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Interior Architect

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PROFESSIONAL PROFILE

An experienced interior architect with 8+ years of experience and two masters' degrees. Accomplished more than 30 residential and commercial projects across the UK, Middle East, and Africa, including projects for the Government of Kuwait. I am experienced in the design process from the initial client meeting throughout to site supervision. Currently, I am working for Senuoy in Birmingham, and running my own interior design and contracting business on the side. I am looking to put my expertise into practice in a new challenge to attain personal and professional growth.

APPLIED EXPERIENCE

Senuoy, Birmingham

July 2020-Present

Interior Designer and Assistant Architect

- Client communication, proposals, and site surveys
- Layout plans, elevations, and 3D rendering
- Planning applications and contractors liaison
- Project management and site supervision
- Different kinds of projects: full house renovations, loft conversions, restaurants, and offices

Zaidan and Co, Beirut-Lebanon

April 2018 -Sept 2018

Interior Designer

- Gained significant experience in construction, renovation, and infrastructure projects through designing and executing government projects.
- Designed 59 outdoor stairs for Lebanese government institutions located in Beirut.
- Followed up with the council's civil engineers in the design and execution processes.
- Increased the company's credibility through minimal error execution as a result of effective communication and follow up.

Nawa Properties, Beirut-Lebanon

Aug 2017-Sept 2018

Interior Designer

- Designed a green and gated community project located in south Beirut.
- Submitted detailed execution drawings and rendered 3D designs.
- Introduced fast turnaround solutions for small-sized apartments taking into consideration customers' budgets and requirements.
- Collaborated with [Evoluti Design](#), a French kitchens and bathrooms manufacturer and supplier to provide customers with a variety of designs.
- Finalized designs of Kitchens and bathroom on Evoluti Software, audited invoices, confirmed quotations and closed deals with clients.

Amin Developers, Beirut-Lebanon

Feb 2016 – July 2017

Interior Designer

- Completed more than 20 commercial and residential projects.
- Prepared mood boards, sketches, proposals, drawings, 3D renders, and quotations.
- Coordinated and monitored work between contractors and suppliers.
- Managed site supervision throughout all execution phases within a certain timeline.
- Participated in trainee's supervision.
- Exceeded clients' expectations in speed and quality.
- Represented the company at the "Art of Living" exhibition in Lebanon.

Interior Site Architect

- Worked on 2 luxurious apartments and a penthouse for a Saudi prince that were of classical design.
- Designed classical details for all apartments with a total area exceeding 3000 m².
- Coordinated the Electro-Mechanical Work (VRV system-floor heating and EIB home automation)
- Worked with gypsum, tiling (marble-water jet), and wood cladding with high-end finishing.

Certifications**Level 7 Certificate in Professional Consulting****June 2019-No Expiration Date***Chartered Management Institute***Level 7 Certificate in Creativity, Change, and Innovation****June 2019-No Expiration Date***Chartered Management Institute***Software****Design:** 3DsMax, Vray, AutoCad, ArchiCAD, Photoshop, Lumion, InDesign, Illustrator**Microsoft Office:** Word, Excel, and PowerPoint**Freelance Projects****Emergency Center - Kuwait**

- 800 sqm of offices, control rooms, reception, and other facilities
- A massive 60 meters wide video wall

Coventry University Hub, Dubia-UAE

- Collaborated with Coventry University in the UK to design a new luxurious hub for the university in Dubai as a first step in entering the Dubai Market.
- Communicated with the chancellor office and members of the board to develop the concept design of the hub and their needs.
- Delivered detailed drawings, 3D renders, material board and animation video.

Jeffery Travel Agency, Kinshasa-Uganda

- Accomplished a complete design for a Travel Agency office that needed renovation of area 300 m².
- Coordinated with the site engineer in Kinshasa on materials and execution process.

Salam Residence, Beirut-Lebanon

- Redesigned a modern-style building entrance in Beirut of area 170 m².
- Understood residents' problems, demands, and existing obstacles on site to deliver a functional, affordable and modern design

EDUCATION**Coventry University, UK****Sept 2018- Sept 2019***MA. Interior Design - Distinction*

- Modules: Design Innovation and Collaboration, Interior Design Specialism, CMI
- Final Major Project (GPA : 75%) : Future of workspaces in Post-functionalist cities. The project designed a co-working space based on a post-war structure in Beirut. The project focused on a net-zero CO₂ approach with a biophilic design and brutalist architecture.

Lebanese University, Lebanon**Sept 2010-Jun 2012***MA. Interior Architecture - Distinction***Lebanese University, Lebanon****Sept 2007-Jun 2010***BA.. Interior Architecture - Distinction*