

roberto rovira

EDUCATION	Rhode Island School of Design , Masters in Landscape Architecture 1998
	Cornell University , Bachelor of Science, Mechanical Engineering 1990
ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE	Florida International University \ Miami, FL \ Associate Professor & Chair of Landscape Architecture Dept. 2011–
	\ Assistant Professor 2005-2011–
PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE	Studio Roberto Rovira, Inc. \ Miami, FL \ Registered Landscape Architect (CA4629) \ Principal 2011–
	Azimuth Studio, Inc. \ California \ Registered Landscape Architect (CA4629) \ Principal 2002–2010
	Arquitectonica Geo \ Miami, FL \ Senior Landscape Architect & Lead Designer 2006–2009
	Jonathan Plant & Associates Landscape Architects \ St. Helena, CA \ Senior Associate 1998-2002
	Stephen Stimson Associates Landscape Architects \ Falmouth, MA \ Intern \ Spring 1998
	Mario Schjetnan, Grupo De Diseño Urbano \ Mexico City, Mexico \ Intern \ Summer 1997
	United States Navy \ USS Thach \ Yokosuka, Japan \ Lieutenant–Honorable Discharge \ Navy Achievement Medal 1990-1994
PUBLICATIONS IN DISCIPLINE	Council for Educators in Landscape Arch. [CELA] Annual Conf. “Urban Nature” \ Los Angeles, CA \ Poster \ Mar. 30-Apr. 02 2011
	“Interpreting time: investigations into the nature of landscape” <i>[blind peer reviewed]</i>
	Council for Educators in Landscape Arch. [CELA] Annual Conf. “Between Art & Science” \ Maastricht, Netherlands \ Paper \ May 12-14 2010
	“Catalysts of the Urban Canvas: Exploring Landscape’s Potential Using Competitions as Pedagogy” <i>[blind peer reviewed]</i>
	d3:dialog>assemble \ New York, NY \ Journal \ Essay \ “Temporal Landscape Mappings” \ Spring \ <i>[peer reviewed]</i> 2011
	Small Scale: Creative Solutions for Better City Living by Keith Moskow and Robert Linn 2010
	Princeton Architectural Press: ISBN-13: 978-1-56898-975-4; published Fall 2010 <i>[features the I-880 Project by Roberto Rovira]</i> .
	ACSA 98th Annual Conference “RE:building” \ New Orleans, LA \ Poster \ Mar. 04-07 2010
	“Interstate-880 Gateway” in the “Architecture in an Expanded Field” category <i>[blind peer reviewed]</i>
	Council for Educators in Landscape Arch. Annual Conference “Teaching & Learning Landscape” \ Tucson, AZ \ Paper \ Jan. 14-17 2009
	“Context As City: Encroachments & Transformations At The Water’s Edge” <i>[blind peer reviewed]</i>
	Design Book Magazine \ www.designbookmag.com \ Article \ Editor Damir Sinovic \ Aug. 17 2008
	“Miami Sunspars: Inspiring, Iconic, Sustainable” <i>[peer reviewed]</i>
	Making Cities Livable Annual Conference “True Urbanism Designing the Healthy City” \ Santa Fe, NM \ Paper \ Jun. 01-05 2008
	“Multifunctional Urban Space: Hudson Square Prints Green! Urban Visions with a Grain of Salt” <i>[blind peer reviewed]</i>
ACSA 96th Annual Conference: “Seeking the City” \ Houston, TX \ Poster \ March 26-28 2008	
“District Prints Green! Landscape Visions with a Grain of Salt” <i>[blind peer reviewed]</i>	
Terrain \ The New York Chapter of the ASLA Newsletter \ Volume 07 No. 2 \ Winter 2007-2008	
“Envisioning Hudson Square” <i>[non peer reviewed]</i>	
ACSA Central Fall Conference: “City/Campus” Conference \ Waterloo, Canada \ Paper \ Oct. 19-21 2007	
“Transit Oriented Collegetown: Planning a New College Town for both City & University” with Jason Chandler and Camilo Rosales <i>[blind peer reviewed]</i>	
Fairchild Tropical Garden Magazine \ Miami, FL \ Book Review \ Fall 2006	
<i>Reinventing the Garden</i> by Louisa Jones (Thames & Hudson: ISBN-10: 0500511330) <i>[non peer reviewed]</i>	
