

Maurice Diaz

AIA, NCARB, LEED® AP BD+C / Associate



Maurice joins Encore with 12 years of combined experience in multi-family residential, low-income housing, civic & emergency facilities, and historic preservation. He prides himself as a technical designer with expertise in construction documentation, building code analysis, project entitlement and feasibility studies, all while using an array of computer programs – REVIT, AutoCAD, Photoshop, VectorWorks – during the design process. Maurice finds the greatest appeal of architecture to be the marriage of creativity with rational order – that poetic ideas should be carefully informed by standards and regulations – and that great design should be the product of healthy collaboration with clients and consultants. Ultimately, he finds fulfillment in helping to shape the built environment – designing quality spaces which offer value to clients and also enable and inspire its users. In his spare time, Maurice enjoys travel, cooking, and live music. His volunteer activities include Treehouse for Kids (mentorship for foster youth) and supporting citizenship & immigration organizations.

EDUCATION

Master of Architecture,
University of Maryland

Bachelor of Arts in Architectural Studies,
University of Washington

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

American Institute of Architects (AIA)

National Council of Architectural
Registration Boards (NCARB)

U.S. Green Building Council (USGBC)
LEED® Accredited Professional BD+C

REPRESENTATIVE PROJECTS

Totem Lake Apartments
Kirkland, WA

Greenwood Apartments
Seattle, WA

Silver Lake Apartments
*Everett, WA **

Silver Lake Townhomes
*Everett, WA **

DESC Supportive Housing
*Seattle, WA **

Preservation Partners Affordable
Housing - Rehabilitation
*Everett, WA **

Mercy Housing
Affordable Housing - Rehabilitation
*Western Washington **

The Winthrop Hotel
*Tacoma, WA **

Catholic Community Services
*Western Washington **

Senior Housing - Mid-rise
*Kingston, WA **

Solid Ground Affordable Housing
*Seattle, WA **

Fire Station + Training Facility
*Burien, WA **

Fire Stations 28, 34, + 35
*Seattle, WA **

Olympic College
Child Care Development Center
*Bremerton, WA **

USPS Facility
*Baltimore, MD **

Maryland MVA
*Baltimore, MD **

US Navy Training Facility
*Baltimore, MD **

Lockheed Martin LEED Calculations
*Baltimore, MD **

IBN Batutta Mall
*Dubai, UAE **

Retail Center
*Boca Raton, FL **

Retail Center Expansions
*Virginia Beach, FL **
Myrtle Beach, SC
Towson, FL

**Completed with previous firm*