



SHOKOUEH FARNIA

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EDUCATION

Bachelor of Interior Design
Ryerson University

SOFTWARE

Revit
AutoCAD
SketchUp
Rhinoceros 3D
Lumion
V-ray
Enscape
Dialux
Primavera P6
Adobe InDesign
Adobe Photoshop
Adobe Animate
Adobe Media Encoder
Microsoft Office
BlueBeam Revu
Procore
Primavera P6
MS Project

CERTIFICATE

Lighting Design Training
Primavera P6 Advance
NCIDQ - in progress

LANGUAGES

English
Farsi

PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

- Interior Designer with 9 years of experience in high-end residential, multi-residential, hospitality, and commercial projects
- Experienced in new construction and renovation projects from concept development through construction documentation and execution
- Skilled in space planning, FF&E, technical detailing, client presentations, and consultant coordination
- Completed professional training in Lighting Design and currently pursuing NCIDQ

DESIGN EXPERIENCE

Interior Designer / Project Coordinator

Michael London Design | Toronto, ON

June 2025 - Present

- Projects: heritage rental highrise w/new addition, new-build rental towers, custom residence
- Developed design concepts, space planning layouts, finishes and schedules, presentations
- Developed drawing packages using Revit and AutoCAD, for different project stages
- Participated in client and consultant meetings, supporting project direction and execution
- Oversaw junior team support for project documentations and maintaining workflow

Professional Lighting Design Intern - Remote

Decolight Group | Tehran, Iran

April - June 2025

- Developed lighting layouts, and lighting calculations for residential and commercial projects.

Project Designer / Project Coordinator - Remote

Hotel Bani | Tehran, Iran

Jan. - June 2025

- Led the renovation of eight-storey hotel apartment project in Tehran, from initial concept through final execution and client presentations.
- Prepared interior design packages, space planning layouts, finishes selections, renderings to communicate design intent.
- Reviewed and marked up shop drawings and construction documents to ensure accuracy.

Design Associate / Project Coordinator

Fitzrovia Real Estate | Toronto, ON

Oct. 2023 - Jan. 2025

- Rental projects: 980 Dufferin Street (towers CDE), 6 Dawes Road (towers ABC)
- Assisted with the project transitions from AutoCAD to a hybrid Revit-CAD workflow, and guided my team on how to use Revit to do drawing sets accessible to all consultants.
- Prepared and reviewed interior drawing sets, shop drawings, FF&E and finishes for suites, corridors, and amenities throughout design and construction phases.
- Conducted site visits and walk-throughs to prepare accurate interior drawing sets
- Coordinated regularly with consultants to align design intent and construction execution

Interior Designer / Project Coordinator

Cecconi Simone | Toronto, ON

May 2021 - Oct. 2023

- Condominium towers: Mississauga, Toronto, Los Angeles, and Washington D.C, etc.
- Developed space planning layouts and interior design concepts in suites, corridors, amenities by following OBC and IBC requirements
- Prepared interior design packages from concept design, design development through tender, construction documentation, millwork details and renderings
- Prepared finish specifications and FF&E packages, including materials, lighting, plumbing, hardware, furniture, and appliance selections.

- Developed client presentations and supported managers during client meetings
- Mentored our junior member to support project deadlines
- Assisted with contract administration tasks for projects in construction, including site coordination, design clarifications, drawing updates, and support for design execution.

Interior Designer / Project Coordinator

Sensus Design and Build | Toronto, ON

Feb. 2020 - May 2021

- Projects: 2,500-8,000 square feet homes (renovation, new build, and laneway homes)
- Consulted with clients on space planning, design direction, and color schemes, tailoring each project to their vision.
- Developed and presented comprehensive interior design packages—including plans, elevations, 3D renders, FF&E—while coordinating client feedback through to final approval.
- Collaborated with architects on unified design and timelines.
- Provided Revit training to colleagues to enhance efficiency in preparing design packages
- Designed our company's booth for "Home Show" and in charge to represent our design team

Project Designer & Construction Coordinator

Danieli Development | Toronto, ON

March 2019 - Feb. 2020

- Projects: 4,700-27,000 square feet homes as the only female Interior Designer in the company in a male-dominant construction environment
- Consulted clients in space planning, style/design approach and design package
- Proposed new interior space layout after receiving architectural drawings based on client's visions.
- Prepared Interior Design packages (including floor plans, elevations, 3D renders, specification)
- Prepared and proposed Exterior 3D renders to clients; based on my selections of finishes, landscape design, garage door & entry door design, and new windows
- Conducted regular site measurements to update floor plans and drawings, reflecting modifications made during construction.
- Attended job sites regularly for work progress on the designs, installations, finding solutions on the spot for any issues, prepared deficiency list, and managed trades' deadlines to make sure they do the job right
- Booked all city inspections and followed up with the architects, engineers, inspectors, and trades
- Made sure quotes and services received by suppliers/trades are accurate and negotiated for better price

Interior Designer / FF&E Coordinator

OE Design and Build | Toronto, ON

July 2017 - March 2019

- Organized and managed the sample library, including sourcing new materials and assisting with FF&E procurement and budgeting.
- Prepared comprehensive drawing sets—floor plans, elevations, sections, details, and renders—for residential and commercial projects using Revit, AutoCad, Sketchup, Photoshop
- Conducted site visits to document progress and coordinate change orders.

Interior Design Intern/Site Coordination Support - on site

Hotel Bani | Tehran, Iran

April - Sep. 2013

- Assisted the architect on-site and prepared presentations, mood boards, space plans, and renderings for an eight-storey luxury hotel apartment in Tehran.