

Ayala Collums

Associate Interior Designer

Profile

Over five years of experience in interior design and project management. Proven ability to manage multiple projects simultaneously while ensuring quality control. Strong communication skills with the ability to interface effectively with clients, architects, and vendors. Skilled at space planning, finishes selections, FF&E specifications, construction administration, and project closeout.

Employment History

Associate Interior Designer at Interior Designers, Inc., DE

Mar 2022 - Present

- Led design teams of up to 5 people on projects worth up to \$1 million.
- Designed interiors for over 50 residential and commercial clients.
- Managed budgets of up to \$100,000 per project.
- Negotiated with vendors and suppliers to get the best prices for materials and furniture.
- Coordinated with contractors and other tradespeople to ensure that work was completed on time and within budget.

Intern Interior Designer at The Interior Design Studio, DE

Jul 2017 - Feb 2022

- Successfully completed design projects within budget and on schedule.
- Worked closely with clients to identify their needs and develop creative solutions that met their objectives.
- Researched and selected furniture, finishes, and materials for projects.
- Prepared construction documents including drawings, specifications, and schedules.
- Coordinated with contractors and other consultants during construction to ensure that the project was built according to the plans.

Certificates

NCIDQ Certification

May 2021

LEED Green Associate

Nov 2019

Memberships

American Society of Interior Designers (ASID)

Interior Design Society (IDS)

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Education

Associate of Arts in Interior Design at Delaware College of Art and Design, Wilmington, DE

Sep 2013 - May 2017

Some skills I've learned are space planning, furniture selection and placement, color schemes, and flooring selections.

Links

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Skills

SketchUp

AutoCAD

Adobe Creative Suite (Photoshop, InDesign, Illustrator)

Microsoft Office (Word, Excel, PowerPoint)

Hand Drafting & Rendering Skills

Space Planning

Furniture Selection

Languages

English

Italian