JOB ROLE Interior designer



LEVEL OF GROWTH FOR JOB ROLE



> Projected change of +9.4%

> From 18,500 in 2023 to 20,200 in 2028

AVERAGE SALARY FOR OCCUPATION

- \$70,600
- Entry level (1-3 years' experience)
- \$120,100
- **Senior** (8+ years' experience)



WHAT DO EMPLOYERS WANT?

SPECIALISED SKILLS

- > Autodesk Revit
- Building Codes
- > Technical Drawing
- > Space Planning
- Furniture Fixtures and Equipment (FF&E)

PREVIOUS 12 MONTHS:

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TOP SOUTH AUSTRALIAN INDUSTRIES WHO ADVERTISED FOR THIS JOB ROLE IN THE

EMPLOYMENT PROSPECTS

- Construction
- Rental, Hiring and Real Estate Services

EMPLOYABILITY SKILLS

- > Effective Communication
- Customer Service
- Time Management
- Detail Orientated
- Record Keeping

TOP SOUTH AUSTRALIAN EMPLOYERS WHO ADVERTISED FOR THIS JOB ROLE IN THE PREVIOUS 12 MONTHS:

- > OTR
- > Hickinbotham Group
- > Metricon Homes

DIGITAL SKILLS

- > AutoCAD
- VR Rendering Software e.g. Enscape
- > Adobe Photoshop / InDesign

LOOK FOR JOBS BEING Advertised Using These Job Titles:

- Interior Designer
- Design Consultants
- > Design/Space Planners



YOU MIGHT CONSIDER UNDERTAKING STUDY TO TRANSITION INTO THESE RELATED JOB ROLES:

- > Architectural Draftsperson
- > Architect

OUALIFICATION PATHWAYS

Looking to progress your career? TAFE SA can help you further your study with these courses (*fees may apply)

- Certificate IV in Interior Decoration (MSF40122)
- Diploma of Interior Design (MSF50222)

Or undertake a range of short courses to supplement your existing knowledge or continue

Further information available on the TAFE SA website.



JOB HOLDER COMMENTS

"I don't just want to sit in a classroom and be talked to, I want to get out there and learn. TAFE class sizes are smaller, so you get more attention with your work and you also get a lot more practical knowledge. We have the opportunity to get out there and see businesses operating, and meet suppliers, which is fantastic."

Jasmine Aisthrope

Diploma of Interior Design (MSF50218)

NETWORKING WITH INDUSTRY

Networking with industry provides you with opportunities to gain employment, advance your career and stay current with industry changes.

Conferences and workshops are an excellent way to introduce yourself to key industry contacts. Upcoming events include:

> Various events held by the Design Institute of Australia. Further information available on the Institutes website.

upskilling.



Follow these organisations on social media:

- > Design Institute of Australia
- > Australian Academy of Interior Design

Consider these opportunities to find employment:

- > Send your resume to relevant businesses in your local area
- > Look for employment opportunities advertised on - the TAFE SA Jobs Board

 - online employment websites like Seek
 - the job board on your local Regional Development Australia (RDA) website



CAREER SUPPORT

Not sure where to start? TAFE SA's Student Services can provide you with a range of career planning support including:

- career planning
- > write a winning resume
- > how to respond to selection criteria
- > cover letters that stand out
- > preparing for job interviews

To find out more, or to book an appointment, visit TAFE SA's Career Support Page: Career Support (tafesa.edu.au)

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