

## profile & resume



Allan Barboza was born in San José, Costa Rica. In 1993 he received his architectural degree from Universidad Autónoma de Centro America in San Jose, Costa Rica. He expanded his education in 1992 receiving courses of landscape renovation and maintenance. In order to contribute to a responsible educational experience for children, in 1996 he attended the professional program "The Child Care Institute" at Harvard University Graduate School of Design and Tufts University. In 2004 he received the official training to become a Costa Rican licensed realtor advisor with special interest on investors.

Allan has practiced architecture for the past 34 years in Costa Rica since he was a college student. His positions throughout his career cover from being a draftsman to a design principal. He started his professional experience as a draftsman working with local renowned architect and award winner Bruno Stagno where he engaged in bio-climatic design and sustainable architecture until these days. Later he worked as a project manager, space planner and interior designer for Rodace Development Company at a 47 unit residential complex. Allan began to develop his productive maturity becoming the leading architect in Architect Alvaro Retana & Associates where he participated in various commercial projects but mostly in residential projects including some of up to 150+ units.

With the mission of offering projects with architectural excellence he established his own architectural firm and building company, focusing his professional career in design-build projects which range from ground-up design projects to interior and landscape architecture, renovations and expansions. Allan's special interest for bioclimatic and sustainable designs makes his work rich in awareness and sensitivity. The personalized service, attention to details, environmental considerations and quality control of the construction process results in a high-level architectural experience.

### PERSONAL INFORMATION

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### CONTINUING EDUCATION

Basic Course for Performance in Realty 11/2003  
 Cámara Costarricense de Corredores de Bienes Raíces  
 San José, Costa Rica  
 The Child Care Institute 6/1996  
 Harvard University, Graduate School of Design  
 Cambridge, Massachusetts U.S.A

### EDUCATION

Licenciate Degree in Architecture 1991 - 1993  
 Stvdivm Generale, Universidad Autónoma de Centroamérica  
 San José, Costa Rica  
 Bachelor Degree in Architecture 1987 - 1991  
 Stvdivm Generale, Universidad Autónoma de Centroamérica  
 San José, Costa Rica  
 High School Diploma 1973 - 1986  
 Lincoln High School  
 San José, Costa Rica

The Child Care Institute 6/1996  
 Tufts University, Department of Child Study  
 Medford, Massachusetts U.S.A.

Landscape Styles 8/1995  
 Colegio Federado de Ingenieros y Arquitectos  
 San José, Costa Rica

Autocad – Intensive and Advance Course 5/1992 – 12/1992  
 Sistemas de Computación Avanzados S.A.  
 Authorized Autodesk Dealer  
 San José, Costa Rica

Basic Maintenance of Ornamental Plants 6/1992  
 Club de Jardines de Costa Rica  
 San José, Costa Rica

### PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Allan Barboza Arquitecto Studio | AB Arquitectura 1993 - present  
 Senior Architect  
 San José, Costa Rica

Landscape Renovation 5/1992  
 Club de Jardines de Costa Rica  
 San José, Costa Rica

Arquitecto Alvaro Retana & Asociados S.A. 1991 - 1993  
 Architectural Design Principal  
 San José, Costa Rica

### MEMBERSHIPS

Costa Rican Federated Association of Engineers and Architects  
 San José, Costa Rica 1993 - present

Proyectos Dinámicos Rodace S.A. 1990 - 1991  
 Architectural Design Principal and Project Manager  
 San José, Costa Rica

Costa Rican Chamber of Real Estate Brokers 2005  
 San José, Costa Rica

Arquitecto Alvaro Retana & Asociados S.A. 1988 - 1990  
 Architectural Designer  
 San José, Costa Rica

Chamber of Architecture and Engineering Consultants 2007  
 San José, Costa Rica

Arquitecto Bruno Stagno & Asociados S.A. 1987  
 Drafting Studio  
 San José, Costa Rica

### PERSONAL REFERENCES

Barboza & Compañía S.A. 1984 – 1987  
 Administration Assistant  
 San José, Costa Rica

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