



SLEDGE

Design Director West Coast
LUHF Branded Environments

Sledge has extensive experience in design, modern furniture classics, project management, research, community engaged design dialogues, and (DEI) diversity/equity/inclusion initiatives. With over 20 years of experience working in architecture and interior design firms, Sledge transferred his work experience and interest in academia to becoming a college architecture professor. His numerous scholarly writings, national and international presentations provided the basis for his Doctoral research in Collaboration, Dialogue and Creativity.

Upon recently relocating to California to teach at Sacramento State University, Sledge became LUHF's West Coast Director of Design. He is responsible for directing the West Coast design studio's projects including; but not limited to, educational institutions, city/federal government agencies, tech and AI startups, multi-family housing and underserved populations that can benefit from expert design services.

Sledge graduated summa cum laude with a Doctor of Education from Drexel University, summa cum laude with a master's degree in architectural history/theory/criticism from the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, with honors from Ecole d'Art Americaines in Fountainebleau, France and magna cum laude from NC State University with a Bachelor of Architecture degree.

Dr. Sledge was recently installed as a board member of the Sacramento LGBT Community Center, where he will work on community initiatives in and around the northern CA region. He enjoys architecture, design, art, travel, movies, repartee, reading, learning and laughter. Sledge has a natural talent for design research, analysis, stakeholder involvement, focus group dialogues, creative brainstorming, product prototyping and innovation.