

# CV

Brian Yang | Partner



## Biography

Brian Yang joined BIG in 2007 and has worked closely with Bjarke Ingels across a wide range of projects and typologies such as an energy efficient skyscraper currently under construction in Shenzhen, the 8 House, a residential building in Copenhagen, and the conceptual design of a mobile gallery for the Tate Modern in London. He has been the Project Leader on a number of competition winning proposals, including a new Waste-to-Energy plant in Copenhagen that doubles as a ski slope, a contemporary art museum in Norway that bridges across a river, and a sustainable wood construction multifamily residential development in Finland. Most recently he has been the design leader for The LEGO House, a new LEGO experience center in Denmark opening in the second half of 2017. With a background in energy efficiency research as well as undergraduate studies in economics, Brian brings additional focus on environmental and economic sustainability into all of his projects. Prior to joining BIG, Brian worked at a number of practices internationally, and while at Harvard University's Graduate School of Design, led a project team for a pavilion exhibited at the 2009 Gwangju Design Biennale in South Korea.

## Languages

English | Chinese (Mandarin) | Danish (basic)

## Education

Master of Architecture | Harvard University Graduate School of Design | Cambridge, US  
AB Economics, B.F.A Photography | Washington University | St. Louis, US

## Selected Experience

Bjarke Ingels Group | Since 2007 | Copenhagen, DK  
LEGO House | 7,600 m<sup>2</sup> | Completion 2017 | Billund, DK | Project leader  
Amager Resource Center | 95.000 m<sup>2</sup> | Completion 2017 | Copenhagen, DK | Project leader  
Museum Center Blåvand | 2.500 m<sup>2</sup> | Completion 2016 | Blåvand, DK | Project leader  
Shenzhen Energy Mansion | 96.000 m<sup>2</sup> | Completion 2016 | Shenzhen, CN | Architect  
Fusion for Energy HQ | 7,600 m<sup>2</sup> | Barcelona, ES | Project leader  
Cairnhill Residences | 70,000 m<sup>2</sup> | Singapore, SG | Project leader  
Billund Squares Masterplan | 7,600 m<sup>2</sup> | Billund, DK | Project leader  
Kistefos Museum | 1,800 m<sup>2</sup> | Jevnaker, NO | Project leader  
Ecology + Economy Housing | 15.000 m<sup>2</sup> | Kouvola, FI | Project leader  
Saint Louis Mixed Use Masterplan | 210.000 m<sup>2</sup> | St. Louis, US | Project leader  
Musée National des Beaux-Arts du Québec | 30.000 m<sup>2</sup> | Québec, CA | Project leader  
Chongqing Circus City | 33.300 m<sup>2</sup> | Chongqing, CN | Project Leader  
8 House, Mixed Use | 62.000 m<sup>2</sup> | Completion 2010 | Copenhagen, DK | Architect  
Zig Zag Housing | 25.000 m<sup>2</sup> | Copenhagen, DK | Architect  
Scala Tower | 45.000 m<sup>2</sup> | Copenhagen, DK | Architect

Carlo Ratti Associati | 2008 | IT

Höweler + Yoon Architecture | 2006 | US

## Awards

LEGO Brand Experience Center | 2013 | 1st Prize | DK  
Amager Resource Center Waste-to-Energy Plant | 2010 | 1st Prize | DK  
Kistefos Museum | 2012 | 1st Prize | NO  
E2 Ecology + Economy Housing | 2010 | 1st Prize | FI  
Adam Smith Prize in Economics | 2003 | US