

Robert F. Fox Jr.



Bob Fox is one of New York City’s most highly respected leaders in the green building movement. Widely recognized for leadership in sustainability and design excellence, Bob’s work has established him as an influential voice in the architectural profession, the business community, and in service to the public sector. In 2003, Bob joined with Rick Cook to form Cook+Fox Architects, a firm devoted to creating beautiful, environmentally responsible high-performance buildings. The firm is best known for its design of the Bank of America Tower at One Bryant Park, the first commercial skyscraper to receive LEED Platinum certification from the US Green Building Council and the second tallest building in New York City.

The only architect on Mayor Michael Bloomberg’s Advisory Council for the Office of Long-Term Planning and Sustainability, Bob joins other sustainability experts and public policy advisors in guiding the Mayor’s ambitious goals for the future of New York City. Additionally, he is the Founding Chair and Chair Emeritus of the US Green Building Council/NY Chapter, is a GSA Peer Reviewer, the Chairman of the GSA Green Building Advisory Committee, and a member of the Interface Dream Green Team.

Other major projects completed in New York include the influential 4 Times Square / Condé Nast Headquarters, which set new standards for energy efficient high-rise buildings. Bob also led the team that created the original Residential and Commercial Environmental “Green Guidelines” for the Battery Park City Authority in Lower Manhattan. The Green Guidelines have resulted in over 5 million square feet of LEED Gold and Platinum buildings.

In the summer of 2006, Bob and Rick joined Bill Browning and Chris Garvin to form the strategic consulting firm, Terrapin Bright Green LLC. His goal for the firm is to apply his experience designing beautiful, green buildings to a broader spectrum of planning and policy projects, and to help creative clients make a difference at all levels.

Bob has been honored with many awards, including a Leadership Award from the US Green Building Council, the New York City Council’s inaugural “Big Green Apple” Award, and the Urban Visionary Award from the Cooper Union. Bob received a Bachelor of Architecture degree from Cornell University and a Master of Architecture from Harvard University. He and his wife Gloria live in New York City and the Hudson River Valley.

Resume

Education

Cornell University, Ithaca, NY
Bachelor of Architecture, 1965

Harvard University, Boston, MA
Masters of Architecture, 1972

Professional License

Registered in California, Connecticut, Florida, Massachusetts, New Jersey, New York, NCARB (1968)

Awards Received

- 2009 Gotham Giant Award, Museum of the City of New York
- 2008 Rachel Carson Environmental Award, Natural Products Association
- 2006 Leadership Award, USGBC
- 2006 Big Green Apple Award, New York City Council
- 2002 Urban Visionary Award, Cooper Union

Public Service

Founding Chair, United States Green Building Council (USGBC) - New York Chapter
Advisory Council, New York City Mayor’s Office of Long Term Planning and Sustainability
Board Member, Center for Health and the Global Environment, Harvard University
Industry Advisor, USGBC - NY Green Codes Task Force
Special Advisor, World Trade Center Site for Governor George Pataki
Member, NYC Metropolitan Transportation Authority’s Blue Ribbon Sustainability Commission
Member, President’s Council at The Cooper Union
Member, President’s Council for the Scenic Hudson
Advisory Board Member, Urban Design Lab, Columbia University
Board Member, De La Salle Academy
Member, “Green Dream Team”, Interface Corporation

Publications

“Provocations: Sustainable Architecture Today”, Council on Tall Buildings and Urban Habitat Technical Paper, 2008

Bob Fox, Bob Berkebile and Alice Hartley, “Reflections on Implementing Biophilic Design”, Biophilic Design, John Wiley & Sons, 2007

Preface. Fox & Fowle: Function, Structure, Beauty, L’Arcaedizioni, 1999

Television Appearances

- CBS Early Show, October 13th, 2008
- “The Big Green Apple” e2, PBS, 2006
- “Building a Skyscraper” Modern Marvels, History Channel, 2004

