

# BIRUK BELAY

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## EDUCATION

UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON, SEATTLE, WASHINGTON  
BACHELORS OF LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE, JUNE 2014

LAKE WASHINGTON INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY, KIRKLAND, WASHINGTON  
ASSOCIATE OF APPLIED SCIENCE, ARCHITECTURAL EMPHASIS, JUNE 2010

## EXPERIENCES

10/2017 - PRESENT PROJECT MANAGER / PROJECT DESIGNER  
SITE WORKSHOP SEATTLE, WA

### SELECTED PROJECTS

Rainier Beach High School	Seattle, WA
Yesler Terrace Apartments and Pocket Park	Seattle, WA
Jazz House	Seattle, WA
Seattle Childrens Hospital	Seattle, WA
Africatown Plaza	Seattle, WA
Rainier Beach Lake Access at Be'er Sheva Park	Seattle, WA
RAVE New Holly	Seattle, WA

12/2014 - 10/2017 PROJECT DESIGNER  
RICHARD BURCK ASSOCIATES, INC SOMERVILLE, MA

### SELECTED PROJECTS

GALLAUDET UNIVERSITY, WASHINGTON DC	
Connect Kendall Square Open Space Competition, Cambridge, MA	
2016 BSLA Merit Award: Analysis And Planning	
Meadowbrook School, 21 Autumn Road	Weston, MA
One Kendall Square,	Cambridge, MA
Boston Public Library Dudley Branch	Roxbury, MA
Fan Pier Building D Streetscape + Roof Garden	Boston, MA

02/2014 - 12/2014 PROJECT DESIGNER  
J.A BRENNAN ASSOCIATES, LLC. SEATTLE, WA

### SELECTED PROJECTS

Duwamish Gardens Shoreline Restoration	Tukwila, WA
Beebe Springs Natural Area	Chelan, WA
Park at Bothell Landing, Schematic Design	Bothell, WA



## PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS:

Washington Chapter of the American Society of  
Landscape Architects

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

UW College of Built Environments  
Studio Critic: 2014 - 2019

UW, Landscape Architecture Department  
Assistant Studio Instructor: 2013 - 14

## VOLUNTEER

Africatown Preservation and Development Assoc. 2017 - Present  
Ethiopian Community in Seattle 2018

## COMPUTER SKILLS

Adobe Photoshop  
Adobe Illustrator  
Adobe InDesign  
Arc GIS  
Autocad + Autocad Architecture  
Google Sketch Up  
Microsoft Suite  
Revit Architecture

## INTERESTS

Photography, Sketching, Traveling, Design Activism

## ACHIEVEMENTS

2018 WASLA Outstanding Emerging Professional  
2016 BSLA Merit Award: Analysis And Planning  
2015 WASLA Honors Award: Kintsugi Garden  
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2014 WASLA Merit Award: Academic Achievement  
2013 UW LA Department Scholarship  
2013 WASLA Honors Award for Community Service  
2012 -13 UW Certificate of High Scholarship