# JENNIFER TEITELBAUM

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## CONTACT

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## EXPERTISE

Team Leadership Collaborative Workflow Strong Relationships Effective Communication Conceptual Design Custom Product Sourcing Advanced Knowledge of Design, Trends, Materials Application & Appropriateness

## EDUCATION

#### **Emory University**

Atlanta, Georgia BA, American Studies, minor in Studio Arts Mortar Board (Pi Sigma Alpha) National Honor Society

#### The New England School of Art & Design at Suffolk University

Boston, Massachusetts MA, Interior Design Graduate Student Fellowship

#### British Columbia Institute of Technology

Vancouver, BC

Building Codes & Barrier Free for Interior Design Course (Winter 2021)

## PROFILE

Registered Senior Interior Designer with 17+ years of experience providing captivating and innovative design solutions for hotels, bars and restaurants, luxury multi-unit high rise condominium and apartment buildings, workplace amenities, senior living facilities, and spas and resorts in Mexico and Latin America. High-profile clients include Nationwide Realty Investors, Oxford Capital Group, Archstone, Noble Investment Group, Hilton, Marriott, Hyatt, and IHG (including Tapestry, Westin, DoubleTree, Embassy Suites, Crowne Plaza), and boutique hotels.

## EXPERIENCE

## SENIOR INTERIOR DESIGNER / GENSLER

#### 2022 – 2023 / VANCOUVER, BC

- Developed conceptual designs, space plans, and designed custom millwork.
- Created digital design presentations and maintained FF&E budgets.
- Coordinated with architects, purchasing agents and manufacturers.
- Provided mentorship to less experienced designers and participated in design and performance reviews.
- Researched the local market and potential clients for new business development opportunities.
- Fostered and maintained relationships with clients.

#### SENIOR INTERIOR DESIGNER, JUNIOR ASSOCIATE / HAGER DESIGN INTERNATIONAL / 2017 – 2022 / VANCOUVER, BC

- Lead the development and coordination of projects varying in size and scope for multiple projects simultaneously.
- Managed team members and reviewed construction drawings and furniture specifications.
- Lead coordination efforts with consultants and AOR's.
- Created conceptual designs and colour palettes; produced and presented digital design presentations for clients.
- Worked closely with Brands on implementation of improvement strategies.

Project Highlight: Hilton North Scottsdale at Cavasson

#### SENIOR INTERIOR DESIGNER / DESIGN ATELIER

2014 - 2017 / SAN RAFAEL, CALIFORNIA

- Established project conceptual design direction as a response to the client's goals and objectives.
- Oversaw designs from concept to construction for both renovations and new-build hotel projects.
- Generated and reviewed construction drawings and furniture specifications.

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## AWARDS & MEMBERSHIPS

IDC & IDIBC Professional Member NEWH Professional Member and Volunteer Committee Vancouver Society of Interior Designers Volunteer Committee IIDA Professional Member (2008-2018) IIDA Committee, Membership Chair (2013-2016) ASID Nominee & Recipient of Hospitality Design Expo New Design Professional Award

## TECHNICAL SKILLS

AutoCAD 2019 Revit 2018 - 2022 Spexx Design Documentation System Adobe Creative Suite Microsoft Office Bluebeam Procore Construction Management Software

- Facilitated communication with consultants, AOR's, clients, and Brands.
- Kept designs within scope and budget, presented to clients, coordinated with architects, contractors, and purchasing agents.

Project Highlight: Embassy Suites at Monterey Bay, California

INTERIOR DESIGNER / designTECH INTERIOR DESIGN SERVICES 2013 – 2014 / SACRAMENTO, CALIFORNIA

**INTERIOR DESIGNER / LIONAKIS ARCHITECTS** 2012 – 2013 / SACRAMENTO, CALIFORNIA

#### INDEPENDENT DESIGN CONSULTANT

2008 - 2012 / SACRAMENTO, CALIFORNIA

ADJUNCT FACULTY / INTERNATIONAL ACADEMY OF DESIGN & TECHNOLOGY / 2011 – 2012 / SACRAMENTO, CALIFORNIA

**INTERIOR DESIGNER / ADD INC** (now STANTEC) 2006 – 2008 / BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTS

**INTERIOR DESIGNER / J/BRICE DESIGN INTERNATIONAL** 2004 – 2006 / BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTS

## FEATURED PROJECTS

(SEE ADDITIONAL PORTFOLIO ATTACHMENT)

#### **TAPESTRY BY HILTON / COLUMBIA, SC**



- A new-build 12-floor music-inspired hotel in downtown Columbia. Features 158 guestrooms and suites, 3 full-service restaurants/ bars, including a Rockstar presidential suite and a rooftop bar.
- Designed in 2020, scheduled to break ground soon.

#### **CROWNE PLAZA / LAKE OSWEGO, OR**



- A full property renovation inspired by seeing the light through the trees of the Pacific Northwest. Features 185 guestrooms and suites, a full-service restaurant, and relocating the bar to the central atrium.
- Designed in 2014, completed in 2016.