NOISE FOUR \ by The Attik [Harper-Collins: ISBN-10: 1584230940] \ Fall \ <i>[Features installation by Roberto Rovira]</i> 2001	
Book of Cartography: Vol. IV: Stags’ Leap Winery Estate Book 2004	
<i>[Four painted intaglio maps (Topographia, Spirit Map, Estate Vineyards, Manor Grounds) by Roberto Rovira]</i>	
PRESENTED PAPERS & LECTURES	48th International Federation of Landscape Architects [IFLA] World Congress “Scales of Nature” 2011
	“Dynamic Boundaries and Landscape Visions in an Urban-Ecological Context” \ Presentation \ Zurich, Switzerland \ Jun. 27-29
	Seminario de Paisajismo \ Montevideo, Uruguay \ Keynote \ Aug. 18-21 2010
	Council for Educators in Landscape Architecture [CELA] Annual Conference “Between Art & Science” 2010
	Presentation \ Maastricht, Netherlands \ May 12-14
	46th International Federation of Landscape Architects [IFLA] World Congress “Infrastructure: High Performance Landscapes” 2009
	“Warping the Green Edge: Landscape Visions for a Manhattan District” \ Presentation \ Rio de Janeiro, Brazil \ Oct. 21-23
	Escola Tècnica Superior de Barcelona [ETSAB] \ Barcelona, Spain \ Jul. 17 2009
	“Impermanent Infrastructures: Rational & Romantic Derivations at the City’s Edge”
	Council for Educators in Landscape Arch. [CELA] Annual Conf. “Urban Nature” \ Los Angeles, CA \ Poster Presentation \ Mar. 30-Apr. 02 2011
“Interpreting time: investigations into the nature of landscape” <i>[blind peer reviewed]</i>	
LABASH 2010: Annual Conference “Outlandish” \ Presentation \ Las Vegas, NV \ scheduled for Mar. 24-27 2010	
“Infiltrations, Innovations & Discoveries: Landscape as an Unstable Medium”	
Rhode Island School of Design [RISD] \ Alumni Lecture \ Landscape Architecture Department \ Providence, RI \ 02 Apr. 2009	
“Transgressive Practices: Explorations at the Margins of the Field”	

	Council for Educators in Landscape [CELA] Arch. Annual Conf. "Teaching & Learning Landscape" \ Presentation \ Tucson, AZ \ Jan. 14-17 2009	
	"Monumental Pedestrian Icons: Reflecting Place, City & Context"	
	Council for Educators in Landscape Arch. Annual Conf. "Teaching & Learning Landscape" \ Presentation \ Tucson, AZ \ Jan. 14-17 2009	
	"Context As City: Encroachments & Transformations At The Water's Edge"	
	Making Cities Livable Annual Conference "True Urbanism Designing the Healthy City" \ Santa Fe, NM \ Jun. 01-05 2008	
	"Multifunctional Urban Space: Hudson Square Prints Green! Urban Visions with a Grain of Salt"	
	ACSA 96th Annual Conference: "Seeking the City" \ Houston, TX \ Poster Presentation \ Mar. 26-28	2008
	"District Prints Green! Landscape Visions with a Grain of Salt" in the <i>Architecture in an Expanded Field</i> category	
	University of Nevada Las Vegas Lecture Series \ College of Architecture \ Las Vegas, NV \ Mar. 06	2008
	"Encroachments and Transformations: Exploring the Margins of the Field"	
	ACSA Central Fall Conference "City/Campus" Conference \ University of Waterloo \ Cambridge, Canada Oct. 19-21 2007	
	"Transit Oriented Collegetown: Planning a New College Town for both City & University"	
	California College of the Arts City as Canvas Course \ Adjunct Professor Steve Jones \ Oakland, CA \ Feb. 04	2004
	"Guerrilla Gardens"	
	Donovan J. McCune Collection \ John F. Kennedy Library \ Vallejo, CA \ Sep. 21	2003
	"On Mapping Vallejo"	
	University of Nevada Las Vegas \ College of Architecture \ Las Vegas, NV \ Mar. 01	2001
	"Varying Degrees of Impermanence"	
CREATIVE WORK DESIGN COMPETITION WINS	San Francisco Botanical Garden Competition \ Award of Distinction \ San Francisco, CA \ <i>LandShift</i>	2009
	Miami Monument \ First Place \ Miami, FL \ <i>Miami Sunspars</i> \ [1.3% acceptance rate: 1 out of 75 int'l submissions]	2005
