

Chester Rennie

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Employment History

2020–Present

Landscape Architect,
SvN Architects + Planners

2012–2020

Designer,
Public Work

2012

Researcher,
Centre For Landscape Research

2012

Graphic Designer,
Global City Indicator Facility

Qualifications

2012, Master of Landscape
Architecture, *University of Toronto*

2008, Sustainable Building Design and
Construction Program, *Fleming College*

2008, Bachelor of Humanities,
Carleton University

Chester is a landscape designer with over eight years of experience. He enjoys exploring the hard edge of the technical constraints of a project in order to discover the elements of specificity and chance that invite variety and beauty into the work. He has worked at the small scale of exhibition and furnishing design to larger scale public space interventions and proposals. Notable project involvement includes work on The Bentway, CIBC Square, DFALD, and Mouth of the Creek Park.

Chester holds a Bachelor of Humanities, Classics and Religion from Carleton University and a Masters of Landscape Architecture from the University of Toronto where he was awarded the ASLA certificate of Merit. He has also completed a certificate program in sustainable building design and construction at Fleming College.

Selected Project Experience

- 2020 - 1530–1650 Dundas Street East - Mississauga, ON
- 2012-2020 - The Bentway - Toronto, ON*
- 2020 - Lower Garrison Creek Park - Toronto, ON*
- Jubilee Plaza - Fort McMurray, AB*
- DFALD - Toronto, ON*
- CIBC Square - Toronto, ON*
- King Toronto - Toronto, ON*
- Sidewalk Toronto - Toronto, ON*
- Governor General's Awards Reading Landscape - Ottawa, ON*
- Capitol Park Detroit - Detroit, MI*
- Black Creek Vision - Toronto, ON*
- Bloomfield - Ontario*
- Ontario Place Re-vision - Toronto, ON*
- Eglinton Crosstown LRT - Toronto, ON*
- Kingsway BIA - Etobicoke, ON*
- Midtown In Focus - Toronto, ON*
- Fort York Pedestrian and Cycling Bridge - Toronto, ON*
- 385 The West Mall - Toronto, ON*
- Under Concord - Ontario*
- National Holocaust Monument - Ottawa, ON*
- University of Toronto Landscape of Landmark Quality - Toronto, ON*
- Warsaw Landscape Monument - Warsaw, PL*
- Nepean Point Park Competition - Ottawa, ON*

* With Public Work