

PATRICIA MATAMOROS:

Patricia Matamoros was born in Caracas, Venezuela, a town that she fiercely loves. As a child, growing up in the Andean countryside of San Cristóbal, she decided that she liked it better when plants and animals were the rule and not the exception. She went on to study to become an architect at the Universidad Central de Venezuela, where she graduated with honors in 2013. Her passion for her hometown and her belief in sustainability and the importance of the recovery of unused or misused spaces for the enjoyment of communities set her in pursuit of a Master's Degree in Landscape Architecture, at her alma mater. She's currently undertaking the courses to obtain her MLA at FIU. Upon finishing her studies, Patricia hopes to help shape the new face of a Venezuela that will be, in the years to come, in dire need of capable professionals, filled with purpose.

EDUCATION & ACTIVITIES

- Master of Landscape Architecture *Florida International University*
- Master of Landscape Architecture *Universidad Central de Venezuela*
- Bachelor of Architecture *Universidad Central de Venezuela*

SMDS EXPERIENCE:

- City of Miami Beach Future Community Park, Miami Beach, Florida
- 1515 S Flagler Drive, West Palm Beach, Florida
- 950 NE 124th Street, North Miami, FL
- West Avenue, Miami Beach, Florida
- La Tropical, Miami, Florida
- DDA Baywalk-Riverwalk, Miami, Florida

