harbour + Partners
2016-19	Rogers Stirk Harbour + Partners
2012-16	EPR Architects
2009-10	EPR Architects

Summary of Experience

Richard has been involved in a wide range of design stages throughout his career, from initial concept design through to completion. He is currently the project architect for Nanjing Yuhua, a mixed-use 200m tower, comprising 36 floors of office space and 9 floors of hotel space, with retail at podium level; Shimen 1st Road Tower, a 186m office tower in Shanghai and 210 South 12th, a 121m high residential tower in Philadelphia.

He has seen all three projects through from their concept design phases to construction on site, and in the case of 210 South 12th, through to its completion in 2024.

Richard is also playing a key role in the design development of Water Canal Peninsula, a luxury residential and hotel complex in Dubai.

Richard was instrumental in developing the detailed design of facade packages on both the Qiantan and Vanke residential projects in Shanghai and is now working on a number of key office buildings in Shenzhen.

Prior to joining RSHP, Richard worked across a variety of sectors in the UK, focussing on complex site development projects with Transport for London. He was lead architect for an office building in the City of London and was located onsite for a year, working closely with the contractor to deliver the building.

Richard has lectured at the Architectural Association and Oxford Brookes University on the use of 3D design tools and visualisation within architecture. He has also tutored and been a guest critic at both universities.

Key Projects

2024 -	Water Canal Peninsula, Residential, Dubai, UAE
2021 -	Nanjing Yuhua, Mixed-Use, Nanjing, China
2020 -	Shenzhen Hong Kong Science Innovation Centre, Office, Shenzhen, China
2019 -	Shimen 1st Road Tower, Office, Shanghai, China
2018 -	Kingboard Qianhai Tower, Office, Shenzhen, China
2018 -24	210 South 12th, Residential, Philadelphia, USA
2017 -	Qiantan Shanghai Pudong, Residential, Shanghai, China
2017 - 21	H-Farm, Education, Roncade, Italy
2016 - 24	Oriental One, Residential, Shanghai, China
2016	Zhaode, Beijing, Residential, Beijing, China

Teaching

2021 -	RIBA Part 3 Examiner, University of Westminster
2012-16	Visiting Critic and Lecturer, Oxford Brookes University
2012-14	Visiting Design Tutor, Architectural Association