Project Experience

Cook+Fox Architects, Founding Partner, New York, NY 2003-Present

In Progress

130 West 12th Street, Rudin Management Company, New York, NY
Riverside Greenway Comfort Station, Riverside Clay Tennis Association, New York, NY
Designed to fulfill the Living Building Challenge
From the Ground Up: Innovative Green Homes, Winning competition entry 2009, Syracuse, NY
RCTA Tennis House, Riverside Clay Tennis Association, New York, NY
*Designed to fulfill the Living Building Challenge
City Point, Albee Development, Brooklyn, NY
*Designed to achieve LEED Gold
South Pier Improvement Project, USPowerGen, Brooklyn, NY
*Designed to achieve LEED Platinum
150 Charles Street Condominiums, Witkoff Group, New York, NY
*Designed to achieve LEED Gold
Hegeman Residence, Common Ground, Brooklyn, NY
*Designed to achieve LEED Silver

2010 Congress Street Government Garage Center, Redevelopment, Winning Competition Entry, Boston, MA
*Designed to achieve LEED Platinum
The Bank of America Tower at One Bryant Park, The Durst Organization/Bank of America, New York, NY
*Projected to be the world's first LEED Platinum high-rise office building
*Featured in the Center for Architecture's Project showcase 2008
*Featured in the Skyscraper Museum's 2006 Green Towers exhibit
*Subject of National Geographic Television's Man Made: Ultimate Skyscraper NYC
*Project of the Year, Society of American Registered Architects (2009)
*Grand Prize, 2009 Buildings Project Innovations Awards – Greener Facilities
*Best Green Project of 2008, New York Construction Magazine
*Grand Award, Popular Science Best of What's New (2005)
*American Council of Engineering Companies National Finalist (2010)

2009 Henry Miller's Theater, The Durst Organization/Bank of America, New York, New York
*Projected to be LEED Gold
*USITT 2010 Architecture Merit Award
Skanska USA New York Headquarters, Skanska USA, 32nd floor of Empire State Building, New York, NY
*LEED Platinum
148 Lafayette Street, Louis Dreyfus Property Group, New York, NY
*LEED Gold
Environmental Guidelines for Existing Residential Buildings, Battery Park City Authority, New York, NY
*Will eventually result in 6 million SF of Existing LEED rated buildings
Elie Tahari Showroom and Headquarters (Unbuilt), Elie Tahari Ltd., New York, NY
*Designed to achieve LEED Platinum
The Lucida, Extell Development, New York, NY
*Green Matters Magazine Award, 2008
*Projected to be LEED certified
Syracuse University West Campus Masterplan, Syracuse University, Syracuse, NY
*Will eventually result in 6 square blocks of mixed-use LEED accredited buildings



Project Experience

2008 Friends Center at the Angkor Hospital for Children, Siem Reap, Cambodia
*BSA/AIA Healthcare Facilities Design Awards, Honor Award, 2008
The Green Initiative: Self Sufficiency for NGOS Through Clean Energy, Siem Riep, Cambodia
*Finalist, Buckminster Fuller Challenge, 2010
Waterfront Tower, New York, NY (competition entry)
*AIA-NY Design Awards, Projects, Honor Award, 2008
99th Street, Extell Development, New York, NY
Janari Residence, JANARI, Eastern Long Island, NY
Pantigo Residence at 15 Central Park West, Pantigo LLC, New York, NY

2007 401 West 14th Street, Taconic Investment Partners, New York, NY
*Award of Merit for Adaptive Reuse, AIA-NYS, 2009
11 Christopher Street
*Award of Merit for Adaptive Reuse, AIA-NYS (2009)

2006 641 Avenue of the Americas, Cook+Fox Architects Office, New York, NY
*First project in New York State to earn LEED Platinum certification
*Featured in National Geographic "Up on the Roof,"2009

2005 Historic Front Street, Yarrow LLC New York, New York
*AIA-NY/ Boston Society of Architects, Honor Award for Housing Design, 2006
*Municipal Art Society, MASTerworks Award for Best Residential Construction, 2006
*New York Landmarks Conservancy, Lucy G. Moses Preservation Award, 2006
*Congress for the New Urbanism, Charter Award, 2006
*Preservation League of New York State, Excellence in Historic Preservation, 2006
*Featured in National Building Museum's "Green House" exhibition, 2006
26-30 West 18th Street, Hakimian Organization, New York, NY
330 East 72nd Street, Intell Development, New York, NY
111 Greene Street, Goldman Properties, New York, NY

Terrapin Bright Green LLC, Founding Partner, New York, NY 2006-Present

2009 Environmental Opportunities Charrettes, New York, NY
* Skanska USA Office
* Large Commercial Facilities Planning
* One Congress Street

