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## Senior Designer - Custom Exhibits

Mississauga, Ontario, Canada

### Description

**Design Leader. SolidWorks Expert. Collaborator.**

Sounds like you? Read on.

#### YOU

Will lead our detailing/design team and collaborate with our Account & Project Management team in producing winning bids for trade show and custom experiential exhibits, as well as commercial interiors.

Will validate internal concepts and details for production.

### WHAT WE OFFER

An exciting work environment where every day is different from the other.

We have multiple design projects happening at the same time, often with short turnaround times and deadlines. We work in a very collaborative and hands on environment so someone who is keen to roll up their sleeves and troubleshoot solutions with wood workers is essential for this role. An ability to confidently present and explain ideas to clients representing high profile brands or creative ad agencies is vital.

Learn more about the super cool stuff we make in our 80,000 sq ft facility: <http://www.juiceworks.ca/>

## Requirements

### Duties & Responsibilities

- Use design thinking to understand points being made in renderings to resolve design problems
- Produce conceptual drawings in support of Account Directors in submitting RFP's
- Modify and revise designs as requested
- Review detail drawings from detailer to ensure completeness and readability
- Manage, train and develop the detailer and exhibit designer
- Offer support to freelance designers
- Review and analyze specifications, sketches, drawings, ideas, and related data to assess factors affecting component designs and the procedures and instructions to be followed

- Compute mathematical formulas to develop and design detailed specifications for components or machinery, using computer-assisted equipment
- Develop detailed design drawings and specifications including BOM, Finishes, and Dates
- Position instructions and comments onto drawings. Ensure the quality and accuracy of fabricated designs submitted
- Draw freehand sketches of designs, ideas, and components for the purposes of communicating internally or externally.
- Advise Project Managers of design lead times and provide updates during Production Meetings and sub-meetings
- Research and develop process improvements and quality initiatives in fabrication
- Stay abreast of new fabrication techniques, materials, and technologies offered by partners
- Handle multiple design projects concurrently
- Understand all current design works underway
- Coordinate the activities of the detailer, purchaser, and project managers in the design and sourcing of materials for custom exhibit builds, modular exhibits and special show features
- Confer with the Carpentry Lead and Paint Shop Lead in building the approved design
- Manage artwork from start to finish with client and vendors in agreement
- Manage CNC part extraction for shop foreman and CNC machinists
- Check dimensions of materials to be used
- Act as swing fabricator and execute all technical work, including but not limited to: carpentry, electrical, electronic, plumbing, mechanical, pneumatic, etc
- Lay out, draw, and reproduce illustrations for reference manuals and technical publications to describe operation and maintenance of mechanical systems
- Together with production manager, inspect work produced by the carpentry and paint shops to ensure that they conform with design and quality standards
- Maintain relationships with suppliers of new and emerging technologies

## Qualifications

- 2+ years leading a team of detailers and designers
- Expert SolidWorks skills
- Extensive design experience in trade shows, custom display exhibits or furniture
- Hands on fabrication experience with wood or metal
- Strong foundation in design fundamentals. An advanced degree in industrial design is preferred.

## As A Person

- Detail-oriented
- Organized
- Deadline-driven
- Proactive
- Collaborative

## Benefits

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