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## ABOUT ME

Architect and designer, globetrotter, maker, with study and work experience in Germany, Italy, Austria, Portugal, Tunisie, Brasil. With long practice in architecture and urban design, he is also an expert in industrial and furniture design, with excellent building and construction skills, working with complex parametric geometry, Computerized Numeric Control machines, recycled materials. He has partake in numerous design and art exhibitions with furniture and art installations. Associate of the urban planning, architecture and design office Tamandua with L. Martinelli.

## WORK

- 2015 - Associate of the urban planning, architecture and design office Tamandua with F. Schmelzer
- 2014 - Free-lance activity as architect and designer, 3d models production, furniture production.
- 2013-2014 Architect by Paula Souza Arquitetura, San Paolo, Brazil.
- 2010-2013 Architect by PPL Architektur und Stadtplanung, Hamburg, Germany.
- 2009 Architect by Adel Aoua, Tunisi, Tunisie.
- 2008-2009 Architect by Pürstl Langmaier Architekten, Graz, Österreich

## AWARDS

- 2015 1st prize - Masterplan of the new district "Am Langen Rain", Germany. With KH Studio, L. Martinelli.
- 2015 3rd prize - Masterplan of the Northern area of Karlsruhe, Germany. With KH Studio, L. Cattoni.  
1st prize - Masterplan of Columbus Quartier in Mannheim, Germany. With KH Studio, EEM paisage.
- 2014 2nd prize - Urban Factory: Fare Piazza, on the renovation of public open spaces in Rome. With L. Martinelli.
- 2012 Mention of honour - Parco urbano di Piazza d'Armi, L'Aquila. With KH Studio, F. Bernetti, D. Curatola Soprana, L. Martinelli, M. Teofili.

## DESIGN EXHIBITIONS - FAIRS

- 2015 Art Exhibition with parametric design - outdoor furniture installation "Amoebae" at the Fuchsbau Festival in Immensen, Hannover, Germany.
- 2014 Furniture design fair "FuoriSalmone" at Cascina Cuccagna, Milan, Italy, for the Milan Design Fair "Salone del Mobile".
- 2014 Art Exhibition with parametric design - outdoor furniture installation 3-legs porch swing "Menage a trois" at the Dockville Festival, Hamburg, Germany.

## COMPUTER SKILLS

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## EDUCATION

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- 2008 Master Degree in Architecture at of Sapienza University, Rome, Italy, with a thesis in Constructionl Design, mark 110/110 with honours.
- 2007-2008 Free mover student and Master Thesis preparation at Technische Universitaet Graz, Austria.
- 2005-2006 9 months Erasmus Student Mobility at the Architecture faculty of the Porto FAUP University, Portugal.

## PROFESSIONAL SKILLS

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- Construction experience, from document development to on-site installation.
- Strong design skills, from conceptual to detailed development.
- Excellent computer technical skills, especially in 3d modelling and parametric design.

## LANGUAGE SKILLS

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