John Copley, ASLA
Principal

John Copley has extensive professional experience in site planning, design, and implementation of projects throughout New England. John's responsibilities encompass all aspects of office management, project management, design and construction observation, and community participation. John is also actively involved in public planning and design charrettes dealing with affordable housing and town planning. John's projects often required sensitive design and detailing consistent with their respective historical context, yet are also contemporary in their expression of traditional materials.

He has been responsible for diverse, engaging, and award-winning urban landscape design projects such as the Frog Pond Renovation on Boston Common, Dudley Town Common in Roxbury, MA, and the First Church of Christ, Scientist in Boston, MA. John's projects for the Christian Science Church include a Fountain Rehabilitation for increased child safety, and a setting for the Church's Summer "Soulstice" Program. John also completed a Village Master Plan for a 35 acre mixed-use pedestrian oriented development in Upton, MA. John serves as Principal in Charge on both the Clarendon Development and the Lovejoy Wharf Development in downtown Boston.

John served as the co-Principal in Charge on the Central Artery/Tunnel Surface Restoration project in downtown Boston, MA, and currently is the Principal in Charge on the 2nd Street District Streetscape Improvement Project in Austin, TX. John also acted as a key team member on the Central Artery/Tunnel Wharf District Parks project in downtown Boston, MA which was completed in the Spring of 2008.

Employment

Copley Wolff Design Group
2002 - Present
Principal

Copley/Wolff Joint Venture
John Copley and Associates, Inc.
1984 - 2001
Principal

Carol R. Johnson Associates
1980 - 1983
Landscape Architect

BJR, INC.
1977 - 1980
Landscape Architect

Registration

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
No. 726, Landscape Architect

State of Maine
No. 2539, Landscape Architect

State of Michigan
No. 3901000834, Landscape Architect
No. 1301027924, Architect

State of Rhode Island
No. 339, Landscape Architect

State of Texas
No. 2006, Landscape Architect

CLARB
No. 1584, Landscape Architect

John Copley, AIA, ASLA

Education

University of Michigan, *1978*
Master of Landscape Architecture

University of Colorado, *1978*
Master of Architecture

University of Vermont, *1973*
Bachelor of Arts

Lectures/Teaching Experience

A Case Study In Planned Village Development
Build Boston, 2006
Panel Participant

National Trust for Historic Preservation, *2003*
National Town Meeting
Creative Public Realm Initiatives
Speaker

Open-Space Developments: A Case Study, *2002*
BuildBoston
Panel Participant

National Trust for Historic Preservation, *2002*
National Town Meeting
Creative Public Realm Initiatives
Speaker

ASLA Annual Meeting and Expo, *1999*
Art Integration in the Landscape
Boston Schoolyard Initiative
Invited Speaker

The Boston Architectural Center, *1990 - 1992*
Site Design Instruction for NCARB Exam

Harvard University, *1990 - 1992*
Materials and Methods
Visiting Lecturer

New England School of Art and Design, *l986 - 1987*
Architectural Illustration
Instructor

Uniform National Exam (UNE), *1983 - 1987*
Reviewer

Professional Affiliations

American Society of Landscape Architects
Boston Society of Architects
Boston Society of Landscape Architects
Boston Greenspace Alliance
Urban Land Institute

Publications

Cooling the Flock: Christian Science Fountain Renovation
WaterShapes Magazine, October 2002
Author

Timesaver Standards for Landscape Architecture,
Charles Harris, 1989
Contributor

Color Drawing
Michael Doyle, 1981
Contributor

Plan and Section Drawing
Thomas Wang, 1979
Contributor

Arredo Urbano
October 1988
New York Waterfront Competition submission

Exhibits

Municipal Art Society, *1988*
New York Waterfront Competition submission

Fashion Institute, *1988*
New York Waterfront Competition submission

South Street Swing, *1989*
Temporary landscape installation

Public Service

Boston Greenspace Alliance
2000 - present
Board of Directors

Central Artery Joint Development Working Group, *1994 - 1995*
Chairperson

Boston City Hall Plaza Citizens' Advisory Committee
1997 - 1998

Products

Petoskey Bench, *1987*
Landscape Forms
Co-designer and collaborato

Other

John Copley Gallery, *1990*
Exhibiting landscape art and architecture