

Jim Smith AIA

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“Progressive, Creative Architect with over 30 years experience creating designs for the built environment.”

Work Experience

1984 to 2009 (25 Years) - **Walt Disney Entertainment Group** (Anaheim, CA)

Architect

- Directed a team of architects in the design/build process for over \$650 million in capital improvements.
- Theme Park attractions – provided site planning and architectural services for ride stations and support facilities (food & merchandise); coordinated multiple disciplines with ride manufacturers, structural and civil engineers, and MEP engineers.
- Accommodations – design architect for a 425 room themed hotel.
- Retail Development – prepared construction documents for multiple retail venues.
- Waterpark Development – design architect for a 28 acre Waterpark resort.
- Luxury RV Resort - project architect for a two phase upscale 50 acre RV resort.

1982 to 1984 - **City of San Diego Department of Engineering**

Engineering Technician

- Developed architectural and civil engineering plans including bridges, extensive roadway design, and 267,000 s.f. of maintenance facility structures.
- Developed field and office surveying experience.

1978 to 1982 - **Williamson Associates** (Laguna Hills, CA)

Project Manager

- Project manager and design/draftsman for franchise hotel development.



REGISTRATION & Certification

- California, Nevada and Arizona
- NCARB Certificate
- LEED AP

MEMBERSHIPS & Affiliations

- American Institute of Architects
- National Council of Architectural Registration Board
- International Code Council

EDUCATION

- University of Arizona – Master of Architecture

