



MATTHEW HANSON

LIGHTING DESIGNER II

YEARS OF EXPERIENCE: 5
YEARS WITH FIRM: 0.5



EXPERIENCE

Matthew Hanson joined The Lighting Practice in 2026 as a Lighting Designer II. With a background in carpentry, fine arts, and architecture, he brings a multidisciplinary perspective to lighting design, viewing light as both an artistic medium and an architectural element that shapes how people experience space. Before joining TLP, Matt worked at another architectural lighting design firm, contributing to academic, corporate, multifamily residential, hospitality, exterior, and aviation projects. He earned a Bachelor of Fine Arts from the School of Visual Arts and a Master of Architecture from CUNY City College of New York. Outside of work, Matt enjoys sports, visiting art museums, learning about watches, spending time with family and friends, and coaching competitive swimming.

EDUCATION

Master of Architecture, CUNY City College of New York

Bachelor of Fine Arts, School of Visual Arts