

Designer/Project Manager

Cake Industries design, engineer, fabricate and make beautiful things; from sculpture and staircases to bridges and pavilions. Working with the finest materials and taking a design-focused approach to all projects, we work with architects, designers, artists and contractors to bring concepts to life.

We are currently looking for a Designer/Project Manager to join our growing team.

Role

- You will carry out the design and drawing of a wide range of complex and interesting projects, including staircases, public sculpture and bespoke structures, in conjunction with the design team.
- You will have an awareness of fabrication with a range of materials and processes.
- You will uphold high standards of production, demonstrating awareness of quality management across varying projects and contexts from structural fabrication to cabinet making.
- You will engage confidently and competently with our clients.
- You will liaise with and coordinate suppliers to develop and complete projects.
- You will manage the process of design and fabrication of your projects from appointment to completion, working closely with the Project Director, the workshop manager, and the installation team.
- You will have a positive attitude and enjoy problem solving within a creative and collaborative environment.
- You will maintain high standards of health and safety in your work, and plan for successful and safe fabrication and installation.
- You will report to the Director for Design & Engineering.

Salary

£28,000-£32,000 per annum, based on experience and competence.

Job Type

A full time salaried package including annual leave and statutory benefits. We are willing to negotiate part time working.

Essential skills

- Experience in 3D design and drawing using computer geometry packages.
- Knowledge of fabrication and making in a wide range of materials.
- Excellent communication skills, both verbal and in writing.
- Exemplary time management and an organised and coherent approach to your work.
- Confidence and competence in using all relevant IT packages.

- Willingness to learn and develop your design skills through a mentored training scheme, potentially leading to appropriate professional qualifications with the Engineering Council or the Chartered Institute of Architectural Technologists.

Desirable skills

- Experience in the use of Solidworks, Rhino 3D and Grasshopper.
- Experience with rendering and presentation of design information.
- Degree level qualification in Architecture, Engineering or related subjects.
- Experience and competence in structural engineering.
- Experience managing projects, including scheduling, ordering, and negotiation.
- Experience and skill using digital surveying tools, particularly photogrammetry.
- Three years' experience in a relevant environment.
- CSCS Card and/or formal health and safety training.
- Valid UK driving licence

Please submit your CV and examples of previous work including contact details for two references to info@cakeindustries.com.

Applicants will be selected subject to an interview and skills trial.