

## - Curriculum Vitae -



### 1.- EDUCATION

#### 1.1.- In Miami, Florida - U.S.A.:

- Bachelor of Architecture (5yr - Professional Degree) at the University of Miami (Sept. 1998 - May 11, 2001). Graduated Cum Laude.

#### 1.2.- In Oviedo, Asturias - SPAIN:

- Course on Windows Graphic Design Technician (Sept. 1996 - Jun. 1997).

- Course on International Export Market Specialist (Oct. -Dec. 1995).

#### 1.3.- In Miami, Florida - U.S.A.:

- Associate in Arts Degree (Architecture) at the Miami Dade Community College - South Campus (Sept. 1985 - May 1989). Graduated with honors.

#### 1.4.- In Valencia - SPAIN:

- Escuela Técnica Superior de Arquitectura de la Universidad Politécnica de Valencia. (Sept. 1981 - Jun. 1982 & Sept. 1982 - Mar. 1983).

#### 1.5.- In Oviedo, Asturias - SPAIN:

- Up to High School in the Colegio Hermanos Maristas de Oviedo. (Sept. 1968 - Jun. 1981).

### 2.- PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

#### 2.1.- PABLO RIESTRA (October 2003 - present)

A step-by-step to Realistic Pencil Portraits Class Instructor in the West Windsor - Plainsboro Adult Community Education School & at the Princeton High School Adult Education

[\(Offered Courses\)](#)

#### 2.2.- MICHAEL GRAVES & ASSOCIATES (July 2001 - present) [Michael Graves & Associates](#)

Address: 341 Nassau St.; Princeton, New Jersey, U.S.A.; Contact: Michael Graves; Ph.: 609 924 6409

Involved in projects such as:

- The Nashville Federal Courthouse (Nashville, Tennessee, USA; September 2003)

-Renovation of the Bates House (Princeton, New Jersey, USA; July 2003)

-The Ojeh Residence (Geneva, Switzerland; May 2001-June 2001)

-Renovation and Addition to The Arts Council of Princeton (Princeton, New Jersey, USA; January 2003)

-Renovation and Addition to The Detroit Institute of Arts (Detroit, Michigan, USA; July 2001-December 2002)

[\(Architectural Works for Michael Graves & Associates\)](#)

### **2.3.- PABLO RIESTRA (April 1998 - July 2001)**

Self-employed as freelancer in architectural design, working drawings elaboration, and other drafting services and renderings.

Most of the works have been for the firms Arvelo & Associates, Inc., J. Bonfill & Associates, Inc., David J. Cabarrocas Architect, Trelles Architects, Inc., and John Weller Architect & Landscape Architect producing working drawings for most of the following projects: the Renovation to Burgoyne Residence, Estarela's Residence, Remodelation and Addition to Peter Playfair Residence, (3)Villalon Residences, Bruce Mordhagen Residence, ... ; Duplex for Homes by E.M.B., Inc., Low Income Housing for Venezuela by E.M.B., Inc., Kon Nun Lee's Residence, Guillermo Rubio's Residence, Chocano's Residence, Florez's Residence, Luis Flores' Residence, Alcides González Residence, Bradley B. Gruss Residence, Residencia Iberoamericana by A.C.U., Marina Avenue Residences, Enriqueta Florez Residence, Capiro Affordable Apartments, Alicia Beceña Residence, Casariego Residence, Higinio Diaz Residence, Oleander Street Residence, Fisher Street Residence, Key Colony Duplex, Mocking Bird Apartments, ... ; Touret, Palma, the Taft Street, the Addition to Glowacky's Residence, the Addition to Dr. Pinnas' Residence, ... ; Boarding Platform for SunCruz VI, the Collins' Courtyard Building, the Wilson's Residence, the Biltmore Hotel Villas, the Addition to Malvina's Residence, the Addition to Ulrich's Residence, ... ([Architectural Presentations](#))

### **2.4.- JOSE PABLO RIESTRA SILVESTRE (August 1993 - January 1998)**

Own company for study, search and opening of international markets.

