

P H I L I P P A C H R I S T I E

PERSONAL PROFILE

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Bachelor of Design, Interior Architecture
New Zealand Green Building Council Accredited Professional



CURRENT

PHILIPPA CHRISTIE DESIGN LTD.
Wellington, NZ
Interior Designer/Joinery Designer
November 2023 –
Client liaison
Concept/Preliminary design
Developed and Detailed design
Working drawing documentation
Project coordination

EXPERIENCE

GHD Design
Wellington, NZ
Senior Interior Designer
September 2021 - November 2023
Key Clients:
Ministry of Justice, Hastings District Council, NZDF, GHD
Wellington Office Fit-out

PHILIPPA CHRISTIE DESIGN LTD.
Wellington, NZ
Interior Designer/Joinery Designer
September 2020 – August 2021
Client liaison
Concept/ design and development
Developed and Detailed design
Working drawing documentation
Project coordination

PLANET DESIGN CONSULTANTS
Wellington, NZ
Senior Interior Designer
April 2018 - August 2020
Key Clients:
Defence House, Real Estate Authority, Parliamentary
Service, Department of Internal Affairs
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OPUS ARCHITECTURE LTD. / WSP
Wellington, NZ
Senior Interior Designer
June 2016 – March 2018

Working drawing documentation (Autocad v2018, Revit v. 2018)

Key Clients:
Wellington East Girls College, Opus Regional Offices

PHILIPPA CHRISTIE DESIGN LTD.
Wellington, NZ
Spatial Designer/Joinery Designer
February 2015 – June 2016
Client liaison
Concept design and development
Developed and Detailed design
Working drawing documentation
Project coordination

VICTORIA UNIVERSITY OF WELLINGTON
School of Architecture and Design
Wellington, NZ
Tutor
2015
Semester 2: SARC 212 Furniture Design

TELCO ASSET MANAGEMENT LIMITED
Wellington, NZ
Interior Designer (contractor)
March 2014 – December 2014
Key Clients:
Ministry of Health, Earthquake Commission

VICTORIA UNIVERSITY OF WELLINGTON
School of Architecture and Design
Wellington, NZ

Tutor
2013

Semester 1: SARC 131 Introduction to Sustainability
Semester 2: ARCH1 412 Architecture Design Research

**2012 - time taken for childrearing*

WELTEC
Department of Creative Technologies
Wellington, NZ
Lecturer
2011

Studio Paper: *Tete a Tete*; Research into local tearoom and café culture followed by the design of a café from a self-collated brief, within a given space.

MASSEY UNIVERSITY
College of Creative Arts
Wellington, NZ
Lecturer
2010

Studio Paper: *Mapping Space, Tracing Time*. Documentation and response to changes within a given space through time using various techniques – both literal and emotive/abstract – to describe.

PLANET DESIGN CONSULTANTS
Wellington, NZ
Senior Interior Designer – Part-time Consultant
October 2008 - August 2010
Key Clients:
New Zealand Police HQ, Cespo Creche, Cespo,
Department of Labour
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PLANET DESIGN CONSULTANTS
Wellington, NZ
Senior Interior Designer
September 2005 - May 2008
Key Clients:

Ministry of Transport, The Professionals, Kiwibank, C3
Chews Lane Bar & Restaurant, Prime Property Creche,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Century 21, Chill Café, New
Zealand Police HQ.

STUDIO OF PACIFIC ARCHITECTURE
Wellington, NZ
Senior Interior Designer
July 2004 – August 2005
Working drawing documentation (Archicad 9)
Key Clients:
Key Client:
Fujitsu

New Zealand Defence Force, Ministry of Defence
**confidential information*

PARLANTE ARCHITECTURAL DESIGNERS
Wellington, NZ
Senior Interior Designer
February 2004 – July 2004

INTERDEC
Luton, UK
Contract Interior Designer
December 2001
Key Client:
Daimler-Chrysler

THOMSON HOUSE
Islington, London, UK
Interior Designer
August 2001 - November 2001

PLANET DESIGN
Wellington, NZ
Interior Designer
1999/2000
Key Clients:
AXA, BP Oil, Kinetic Recruitment, Ministry of Education,
Centerport, Office of the Auditor General, Department of
Internal Affairs, Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Trade.

VICTORIA UNIVERSITY OF WELLINGTON
Wellington, NZ
Tutor - Interior Design (300 Level)
February 1999 - July 1999
Studio tutorage to final year students

XMPR INTERNATIONAL
London, UK
Interior Designer
1998
Key Client:
Asprey & Garrard (Royal Jewelers)

WOLFF OLINS
London, UK
Part-time Junior Interior Designer
1996/1997
Key Clients:
Orange Communications, Co-op UK

PLANET DESIGN CONSULTANTS
Wellington, NZ
Part-time Junior Interior Designer
1993 - 1995
General office duties

EDUCATION

NEW ZEALAND GREEN BUILDING COUNCIL
Wellington, NZ
2007 & 2023

Training Level 1
Training Level 2
Accredited Professionals Exam

LONDON METROPOLITAN UNIVERSITY
London, UK
Student: Master of Architecture & Interior Design
2002 – 2003

Supervisor: Professor Robert Harbison
Thesis: Cults & Cultures - Investigating Celtic Sacred Place and Its Shadows within Christian Space
Design Scheme: Aqua Incognita – Design of Marine Biological Outstation, Capri
History & Theory: Poetry and Architecture
Digital Design Systems: 3D Microstation, Rhinoceros

VICTORIA UNIVERSITY OF WELLINGTON
Wellington, NZ
Bachelor of Design, Interior Design Major:
1992 - 1995

Thesis: To Dwell: The Sensual Experience of the Dwelling
Final thesis grading
Design: A, Written: A+
Elective Papers:
Furniture Design, Colour & Lighting, Exhibition Design and Printmaking

CAD DRAWING PACKAGES

Autocad
Revit & Enscape

OTHER ART/DESIGN/ARCHITECTURE RELATED

London College of Printing
CAPTURING THE MOMENT – PHOTOGRAPHS BY MICHAEL BARNETT
London, UK
Exhibition - Design Supervisor
November 2003
Retrospective photographic exhibition in aid of Cancer Research UK

B.TEC Jewellery Professional Development

QUOIL
Wellington, NZ
2000

Jewellery Design Study - Level One
Jewellery Design Study - Level Two

The Engineer NW1
ASPECTS OF LANDSCAPE – PHOTOGRAPHS BY NICKY WILLCOCK
London, UK
Exhibition - Design Supervisor

Annual Graduate Fashion Parade
WELLINGTON FASHION DESIGN SCHOOL
Wellington, NZ

Set Designer
1993, 1995

Set & lighting design
Stage crew & choreographer liaison
Set installation

CITY & ISLINGTON COLLEGE
London, UK
2001

October 2003
Photographic Exhibition: selective collection

REFEREES

Paul Belchambers – Principal/Director
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GHD DESIGN, Auckland, NZ
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