

Nathalie Cowan



Nathalie Cowan holds a degree in business administration and management from Boston University, and pursued a master's degree in environmental science at San Jose State University from 1998-2001.

She is the founder and president of Abergel Homes, which works with architects, engineers and contractors to bring a new type of technology-enabled, smart, ecologically sensitive luxury homes to the Silicon Valley. Her previous roles have included founding Century Homes Capital in 2012, where she first developed the concept of the customized smart-tech home.

Cowan currently serves as a board member of HART, which collaborates with indigenous leaders and other NGOs worldwide to address the health care needs of targeted international communities through highly focused surgical and educational outreach to developing countries. She is a board member on the Kusoma International Foundation of Kenya, which is focused on bringing education to underserved children.

Previously, Cowan was a co-founder of the Silicon Valley-based BrainParenting Publishing company, which produced targeted information solutions for parents whose children have trouble learning due to dyslexia, dysgraphia or ADHD.

Cowan actively supports the [College of Fine Arts](#), the [Neuroscience Institute](#), and undergraduate research. She is the parent of Avery, a student in the School of Computer Science at CMU.