Contracted by Metalúrgica del Nalón, S.A. (MENASA)

Address: Polígono Industrial de Meriñán s/n, Lada, Langreo, Asturias (Spain)

Contact Person: General Manager; Ph.: 011 34 8 569 6951

Menasa is a steel foundry that manufactures high alloyed wear resistant castings. Part of the labor was to work together with the Export's Dpt. to expand the business to other countries by opening new markets or increasing the number of customers, to help, to coordinate and to search for competitive raw materials outside Spain. Responsible for the design of a new estimate/quotation/order process software, design and creation of software/database to control the wood model's stock, advertising design, folder design for ISO 9000 compliance, Autocad's manufacturing shop drawings for steel castings, etc. My last work was to introduce MENASA to field-related companies in Asia: Indonesia, Thailand, Malaysia, Singapur and the Philippines.

### **2.5.- DU PONT ASTURIAS (June 1993)**

Address: Valle de Tamón; Avilés (Spain). Contact Person: Personnel's Manager; Ph.: 011 34 8 512 4329

Position: Translator for American Du Pont engineers explaining working machinery procedures to spanish workers in their new Nomex manufacturing facilities.

### **2.6.- JUEGOS EDUCATIVOS DIDACTO (January 1993 - April 1994)**

Víctor Saenz 8, bajo; Oviedo (Spain).

Own company for the design of several boardgames, and also the development, assembly and distribution of the children's boardgame "El Peregrino". 5,000 copies, in four languages, which were sold to the Ayuntamiento de Oviedo (Oviedo's County) to develop the pilgrimage to Santiago de Compostela in Galicia passing by the Cathedral of Oviedo... ([Boardgames](#))

### **2.7.- ARTGRADEL - Artes Gráficas y Delineación (March 1992 - December 1997)**

González Besada 31, 1º C; Julián Clavería 4, 2º; Oviedo (Spain).

Own company for graphic works such as architectural presentations including models, publicity designs and industrial drawings. ([Graphic Works](#))

## **2.8.- AMERIKOOLER, INC. (June 1989 - March 1992)**

5561 NW 36 Avenue; Miami, Florida, U.S.A.; Contact Person: Renato Alonso (Owner) ; Ph.: 305-634-5144

Position: Engineering Dpt.'s Manager. Responsible for shop drawings and bill of materials. In charge of the buying and control of the stock for refrigerating components and coordination of local projects for this company that manufactures industrial walk-in coolers and freezers.

## **3.- OTHER WORK EXPERIENCES**

### **3.1.- ENCYCLOPAEDIA BRITANNICA (April 1992 - May 1992)**

Gijón, Asturias, Spain

Position: Salesperson

### **3.2.- BURDINES (April 1984 - April 1989)**

7201 NW 27 Avenue, Miami, Florida, U.S.A.

Position: Athletic Shoes Dpt.'s Supervisor. Also, responsible for the load and control of merchandising for the opening of the store #31, in Boynton Beach, Florida. (Last 2 yrs. on a part-time basis while going full-time to Miami-Dade Community College).

### **3.3.- WINN DIXIE STORES (September 1987 - December 1987)**

8710 SW 72 St., Store#370, Miami, Florida, U.S.A.

Position: Evening bag-boy part-time.

### **3.4.- MONCHI CARPETS (April 1983 - June 1983 & Jan 1984 - April 1984)**

Miami, Florida, U.S.A.

Position: Carpet installer

### **3.5.- CARLOS REYES WOODSHOP (June 1983 - December 1983)**

Le Jeune Rd., Miami, Florida, U.S.A.

Position: Carpenter's assistant

## **4.- OTHER SKILLS**

+ Computer User level:

- Microsoft Windows+
- Microsoft Word, Excel, Access, ...
- Corel Draw!, Corel Photo Paint, 3DS Studio Max, 3D VIZ ...
- Adobe Illustrator, Photoshop, ...
- Autodesk AutoCAD for Windows and DOS, ...

+ Industrial Photography.

+ Fluent English, Spanish and fair French.

## **5.- AWARDS**

+ Florida Foundation Bronze Medal Award (FAIA).

+ Induction to Tau Sigma Delta Honor Society.

+ Bill Gates Scholarship (Sep. 2000 - May 2001)

+ Henry King Stanford Scholarship (Sept. 1998 - May 2001)