



ARCHITECTURAL DESIGNER / URBAN DESIGNER

SALARY • Competitive + benefits

LOCATION • Newcastle

THE OPPORTUNITY:

We are seeking a design-focused candidate to join our multidisciplinary land and property consultancy. This role is principally architectural in nature but offers the opportunity to contribute to a broad range of development, masterplanning and design projects. We welcome applications from candidates with backgrounds in architecture, architectural technology, urban design or related built environment disciplines. Based within our Development team in Newcastle, you will work alongside planning, architectural and development specialists on projects ranging throughout RIBA workstages 0-7 at various scales from strategic land promotion to project delivery.

The precise nature of the role will reflect the skills and experience of the successful candidate. For those principally with an architectural or technical design background you will be able to work across a variety of project sectors and scales, while those with urban design or masterplanning experience will have opportunities shape the vision of projects at a broader strategic scale.

PRIMARY OBJECTIVES:

- Experience working on projects through various RIBA work stages
- Degree or qualification in the fields of Architecture, Urban Design, or a related discipline
- At least 2 years practical industry experience
- Ability to work both independently and collaboratively within a team environment
- Excellent design, graphic communication, and presentation skills
- Proficiency in AutoCAD, Revit or equivalent software

DESIRABLE SKILLS & EXPERIENCE:

- An understanding of placemaking principles and urban design
- Experience in preparing Design and Access Statements / Design Codes
- Experience in developing technical design drawings
- An understanding of sustainable design and net-zero development principles
- Experience with Photoshop & GIS mapping
- Familiarity with UK planning & building control processes

WE OFFER:

- Excellent working environment with flexible working
- Membership of the Firm's Pension Plan
- Payment of relevant professional subscriptions
- 28 days annual leave per year, plus bank holidays
- Long service awards
- Inclusion in the Firm's Life Assurance Policy given as three times annual salary
- Company, Team and Individual bonuses
- Employee Assistance Programme
- Enhanced maternity and paternity pay

ABOUT US:

GFW provides property and business consultancy services on a regional basis across Northern England and Southern Scotland. We have a team of 70+ that operate from our three offices providing innovative solutions for clients across the residential, commercial, rural and development sectors.

SOUND INTERESTING?

Give us a call for a confidential discussion or apply by emailing a CV and accompanying cover letter to careers@gfwllp.co.uk



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