



**DESIGN**  
**PARTNERS**  
Architects

**CAD Manager /  
Senior Technician**  
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Residential &  
Education

## COMPANY DESCRIPTION

At **Design Partners** we make meaningful spaces that inspire through the medium of architecture and the built environment. We believe the spaces we inhabit should encourage people to become better, to learn, to grow, to reflect, to breathe deeply and to pause. Be inspired to go to school to learn, to go home and enjoy relaxing, entertaining with your family and to go to work, all by enjoying where you are. We do this by listening to our clients, understanding their goals and visions and helping them to realise these dreams as well as adding a little bit of flair. We currently work in the environments of living (terraced houses, standalone homes and apartments for developers and social housing clients), working and education (new classrooms blocks to creating innovative environments) and are hoping to expand into commercial and public environments in the future.

The spaces we inhabit have an influence on how we feel, our mood, our energy levels, our health, and how we interact and interpret the world and so we focus on making spaces that connect people. Spaces that work with (not against) the natural environment, that are elegant and simple, free from toxic materials, make sense and blend into the background allowing you to make sense of the world.

Our vision is to partner with our clients, our consultants and our environment to make inspired and inspirational spaces that improve the lives of everyone that inhabits the space temporarily or permanently.

## KEY RESPONSIBILITIES & ATTRIBUTES

- Advanced level of proficiency in ArchiCAD
- Delivery of projects to high technical standards
- Current knowledge of relevant NZ building codes and standards, local authority guidelines and NZ construction methods essential to ensure plans are buildable
- Ability to work independently and collaboratively on projects to deliver. Takes ownership of own expertise and work
- Committed to delivering technical excellence and can manage variations (technical and documentation)
- Able to remain calm under pressure with flexibility to meet changing demands

## WORK EXPERIENCE

- Minimum of 5 years' experience with ArchiCAD
- Experience in residential and education market especially multi density (terrace housing through to apartments). Experience of Commercial (mixed use) projects also useful
- Proven ability to manage multiple projects on time and to budget
- Thorough understanding of construction processes, weather-tightness detailing, technical knowledge of building materials and the NZ Building Code and Building Act.

Design Partners value people who enjoy working collaboratively in a team environment. We are committed to career development, are focused on professional standards and on achieving successful outcomes for our clients. If you share these values we would love to hear from you.

To apply please email your cover letter, CV and portfolio to [marg.heeney@propertypartners.co.nz](mailto:marg.heeney@propertypartners.co.nz)

**You must be eligible to work in NZ to apply**

