

CURRENT ROLES AND RESPONSIBILITIES

BEACON DEVELOPMENT GROUP (2020-present)
Construction Manager, Washington Office

Laila brings real-world experience to her Beacon projects as both an architect and contractor. She partners with non-profit organizations offering strong support and guidance through the entire development process whether its new construction, renovation, or tenant improvements. She ensures project design and construction goals are met, evaluates and guides project feasibility and supports project cost management.

PAST PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

SPECTRUM DEVELOPMENT SOLUTIONS (2019-2020)
Development Manager

Laila provided oversight of architectural design and construction for Seattle Children's Hospital Facilities Planning and Development department. Responsibilities included developing and managing project budgets, ensuring projects met schedule, and that design complied with hospital standards.

KREKOW JENNINGS (2013-2019)
Project Manager

Laila's various roles included construction project management, site supervision and project engineering resulting in a robust understanding of all aspects of the construction process. She managed construction budgets and schedules, guided clients to ensure goals were met, and oversaw contract subcontractors.

SRG PARTNERSHIP (2004-2012)
Associate Architect

Laila worked on all phases of architectural design from preliminary through construction administration on civic buildings, historic renovation and higher education projects. She was a key team member in facilitating the implementation of the major Pike Place Market Renovation.

REPRESENTATIVE PROJECTS

CHIEF SEATTLE CLUB-MONTEREY LOFTS, Seattle, WA
Chief Seattle Club, Rehabilitation and seismic upgrade of office and program space.

ETHIOPIAN VILLAGE, Seattle, WA
HumanGood Affordable Housing and Ethiopian Community of Seattle, New construction of 90-unit senior apartment building.

ST. FRANCES HOUSE, Seattle, WA
Tenant improvement for a new service center serving homeless and extremely low-income households.

EDUCATION & COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

UNIVERSITY OF IDAHO: BS and Master of Architecture, 2004

UNIVERSITY OF ALASKA: A.A. Art-Sculpture, 1999

HOUSING DEVELOPMENT CONSORTIUM OF SEATTLE-KING COUNTY

