

# Tao Huang, PhD

## Education

### **Doctor of Philosophy in Architecture and Design Research**

College of Architecture and Urban Studies, Virginia Tech, Blacksburg, VA, USA, 2003-2007

### **Master of Fine Arts in Industrial Design**

Guangzhou Academy of Fine Arts, Guangzhou, China, 1999-2002

### **Bachelor of Science in Industrial Design**

Beijing Institute of Technology, Beijing, China, 1995-1999

## Professional License

LEED AP Building Design & Construction, License # 10955829-AP-BD+C

Google UX Design Specialist Professional Certification

## Professional Employment

### **Associate Professor**

Design BFA program, School of Art and Design, Southern Illinois University at Carbondale, 2015 to Present

### **Assistant Professor**

Product Design BFA program, Art + Design Department, Columbia College Chicago, 2007 to 2015

### **Contract designer**

1997 to Present

### **Executive & Research Assistant**

International Center for Sustainable Development, Baltimore, MD, USA, 2004

### **Assistant Professor & Internship Coordinator**

Department of Industrial Design, Guangdong University of Technology, Guangzhou, China, 2002-2003

### **Chief Designer**

Industrial Design Center of Guangdong University of Technology, Guangzhou, China, 2002-2003

### **CAD Technician**

Form Design Studio, Guangzhou, China, 2002

## Leadership Experience

### **Head of Undergraduate Studies**

School of Art + Design, Southern Illinois University at Carbondale, 2020 to Present

### **Associate Chair & Summer Chair**

Art + Design Department, Columbia College Chicago, 2010-2012

### **Product Design Program Coordinator**

Art + Design Department, Columbia College Chicago, 2007-2008

## Entrepreneurship

### **Co-founder and Design Principal**

Resilient Farms and Design Studio, Chicago, US, 2013 to present.

### **Co-manager, Designer, and Co-owner**

Guangzhou Champaign Advertising Company, Guangzhou, China, 2002-2013

### **Co-Founder, Graphic designer, Partner, and Co-manager**

Chosen Roads Design Bookstore, Guangzhou, China, 1999-2003