

## EDGAR G. ADAMS JR.

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### Professor

TEACHING EXPERIENCE	Roger Williams University; Fulltime faculty member	1992 – pres
	Roger Williams University; Adjunct faculty member	1990 - 1992
	Cornell University; Graduate TA for the 1 <sup>st</sup> year design program.	1983 - 1985
	Instructor/Lecturer: Cornell Summer Intro. to Architecture program.	1984 / 1985
COURSES TAUGHT	Arch 416 Advanced Topical studio in Urban Design, Arch 41Arch 572	
	Urban Design Theory, ARCH 324/524 Evolution of Urban Form, Arch 641 Graduate Thesis Research Seminar, Arch 614 Independent Project Studio, 1 <sup>st</sup> – 4 <sup>th</sup> year Architectural Design Studios. Juror: Cornell Univ., Harvard GSD, Yale Univ., MIT, Rhode Island School of Design, Northeastern Univ., Kent State, Boston Architectural Center, Wentworth Inst., Univ. of Waterloo (Rome)	
EDUCATION	Cornell University, Ithaca, New York;	1983 - 1985
	Master of Architecture in Urban Design w/ a Concentration in History	1995
	Cornell University, Ithaca, New York; Bachelor of Architecture	1976 - 1980
	Cornell Architecture Summer Program; Vienna, Austria	1980
UNIVERSITY/ ACADEMIC ACTIVITIES:	Hobart College, Geneva, New York; Liberal Arts Studies	1974 - 1976
	Coordinator, Urban Studies Program	2015/16, 2018/19
	Coordinator, Architecture Program	2008 - 2014
	Core Curriculum Committee / GEPC	2014, 2021-24
	RWU Faculty Senate	2003-05, 2010-11, 2013-14, 2021-24
	Senate Committees: GE, DEI, University Life, Steering Committee	
	SAAHP, Community Partnerships Committee	2005 - 2018
	President's Steering Committee; Senate Representative	2004-2005
	University Master Planning Committee; Faculty representative	2003-2008, 2019-21
	Faculty Senate: Chair of the Steering Committee	2002-2005
	RWU Rome Program: Advisor and Architecture Coordinator	1999
	Co-coordinator: ACSA NE Regional Meeting, Newport RI	Fall 1998
	Co-coordinator: RWU Prague Summer Study Abroad Program	1994, 96, 98, 00
PUBLISHED WORK	"At Scale: <i>Democracy in the Balance</i> "	2024
	The Plan Journal Volume 9, Issue 2	
	"Finding Common Ground: Smart Growth and Affordable Housing in RI"	2015
	ESRI Map Book, Volume 30, ESRI Press, Redlands CA	
	"Mind the Gap II: Notes on the In-Between"	2010
	Proceedings of the 2010 ACSA NE Fall Conference	
	University of Hartford	
	"Mind the Gap: <i>Understanding the Interface</i> "	2007
	CITY / CAMPUS Proceedings of the 2007 ACSA Central Fall Conference	
	University of Waterloo, Cambridge, Ontario	
LECTURES/ PRESENTATIONS	"Communication Technology and Urban Form"	1995
	Proceedings of the 1995 ACSA NE Regional Conference	
	"Equitable Renewal: Reclamation + Repair"	
	IMCL Newport & CNU 33 Providence	2025
	"Equitable Renewal: Anti-Racist Providence"	
	ACSA Annual Meeting, St. Louis	2023
	GrowSmart RI, Power of Place Summit, Providence RI	2022
	"Coastal Resilience: ReGrounding Newport"	
	AIA RUDC Climate of Urban Design, U of T, Austin TX	2020
	Green Cities Conference, Nancy, FR	2019
	"Finding Common Ground Part II: Smart Growth & LMI Housing"	2019
	56 <sup>th</sup> IMCL Conference, Portland OR / Green Cities Conference, Nancy, Fr	

	“Finding Common Ground: Smart Growth in RI”	2014
	ESRI International User Conference, San Diego, CA	
	“Toward a Healthy Rhode Island: Local Smart Growth Initiatives”	2013
	EDRA 44: Healthy & Healing Places, Providence RI	
	“Main Street Districts and Growth Centers 101”	2012
	GrowSmart RI, Power of Place Summit, Providence, RI	
	“The Main Line as Model: <i>Transit Oriented Development Comes of Age</i> ”	2007
	45 <sup>th</sup> International Making Cities Livable Conference, Portland, Oregon	
	Presenter: BSA/Build Boston, Education in Architecture Forum	1998
	“The War-time Efforts of the United States Housing Corporation	1998
	and the Emergency Fleet Corporation and their Place in the	
	American Planning Tradition”, ACSA Annual Meeting, Seattle WA	
EXHIBITS	RWU CPC Celebration	2012, 2015, 2018, 2020
	Reconnecting Providence: <i>Big Plans + Best Practices</i>	2006
	Providence City Hall, Save the Bay, RISD	
RESEARCH (see also below)	Bringing Historical Urban Maps and Data into GIS	2016 - present
	Affordable Housing and Smart Growth in Rhode Island	2011/2013
	RWU Foundation for Scholarship and Teaching	
	Transit Oriented Development: East / West	2007
	RWU Foundation for Scholarship and Teaching	
AWARDS	Community Service Award, Feinstein Center for Community Service	2007/08
	RWU Presidential Fellowship; Campus Planning	2002-2003
	ASCA citation for service as NE Regional Meeting Chair	1998
	Citation: Barrington Planning Board, for the Red Brick Nursery School	1998
	Graduate Research Fellowship, Cornell University	1985
	Robert James Eidlitz Traveling Fellowship, Cornell University	1981
PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE	<b>Adams Design Associates</b> ; Principal	1993 - Present
	Barrington, Rhode Island	
	<b>E. G. Adams Architect</b> , Principal	1990 - 1993
	Boston, Massachusetts	
Principal	<b>Adams/Wilson Architects</b> , T. Kelly Wilson, Partner	1989 - 1990
	Boston, Massachusetts	
Consultant	<b>Michael Dennis and Associates</b> ; Boston, Massachusetts	1991-1992
	Design Development and Construction Documentation	
	for the University Center; Carnegie Mellon University,	
	Pittsburgh, PA, <i>Published Architectural Record Aug. '97</i>	
Project Architect/ Urban Designer	<b>Koetter, Kim and Associates</b>	1985 - 1990
	Boston, Massachusetts	
Architect/ Urban Designer	<b>Wallace, Roberts &amp; Todd</b>	1982 - 1983
	Architects, Landscape Architects, Urban	
	and Ecological Planners, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania	
PROFESSIONAL REGISTRATION	Rhode Island State Architects Licensure Board	March 1995
	NCARB Certificate	January 1995
	Pennsylvania State Architects Licensure Board	June 1984
PUBLIC SERVICE:	Town of Barrington: Planning Board Member, Technical Review Committee	2006 - 18
	Member, Zoning Update Committee, Affordable Housing Task Force	
	RhodeMap RI Growth Center Planning Committee	2014/15
	Grow Smart RI, Land Use 2025 Task Force member	2005