



DHM DESIGN

CHRIS BRANDT

Associate | Professional Landscape Architect (CO)

As a landscape architect, Chris has substantial experience in design, in-depth construction detailing, and hand drawn graphics. A native Oregonian transplanted to Colorado, his professional interests gravitate towards the sustainable use of water and the thoughtful inclusion of rainwater as a design amenity. His knowledge of materials paired with a strong understanding of construction methods has contributed to a richly diverse group of built environments.

ABOUT

EDUCATION

B. of Landscape Architecture
University of Oregon, 1997

REGISTRATIONS

Professional Landscape Architect | Colorado

BOARDS

Red Hill Council; Carbondale, CO
Board Member, Trail Work Crew Leader

RECENT PROJECTS

Hallam Bluff Private Residence; Aspen, CO
Aspen Club; Aspen, CO
Telluride Transfer Southwest Corner; Telluride, CO
Loop PDX; Portland OR
4 Diamond Ranch; Wilsall, MT
Basalt River Restoration; Basalt, CO
Moonlight Basin Lodge; Big Sky, MT
Orchard Mesa Detention Pond; Grand Junction, CO
Aspen Valley Ranch; Aspen, CO
Little Woody Creek Residence; Woody Creek, CO
June Bug Ranch; Eagle County, CO
Snake River Club; Jackson, WY
Cabot Cliffs; Inverness, Nova Scotia, Canada
Roaring Fork Club; Roaring Fork Valley, CO

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NOTABLE WORK

Little Woody Creek Private Residence | Woody Creek, CO

DHM developed plans for this family ranch of 128 acres, located in the upper reaches of the narrow Little Woody Creek Valley in Pitkin County, Colorado. Our planning efforts include ecological and site analysis, as well as the remodel of three existing dwellings, siting of a new house, driveway, barns, and outbuildings within the context of an existing hay meadow and along an existing stream. Utilizing a sensitive design approach, DHM has carefully limited development to envelopes adjacent to existing agricultural zones, avoiding stream setback zones while maximizing views of the Elk Mountains. Nestled against adjacent National Forest Service lands, the uppermost portion of the property will be kept undisturbed to preserve the site's rich ecosystem and habitat value while creating opportunity for wildlife viewing.

True Nature Healing Arts | Carbondale, CO

True Nature Healing Arts (TNHA) garden is a peaceful sanctuary, free and open to the public from dawn to dusk. The therapeutic environment incorporates several healing modalities, including a labyrinth, reflexology path, outdoor yoga space, outdoor massage area, and contemplative gardens. The movement between gardens and building is completely integrated and activity moves seamlessly from one area to the next. Designed to inspire, each element is carefully conceived and shaped to support the healing work undertaken at the yoga studio and spa. Each detail of the garden is carefully and artfully crafted. Recent site expansion includes a new alley parking and entrance, leading visitors to an underground Kiva yoga space and spa treatment rooms, featuring a green roof.

Aspen Valley Ranch | Aspen, CO

DHM Design is creating a master plan for the Aspen Valley Ranch, located in the heart of the Roaring Fork Valley. The 800+ acre ranch borders the White River National Forest and has been a working ranch since the 1800's. That tradition will continue with the restoration of the historic barn, new agricultural buildings, residential buildings, pasture restoration, the design and installation of a new irrigation system, and extensive habitat improvements.