

Meghan Dawn Tucker

Interior design professional with over a decade of experience curating functional, concept-driven interiors

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Work Experience

Senior Interior Designer | Chicago, IL

Avenir Creative

2018 - 2022

- Spearhead entirety of design for hospitality projects of varying scope from concept development through construction administration
- Produce project timelines and deliverables including design decks, construction drawing sets, formal specifications and submittals
- Mentor junior staff with one-on-one reviews and attentive redlines
- Collaborated in designing a new select-service hotel brand (Caption) for Hyatt International, including formulating a comprehensive brand standards guidebook

Senior Interior Designer | Chicago, IL

blocHaus Interiors + Architecture

2016 - 2018

- Guide the conceptualization and development of hospitality interiors, with a focus predominately on restaurants, bars and student living
- Maintain project organization and clarity with extensive record keeping, clear communication and well-defined objectives and deadlines
- Developed creative, value-engineering experience to preserve design integrity while maintaining client budget

Project Manager / In-house Designer | Chicago, IL

Ross Burton Design Build

2015 - 2017

- Facilitate development, documentation, fabrication and construction of commercial projects, including full build-outs, custom millwork, furniture, retail fixture and lighting fabrication (Dr. Martens, UNTUCKit)
- Oversee organization and project management; formulate itemized bids, shop drawings, drawing sets, project timelines and deliverables
- Collaborate with in-house general contractor and millwork/ metal shop
- Spearhead full scope of design for all in-house design and millwork projects

Interior Designer | Chicago, IL

TZS Design

2014 - 2015

- Provide meticulous support throughout all design phases in the development and documentation of commercial projects

Project Manager / Furniture Design | Chicago, IL

Mike Bell, Inc. & Westwater Patterson

2012 - 2015

- Manage custom fabrication projects and oversee production progress at local, in-house woodworking studio
- Redesign company's website, catalogue, and other brand assets

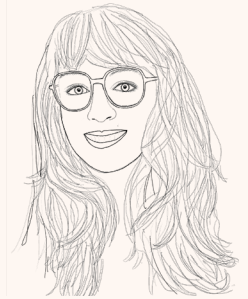
Freelance Projects

Big Shoulders Coffee | Complete interior design for 3 cafes in Chicago, IL

Taketei Sushi at Hotel Felix | Budget hotel restaurant renovation

Hello!

I'm Meghan - a design enthusiast, amateur bookbinder, novice peddler of vintage wares, and determined gardener lacking a green thumb.



Skills

- Creating functional interiors that integrate all project objectives and client goals, while considering budget, timelines and any PIPs or brand standards
- Routinely communicate and coordinate with brand reviewers, client, AOR and all project consultants to assure all parties are always aligned
- Preparing meticulous and detailed redlines for all RFI's, SK's, FF&E submittals and millwork drawings
- Producing comprehensive construction drawings and in-depth design presentations
- Adept 2D rendering, sketching and design communication skills
- Specification of architectural finishes and FF&E
- Exceptional communication skills
- Extensive experience with ADA & building codes
- Well-resourced, collaborative and attentive team member

Software

Fluent

AutoCAD
InDesign
Photoshop
Spexx
Morpholio Trace
Microsoft Office Suite

Familiar

Revit
Illustrator
Google Sketch-Up

Education

Florida State University | 2011

Interior Design, Bachelor of Science Degree
College of Visual Arts, Theatre & Dance
NASAD & CIDA Accredited

Professional references available upon request.