



## DHM DESIGN

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Associate

*Ashleigh is a MLA graduate from the University of Colorado Denver, also earning a previous B.A. degree in Environmental Science from the University of Denver. Her background in earth sciences and interpretive tour guiding inspire her to integrate projects with the surrounding ecology, geology, and social landscape. Ashleigh's experience at DHM has included ranch master planning and design, urban parks, schools, and ecological restoration projects. Having lived in the southwest her entire life, she intimately understands Rocky Mountain landscapes and spends much of her free time exploring the mountains, rivers, and deserts of the region.*

## ABOUT

### EDUCATION

M. of Landscape Architecture  
University of Colorado Denver, 2012  
B. of Arts in Environmental Science  
University of Denver, 2006

### AWARDS

Member of Tau Sigma Delta Honor Society  
Beta Lambda Chapter, 2012

### RECENT PROJECTS

Angler Heritage Trail; Thornton, CO  
Arvada Holistic Health and Fitness Park; Arvada, CO  
Aspen Valley Ranch; Aspen, CO  
Aspen Valley Ski Club Side Yard Venue; Aspen, CO  
Basalt Parks, Open Space, and Trails Master Plan;  
Basalt, CO  
BelleJackBlue Ranch; Woody Creek, CO  
Brighton Elementary School Yard; Brighton, CO  
Cahill All-Abilities Playground; Cheyenne, Wyoming  
Clear W Ranch; Snowmass, CO  
Eagle's Rise Ranch; Snowmass, CO  
Erie Downtown Redevelopment Plan; Erie, CO  
Fishing Destination Ranch; Eagle County, CO  
Mountain Queen Residence; Aspen, CO  
Rocky Mountain Institute; Basalt, CO  
Trail Winds Recreation Center; Thornton, CO  
Yellowstone Canyon Lodge; Yellowstone, WY

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## NOTABLE WORK

### Fishing Destination Ranch | Eagle County, CO

DHM Design developed a master plan for this 143 acre ranch that lies within the Frying Pan River Valley. A 3/4 mile stretch of Gold Medal waters runs through the heart of this property, offering extraordinary fishing access and providing inspiration for the development of the ultimate fishing retreat. DHM Design is working with The Aspen Valley Land Trust, which has a conservation easement on the property, to protect the riparian ecosystems and surrounding high desert habitat, but still allows for development within specific building envelopes.

### Eagle's Rise Ranch | Basalt, CO

In collaboration with the consultant team, DHM Design created a master plan for the 70 acre Eagle's Rise Ranch located in the Roaring Fork Valley, adjacent to Snowmass Creek. The new owner seeks to transform the existing horse ranch into an olympic grade Dressage Training Facility, which will include indoor and outdoor arenas with olympic grade footing and materials, year-round paddocks, a new barn and outbuildings, and redesigned fencing and irrigation. In addition to the dressage facilities, a new residence is being designed with adjacent spa, firepit, outdoor dining, and native plantings.

### Pike's Peak | Colorado Springs, CO

Pikes Peak America's Mountain is a beloved landmark and tourist destination for people locally and from around the world. At 14,115', the peak can be reached by the Pikes Peak Highway, Manitou and Pikes Peak Cog Railway and by foot via the Barr or Crags trails. DHM Design has developed numerous site concepts being mindful of pedestrian, vehicular and cog circulation, drainage basins, grey water reuse, viewsheds and sight lines, cultural resources, delicate alpine tundra, and permafrost while balancing the needs of numerous agencies including; the City of Colorado Springs, Pikes Peak Americas Mountain, the U.S. Forest Service, the National Park Service, the U.S. Army Research Institute of Environmental Medicine, Colorado Springs Utilities, Pikes Peak Cog Railway, and numerous advocacy groups. Most importantly, the design does not lose sight of giving every visitor the experience of being on top of a fourteener, a once in a lifetime experience for some.