



DON HOOVER

Principal, Landscape Architect

Registered Landscape Architect, Maryland, 1983
 Licensed Landscape Architect, Virginia, 1996
 Licensed Landscape Architect, New Jersey 2014
 Licensed Landscape Architect, Pennsylvania, 2014

EDUCATION

Bachelor of Science
 Landscape Architecture
 Pennsylvania State University, 1980

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

OCULUS

Washington, DC
 Principal
 1993-Present

EDAW (CURRENTLY AECOM)

Alexandria, VA
 Senior Associate
 1985 – 1990

VVKR, INC

Alexandria, VA
 Associate
 1980-1985

As one of the founding principals of OCULUS, Don is a landscape architect and urban designer with over 30 years of experience and has been responsible for more than forty built projects. He has extensive experience in the design, management, and implementation of a wide range of design and planning projects.

Don has received numerous awards and recognition for his projects and design work. His responsibilities have included leading public workshops and design charrettes, programming, setting project direction and tone of design, managing production of contract documents, and administration of construction. He is registered in Maryland, Virginia, New Jersey and Pennsylvania and holds a BS in Landscape Architecture from Pennsylvania State University. Don is a hands-on principal involved with every aspect of each and all design projects from start to finish.

Selected Projects

40 Patterson, Washington, DC
Downtown Silver Spring Redevelopment, Silver Spring, MD
Wheaton Town Center Redevelopment, Wheaton, MD
Bryant Street, Washington, DC
Dock 79 (Riverfront Phase 1), Washington, DC
Market Terminal, Washington, DC
Isaac Newton Square, Reston, VA
Elizabeth Square, Silver Spring, MD
Potomac Yard Master Plan and Guidelines, Alexandria & Arlington, VA
Laneways, Houston, TX
Dulles Airport Landscape Master Plan and Design Guidelines, Dulles, VA
Reston Town Center, Reston, VA
Eleven55 Ripley, Silver Spring, MD
Carlyle South Residential, Alexandria, VA
F1RST (Square 701 Ballpark Residential), Washington, DC
National Public Radio (NPR) Headquarters, Washington, DC
The Wren (965 Florida Ave), Washington, DC
Cityline, Washington, DC

Honors and Awards

2017 Honor Award, ASLA Potomac Chapter: *Salamander Resort and Spa*
 2017 Design Excellence Citation, M-NCPPC: *Evans Parkway Neighborhood Park*
 2015 Unbuilt Projects Merit Award, ASLA Potomac Chapter: *The Riverfront*
 2014 Outstanding Redevelopment Plan Award, American Planning Association, Virginia Chapter: *Strategic Investment Area Plan. Charlottesville, Virginia.*
 2014 Award of Excellence, Virginia Society of the AIA: *Strategic Investment Area Plan. Charlottesville, VA*
 2013 Travelling Award, ASLA Virginia Chapter: *South Carlyle Master Plan*
 2005 Honor and Traveling Award, ASLA Maryland-Potomac Chapter: *Powhatan Springs Park:*
 2005 Best New Park, Virginia Parks and Recreational Services: *Powhatan Springs Park*
 2002 Semi-finalist, *Pentagon Memorial Competition*
 1991 Award of Honor, ASLA Maryland-Potomac Chapter: *National Capital Columns*