

# LINDA, MY VAN HUYNH

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## EDUCATION

UNIVERSITY OF TORONTO, Toronto, Ontario [2008-Present]  
**Masters of Architecture-** Currently enrolled in second year of the Masters Program

UNIVERSITY OF WATERLOO, Waterloo, Ontario [2008]  
**Bachelor of Environmental Studies, Honours Planning-** Specialization in Urban Design  
**Diploma of Excellence in Geographic Information Systems**  
**Certificate in French Studies**

## AWARDS | RECOGNITIONS

Bachelor of Environmental Studies- Dean's Honours List [2008] – University of Waterloo  
Alan Weeks Memorial Award [2006] – University of Waterloo

## TEACHING & WORK EXPERIENCE

UNIVERSITY OF WATERLOO—  
SCHOOL OF PLANNING AND DEPARTMENT OF GEOGRAPHY [2007 & 2008]  
**Teaching Assistant for course in Introduction to Geographic Information Systems**

- Responsible for leading tutorial lab sessions to teach GIS-based programs
- Provided students with exercises to learn digital mapping techniques
- Organized data sets and other mapping materials for labs
- Graded Assignments and assisted with the grading of final projects

JIEJIE EDUCATION CENTRE [2004-2005]

**Teacher for Japanese Animation and Still-Life Sketching**

- Developed lesson plans for weekly art lessons
- Provided professional instruction to students
- Interpreted Chinese instruction to English-speaking students while assisting teachers in other classes offered at the Education Centre

DOUGLAS STREET STUDIOS—

TRINA KOSTER PHOTOGRAPHY AND SCOTT MOONEY ILLUSTRATION [2003-2004]

**Studio Assistant**

- Assisted in studio and on-site photo shoots
- Managed studio administration
- Responsible for communicating with clients
- Designed business cards, posters and brochures using graphic illustration programs

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## PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

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CANADIAN INSTITUTE OF PLANNERS [2007-2008]

**Student Member**

ONTARIO PROFESSIONAL PLANNERS INSTITUTE [2007-2008]

**Student Member**

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## TECHNICAL SKILLS

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- Proficient in Adobe Photoshop, Illustrator, InDesign
- Expertise in technical drawing program AutoCAD 2007
- Highly experienced in ESRI ArcGIS: ArcMap, ArcCatalog, ArcScene
- Knowledge in 3D rendering programs: Rhinoceros, 3D Studio Max, Revit Architecture 2009 and Artlantis

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## PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

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- STUDY ABROAD PROGRAM AT OXFORD BROOKES UNIVERSITY, Oxford, UK [2008]  
Department of Planning- School of the Built Environment
  - Learned about large-scale urban design in the 18th Century and growth of the New Towns movement
  - Participated in seminars and field trips to explore the British urban landscape
- CANADIAN INSTITUTE OF PLANNERS ANNUAL CONFERENCE, Québec City, Québec [2007]
  - Participated in lectures and seminars at a 2-day conference to exchange ideas and discuss issues relating to the planning and design of large cities; growth in metropolitan and suburban areas; heritage in the design process
- PARTICIPATION IN A DESIGN PROJECT FOR YINGKOU PORT DEVELOPMENT [2007]  
School of Planning- University of Waterloo
  - Contributed as a team member in a proposal for Yingkou Port Development in Liaoning Province
  - Responsible for the design aspects of the Waterfront Market, in collaboration with other colleagues
  - Final design proposal integrated Village redevelopment, Public Square design, Hotel and Tourist sector, and Waterfront Market amenity

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## ACADEMIC INTERESTS

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### Urban and Architectural Design

- Theories, discourses and practices of sustainable architecture in cities
- Communication, Analysis and Design Visualization
- Cultural influences and inspirations of Ancient Chinese Architectural Design
- Critical dimensions of Metropolitan Development

### Geographic Information Systems

- Spatial Analysis, Data Management in Planning and Geography
- Developing tools for analytical studies in Waste Management
- Integration of GIS models in Site Selection
- GIS in the design of Sustainable Neighbourhoods
- Evaluation of the spatial distribution and physical assemblages of natural and built environments

### Environmental Design and Sustainability

- Exploration of Physical-Natural Environment Relationships
- Urban design focused on Renewal and Development- Adaptive reuse of heritage structures
- Sustainable design driven by social, economic, technological and environmental forces

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## REFERENCES

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Available upon Request