2008 Global Sustainable Infrastructure Collaborative, Kauai, HI
2015 International Milan Expo, Alliance for Climate Protection, Milan, Italy
Transportation Corridor Infill, Washington DC
Cacique Resort Development, Guanacaste, Costa Rica

2007 Masterplan for New Songdo City, Gale International & The Whitman Strategy Group, New Songdo, Korea
Green Branding of "Element" Hotels, Starwood Hotels, Worldwide

Project Experience

Fox & Fowle Architects, Founding Partner, New York, NY 1978-2003

- 2005

The Helena, The Durst Organization, New York, NY

*LEED Gold

*Featured in the Skyscraper’s Museum’s 2006 Green Towers exhibit

*EPA Green Building Competition Winner, 2006

*Global Green Design Award, 2004

*Society of American Registered Architects, Design Award of Honor, 2006
- 2003

New School Arnhold Hall, New School University, New York, NY
- 2001

Reuters Building at 3 Times Square

Avaya Headquarters, Avaya, Basking Ridge, New Jersey
- 2000

Industrial and Commercial Bank of China, Industrial and Commercial Bank of China, Shanghai, China

*NY Society of American Registered Architect’s Award of Excellence, 2002

New School University, Robert J. Milano Graduate School, New York, NY
- 1999

4 Times Square, New York, NY

*The first green office tower, setting new standards for environmental construction and development

*AIA National Honor Award for Excellence in Design

*Featured in 2003 National Building Museum’s “Big & Green” exhibit

*NY Society of American Registered Architect’s Award of Merit, 2002

Residential and Commercial Environmental Guidelines, Battery Park City Authority, New York, NY

*Will eventually result in 5 million SF of LEED Gold buildings

New School University, Knowledge Union, New School University, New York, NY

Times Square Interim Project, The Metropolitan Transportation Authority NY City Transit Authority and Times Square Center Associates, New York, NY

Finger Lakes Blue Cross/Blue Shield Headquarters, Finger lakes Blue Cross/Blue Shield, Rochester, NY

99 Jane Street, Rockrose Development Corporation, New York, NY

1998

Bay Networks Regional Offices and Executive Briefing Center, Bay Networks, New York, NY

American Bible Society, American Bible Society, New York, NY

*AIA New York State Award of Merit, 2000

*International Facilities Management Design Excellence Award, 1998

1996

Herman Miller Showroom, Herman Miller, New York, NY

Tenneco Executive Offices and Conference Center, Tenneco Inc., Greenwich, CT

1995

Main Entrance to Times Square Subway Station, The Metropolitan Transportation Authority/ NY City Transit Authority and Times Square Center Associates, New York, NY

Bausch & Lomb World Headquarters, Bausch & Lomb, Rochester, NY
- The logo for Cook+Fox, featuring a stylized cross shape composed of four colored squares: a light blue square at the top, a yellow square at the bottom, a grey square on the left, and a light blue square on the right. The text "Cook+Fox" is written in a sans-serif font across the center of the cross.
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101 Avenue of the Americas, Edward J. Minskoff Equities, New York, NY

1991

Le Grand Palais, Benenson Capital Corp. and Loews Corporation, New York, NY

1990

Embassy Suites Times Square, Silverstein Properties, Embassy Suites, New York, NY

1675 Broadway, Rudin Management Company, New York, NY

*Excellence in Design Award, AIA NY, 1988

*Interiors Award, Best Institutional Project, 1988

*Excellence in Design Award, AIA NY, 1986

1989

US Trust Building, Durst Organization, New York, NY

222 Riverside Condominiums, Royco Property Corporation, New York, NY

1987

CIT Building at 650 Madison Avenue, Prudential Insurance, New York, NY

1986

One Seaport Tower at 40 Fulton Street, Kalabi Realty Company, New York, NY

Broad Financial Center, Howard P. Ronson, New York, NY

527 Madison, Louis Dreyfus Property Group, New York, NY

1985

American Craft Museum, American Craft Council, New York, NY

1984

45 Broadway Atrium, Ronson/Royco, New York, NY

1983

National Westminster Bank at 175 Water Street, National Westminster Bank Group, New York, NY

55 Broadway, Howard P. Ronson, New York, NY

1982

Tower 56, Howard P. Ronson, New York, NY

1980

767 Third Avenue, William Kaufman Organization, New York, NY