

FLORA SOAMES

MID – WEIGHT INTERIOR DESIGNER

Salary: £38,000 – £42,000 depending on experience

Contract: Permanent, full-time

Location: London-based, or within easy reach. Our Dorset studio area also works

Reports to: Senior Designer

Flora Soames Ltd., is looking for an enthusiastic, proactive and organised mid-weight interior designer to join our growing team, assisting our Senior Designer and Principal Designer across a number of large scale residential and hospitality projects in the UK and abroad. Our preferred candidate would have a minimum of three year's' experience in the industry, be technically proficient, and have experience working across all elements of the interior design process from conception to completion. You will need to be confident handling the day-to-day running of a project, and comfortable communicating and liaising with clients, suppliers, contractors, subcontractors and architects.

We are a dynamic interior design, and fabric and wallpaper business with a fast-growing presence in the US. We have a London showroom and a Dorset office, and this role works on a semi-remote basis. This is an active and flexible position which requires staff to be present at site meetings, with suppliers, with clients, with the design team in London and at our Dorset studio, as well as some time working from home. You will need to be based in London or within easy reach of it, or near our Dorset studio, and comfortable with a week that changes shape. Travel to client sites, and to the Dorset studio, is covered.

As a busy and growing studio this is a brilliant opportunity for a mid-weight designer looking to work more independently and grow their expertise, whilst working closely with our Senior and Principal Designers.

THE ROLE:

- ◆ Be responsible for running some of your own smaller projects
- ◆ Support the Senior and Principal Designers in presenting and communicating ideas to clients
- ◆ Attend client and site meetings, take meeting minutes and present ideas alongside the Senior and Principal Designers.
- ◆ Prepare and research design proposals, sourcing fabrics, furniture and lighting
- ◆ Place and process large orders via EstiMac
- ◆ Proficient in AutoCAD, drawing plans and elevations
- ◆ Draw up detailed schedules for hard finishes, fixtures and fittings
- ◆ Maintain accurate furniture plans in AutoCAD
- ◆ Liaise with clients, contractors, architects, subcontractors and suppliers

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ABOUT YOU

- ◆ Experience in EstiMac, AutoCAD, Photoshop, InDesign and Powerpoint
- ◆ Excellent attention to detail and take pride in delivering high quality work
- ◆ Strong supplier and industry knowledge
- ◆ Excellent written and verbal communication skills
- ◆ The ability to work under pressure and prioritise tasks effectively
- ◆ Hand sketching is a bonus but not required
- ◆ To be a proactive and organised team player, focused on problem solving and building a collaborative team
- ◆ Willingness to travel to sites across the UK and abroad
- ◆ UK driving license

WHAT WE OFFER

- ◆ £38,000 – £42,000 depending on experience
- ◆ 21 days' holiday, plus all public holidays, plus paid studio closure between Christmas and New Year
- ◆ A generous staff discount on Flora Soames Fabrics range

To apply, please send your CV, portfolio, and a short covering letter telling us a little about yourself and why the role appeals to you.

Please send your application to: daisy@florasoames.com.