

LONIKA CHANDE

MID-WEIGHT INTERIOR DESIGNER

Lonika Chande Ltd is a London based interior design studio, specialising in high-end private residential projects. An exciting opportunity has arisen, for a well-rounded mid-weight interior designer, with at least 3 years' industry experience to join our friendly team.

The ideal candidate will be a highly organised and creative individual, a team player, who is comfortable working in a fast-paced environment, on a range of projects at any one time. The successful applicant will have strong technical design knowledge, an eye for detail, and a passion for interior design.

This is a full-time role (Monday-Friday) 9am – 5:30pm, based at our Studio in Clapham Old Town. Competitive salary based on experience.

Responsibilities:

- Manage interior architectural design elements and FF&E from concept and design through to invoicing, procurement and installation with oversight from senior team members.
- Create full project budgets and detailed estimates on Estimac.
- Put together design presentations and support the delivery of design presentations to clients.
- Produce schemes and sample boards.
- Produce technical drawing packages in Vectorworks, to include furniture, lighting and electrical plans, elevations, details, and custom joinery.
- Source and procure new and antique FF&E.
- Prepare and manage detailed schedules and specification documents (for example, hard finishes, decorative lighting, sanitaryware, and window treatments).
- Strong communication skills to work confidently with clients, suppliers, contractors and consultants.

Role Requirements:

- A degree or equivalent in Interior Design.
- Minimum 3 years post-graduate experience in the high-end residential sector.
- High level of proficiency in Vectorworks, Estimac, Photoshop and Microsoft Office essential.
- Experience working on all aspects of projects from concept to completion.
- Self-motivated, able to work independently, and as part of the team.



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- Work well under pressure, be able to multi-task and prioritise.
- Excellent design and communicational skills.
- Strong written and verbal communications required to liaise with clients, suppliers, contractors and consultations.
- Exceptional attention to detail and the ability to problem solve quickly.
- Strong organisational skills.
- On-site experience with strong site coordination skills.
- Confident in reading, reviewing and drafting technical drawings packages, including plans, elevations, electrical and lighting design, and custom joinery design.
- Experience in producing comprehensive schedules and detailed specifications for sub-contractors.
- Experience with all elements of FF&E design, specification, management and procurement.
- Good financial understanding of project costs and budget awareness.
- Extensive supplier knowledge.
- Good knowledge of antiques.
- Fluent in spoken and written English.
- Hand drawing skills a bonus.
- UK residency with willingness to travel to clients within the UK and abroad as required. Ideally based in London – you will be required at our Clapham Old Town studio full time.

To apply:

Please send a copy of your CV, portfolio, and cover letter, expressing your interest to lonika@lonikachande.com