	Solano County Government Center Public Art Competition \ First Place \ Fairfield, CA \ <i>The Glass Hull</i>	2005
	Seattle Joint Training Facility Public Art Competition \ First Place \ Seattle, WA \ <i>The Leafbridge</i>	2003
	Asian Community Center Public Art Competition \ First Place \ Sacramento, California \ <i>Cycles of Harvest</i>	2002
	Dalsouple International 100% Design Competition \ First Place \ London, England \ <i>Rubber City Sidewalks</i>	2000
	Oakland I-880 Gateway Public Art Competition \ First Place \ Oakland, CA \ <i>Urban Gateway</i>	1999
CREATIVE WORK EXHIBITS	d3 Post Fact: Visualizing Information \ Monterrey, Mexico \ Group Exhibit \ 22 Feb.-Mar. 07	2011
	Boston Society of Architects \ Boston, MA \ Group Exhibit \ Mar. 01-31	2010
	"Small Scale: Creative Solutions for Better City Living" curated by Keith Moskow & Robert Linn	
	ACSA 98th Annual Conference "RE:building" \ New Orleans, LA \ Poster Exhibit \ Mar. 04-07	2010
	"Interstate-880 Gateway" in the <i>Architecture in an Expanded Field</i> category	
	ACSA 96th Annual Conference "Seeking the City" \ Houston, TX \ Poster Exhibit \ Mar. 26-28	2008
	"District Prints Green! Landscape Visions with a Grain of Salt" in the <i>Architecture in an Expanded Field</i> category	
	International Exhibit of Landscape & Architectural Schools \ Barcelona, Spain \ Sep.-Oct.	2008 & 2010
	for design studios taught by Roberto Rovira	
	New York Public Library \ New York, NY \ Stags' Leap Winery "Cartography" Book \ Apr. 02	2008
	Earl's Court \ London, England \ "100% Design Show" \ Interiors & Artworks Category \ Oct. 05-08	2000
CREATIVE WORK COLLECTIONS	Bancroft Library at UC Berkeley, St. Helena Wine Library, UCLA Special Collections, UC Davis Special Collections, The Wine Reserve (Napa) and Harlan Estates \ Stags' Leap Winery's <i>Estate Book: Book of Cartography</i>	2008
	John F. Kennedy Library Donovan J. McCune Permanent Collection \ Vallejo, CA \ Vallejo Cartography Series I & II	2003
	Naval & Historical Museum Permanent Collection \ Vallejo, CA \ Vallejo Cartography Series I & II	2003
FUNDED RESEARCH / GRANTS	MDX/FIU Advanced Bus Transit System Project TA1 \ PI Thomas Gustafson \ \$182,305	2009-
	FDOT Sweetwater, FL: 107th Ave. Expansion Project Grant \ Co-PI Ebru Ozer \ \$23,000	2007-2008
	Kauffman Professor's Prize \ PI \ \$15,000 \ Sponsored by the Ewing Marion Kauffman Foundation	2006
	City of Opa-Locka, FL: Evaluation & Appraisal Report Community Studio Grant \ PI \ \$10,000	2006
	Five Star Grant Recipient & Wildlife Habitat Council Certification \ \$1,500	2006
HONORS, PRIZES, FELLOWSHIPS RECOGNITION	Finalist in ASLA National Awards [out of 600 entries] \ Analysis & Planning Category \ American Society of Landscape Architects	2009
	"Envisioning Hudson Square: Landscape Visions with a Grain of Salt" Project [<i>with ArquitectonicaGEO</i>]	
	Florida International University "Top Scholar"	2009
	Cooper-Hewitt National Design Museum, National Design Awards Nomination	2008
	ArquitectonicaGEO nominated for Excellence in Landscape Design [<i>Roberto Rovira was Lead Designer for 5 of the 10 projects</i>]	
	Landscape Architect of the Year \ American Institute of Architects-Miami Chapter	2007
	Miami + Beach Biennial Silver Medal in Landscape Architecture \ "Hudson Square Prints Green!" Project	2007
	[<i>Produced by ArquitectonicaGEO with Roberto Rovira as Lead Designer</i>]	
	Miami + Beach Biennial Bronze Medal in the Unbuilt Category \ "Miami Sunspars" Project	2007
	Kauffman Professor's Prize \ Pino Global Entrepreneurship Center-Ewing Marion Kauffman Foundation	2006