# **STUDIO ASHBY**

Job Description: JUNIOR DESIGNER at Studio Ashby

## What were looking for:

- Someone who demonstrates, through every aspect of who they are, a passionate love of design, art and beauty
- A confident, loyal, trustworthy, dynamic, charming person
- Proactive nature, great instincts and open to feedback.

#### The ideal candidate must have:

- At least 2 years post-graduate experience in an interior design role in the luxury residential or commercial sector
- Degree or equivalent in Interior Design, Furniture Design or Architecture
- Full proficiency using Vectorworks, Adobe Creative suite and Microsoft Office Suite
- Experience working on all aspects of projects from concept to completion on site
- Basic financial understanding of project costs and budget awareness
- Excellent supplier and product knowledge, including FF&E and finishes
- Strong technical ability
- Strong knowledge of materiality
- Fluent in spoken and written English
- Impeccable and concise communication
- An exceptional eye for detail, colour, and knowledge of antiques

## The role will include:

- Assist other team members in the development and preperation of design schemes
- Producing sketches, drawings and moodboards
- Producing technical plans, elevations, sections and details in Vectorworks format
- Create full project costing schedules and budgets
- Source and procure bespoke joinery and FF&E design, ability to review technical drawings supplied by others
- Develop detailed specifications and manage a pre-agreed budget
- Work with Contractors and Suppliers to ensure the design and quality are executed as per specifications and of the highest standard

- Coordinate all aspects of the FF&E procurement and installation
- Have the ability to set and uphold programmes, stick to deadlines, excellent project management at all times
- Have experience working on all aspects of projects from concept to completion, on your own or as part of a team
- Have the ability to lead mid-size projects with support of a Senior Designer and Associates.

### Who are we?

Studio Ashby is a London-based interior design studio, founded by Sophie Ashby in 2014. We are a dynamic group of twelve experienced designers, working across residential and

commercial interior design and creative direction in the UK, Europe and further afield. We pride ourselves on our positive, professional and personal approach in all that we do. We work efficiently and collaboratively to bring integrity and soul to interior life.

## What do we do?

Our mission is to create habitable spaces with identity. Whether it's a home, a restaurant, a hotel or a commercial development, we apply the same creative approach that starts with envisioning the lives of the people who will inhabit it. We question what inspires them, what moves them and how we can fulfil their desires and support their needs with our design. Art plays a central role in our inspiration and process. Stemming from Sophie's own passion and training in art history, we believe art has a vital place in every interior and no space feels complete without it.

Together with interior design we also provide creative direction. This allows us to create immersive experiences in the environments we design, ensuring the character and style of our clients is felt in substance across all details and touch points. Our creative direction includes many aspects that affect how we experience our environments: from art consultancy and buying to bespoke collaborations, books to uniforms, planting to fragrance. With greater consideration to the many layers that make up our interior world, the deeper the connection we have to it in response.

Relationships are core to all that we do: relationships with our clients, our customers, our suppliers, manufacturers and the many craftspeople and ateliers we work closely with. Our work is a collaborative process involving many different people, and strong relationships are crucial for achieving good results. We believe design should be a positive experience and it's important to have fun along the way.

If you think that your skills, experience, and personality make you well suited to this role we'd love to hear from you.

Please submit your covering letter, CV and portfolio to careers@studioashby.com