

Yegvenia Torres Zavala, Project Manager

Brief Bio:

Yegvenia, or Yeg for short (pronounced "Jegg"), is a Lead Designer at Klop Architecture joining the firm in 2013. Yeg traveled often between Tijuana, Mexico where she was born and San Diego, CA where she grew up and was fascinated by the differences in architecture while each managed to retain their own culture. In both, indoor-outdoor living is celebrated. Throughout her travels to Mexico and Latin America, Yeg appreciated that private outdoor spaces are an important feature in architecture, and having that connection between indoors and outdoors is ingrained in her cultural identity.

Yeg identifies with the designs of Mexican architect and engineer Luis Barragán, where his modernist style represents a true melding of spaces, questioning what's really indoors and what's outdoors. Her work at the firm represents a range of both modern and mid-century modern projects.

She received her bachelor's degree from the California College of the Arts in 2012 and has also studied in Italy and Brazil. She lives in San Francisco's SOMA district, bikes to work, and enjoys travel, photography and jewelry design. She is fluent in Spanish.

Professional History:

Klop Architecture – San Francisco, CA
Project Assistant, 2013 to 2015
Senior Designer, 2015 to 2018
Project Manager, 2018 to present

Other Firms:

Walker Warmer Architects, San Francisco, CA
Design Intern, 2008

Education:

California College of the Arts, San Francisco, CA
Bachelors of Architecture, 2012

