

**Graham Adams, A.I.A, A.S.L.A., C.E.F.P.I.,  
Lead Designer/Principal In Charge**

Graham Adams, AIA, ASLA, is the founding president of Adams Group Architects, PA. That was established in 1987. A graduate of UNC -Charlotte and North Carolina State University, he brings a broad range of skills and professional experience to institutional design. Graham was elected to the Board of Directors for the Environmental Design Research Association, an association that focuses on student's learning and developmental needs. Recently, Adams Group was pleased to have two school projects, Davidson Elementary School and First Ward Elementary School published in the publication **School Design** by Henry Sanoff, Dowden Hutchinson and Ross. In addition, Graham was honored to receive the Hillier Memorial Award from Cornell University. In 1994, he was honored for an AIA Award from the NC American Institute of Architects for the design of the N.C.S.U. Scott Hall Research Laboratory. Other representative State construction experience includes , North Carolina A&T State University additions to the historic Memorial Student Union and the University of North Carolina at Charlotte Physical Plant and Public Safety Facility.

**Affiliations:**

American Institute of Architects, member  
American Institute of landscape Architects, member  
Council of Educational Facility Planners International (CEFPI), member  
American Association of School Administrators, member  
Environmental Design Research Association (EDRA), board member

**Registrations:**

North Carolina 50392, Minnesota 24829, South Carolina B88028, Tennessee 101572 and Virginia 50392.

**Education:**

Master of Architecture, North Carolina State University, 1981  
Master of Landscape Architecture, North Carolina State University, 1979  
Bachelor of Arts In Architecture, University of North Carolina Charlotte, 1976

**Publications:**

Adams' numerous publications include articles on collaborative planning, energy conservation, school design, senior centers design and participatory workshop techniques. Recently, Graham was a key speaker at "Seminario Internacioal" in Rio de Janeiro presenting at a conference where he conducted a presentation focusing on the school design process.

Published by the National Clearinghouse for Educational Facilities:

- *Schools Designed with Community Participation, Sanoff (p.8 – 35)*
- *School Building Assessment Methods, Sanoff*
- *A Visioning Process for Designing Responsive Schools, Sanoff*

Published by North Carolina State University:

- *Creating Environments for Young Children*, Sanoff (pgs 78-84)
- *Energy & Behavior Workbook*, Sanoff & Adams
- *Senior Center Design Workbook*, Sanoff, Adams, Andrews, & Walker

Published by Van Nostrand Reinhold Company:

- *Programming the Built Environment*, Preiser (pgs 107-127)
- *School Design*, Sanoff

Published by John Wiley & Sons, Inc.:

- *Community Participation Methods in Design & Planning*, Sanoff (pgs 122-131)

Published by Avebury:

- *Integrating Programming, Evaluation and Participation in Design*, Sanoff (pgs 16-28)

Published by Butterworth & Co. Ltd.:

- *Participatory Programming for Digital Equipment Corporation, Inc.*, Adams (Vol.9, No.1, pgs 14-24)

Contra Capa LivrariaLtda.

- *Projeto Do Lugar – COLABORAÇÃO ENTRE PSICOLOGIA, ARQUITETURA E URBANISMO*, del Rio (pgs 45 – 58)