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My name is Anne Bjerre and I am an architecture student, currently on a one year exchange from my studies at the Royal Danish Academy of Fine Arts, at the University of Washington's Department of Architecture. I return to Copenhagen, Denmark this summer find a internship for the fall and then prepare for my thesis. I expect to have my masters degree in the winter of 2012, and I am very open to returning to the US to achieve my professional and creative goals.

I study to become an architect, because I believe that our physical environment has a great impact on our lives. I am fascinated with the demand for timeless quality, and the responsibility of architects to build not only for the present, but to create designs that can be beautiful, functional and inspirational in the future.

My goal is to create designs that combine aesthetics and function, because to me, that this is what makes architecture truly great.

After 6 semesters at the Royal Danish Academy of Fine Arts School of Architecture, and 3 quarters at the University of Washington's Department of Architecture I have been introduced to many different assignments, courses, lectures and methods, and I feel that it is when I combine my knowledge and skills from a wide range of sources, that I grow as an architect.

This is why I am now very interested in seeing and experiencing the professional side of being an architect, and utilizing all my skills in a different way than I am used to.

So far, as a student of architecture, certain themes have had great importance to me. The combination of function and aesthetics, and the demand of creating projects that focus on social, economic and ecological sustainability.

The issue of sustainability will shape our future as architects, and we have a great responsibility to widen our knowledge in this field, to make sure we make good decisions, that will have a positive effect on our surroundings.

These themes are what I wish to focus on in my future both as a student and as an architect.

Education:

2010-2011: Exchange student at the UW Department of Architecture, graduate program.

2010: Bachelors of Architecture from the Royal Danish Academy of Fine Arts School of Architecture.

2007-2010: Studies at the Royal Academy's School of Architecture's department 3, process and methodology.

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Thank you,

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