



ACCESSIBLE
DESIGN
STUDIOS
interior design

FREQUENTLY
ASKED
QUESTIONS



FAQ

1. WHY SHOULD I HIRE A REGISTERED INTERIOR DESIGNER?

Registered Interior Designers in Georgia have extensive training in designing commercial interior spaces. They are skilled and experienced through a rigorous path that includes a four-year degree in Interior Design, supervised work experience under a Certified Interior Designer or Architect for 2 years as an apprentice, and the successful completion of the 3 part, 11 hour North American interior design qualification exam, NCIDQ. This is similar to other professions like Architects, Lawyers, and Engineers.

Interior Design is about much more than just the way a space looks. Through the interior design process, a qualified Interior Designer can help you realize your goals and make the interior environment functional, accessible, and attractive.

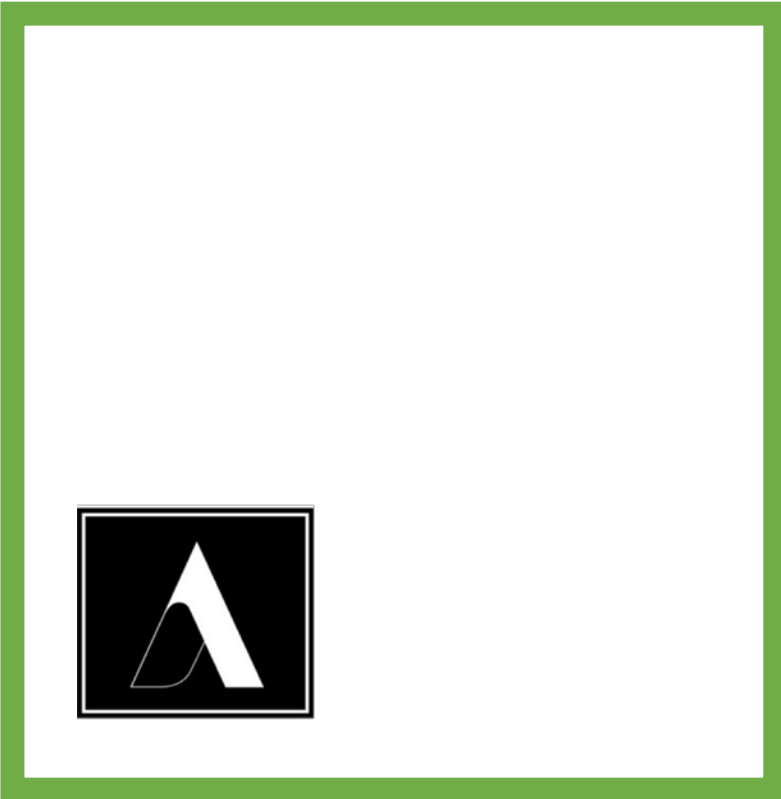
They also ensure that the design of your space complies with all regulatory and legal requirements such as Local and International Building Code (IBC) and accessibility standards.

A Registered Interior Designer ensures building permits drawings are submitted correctly, and the project is implemented as designed by a contractor or construction team.

2. HOW MUCH WILL MY CONSTRUCTION PROJECT COST?

Construction projects can vary greatly in cost. Factors such as the size and scope of the project, the materials involved, and the location can all impact the price.

We can not provide you with a rough estimate of the costs based on the information you provide, but for an accurate estimate, we'll need to see the project site and develop construction drawings to submit to a general contractor for pricing.





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3. HOW DO I FIND A CONTRACTOR FOR MY COMMERCIAL PROJECT?

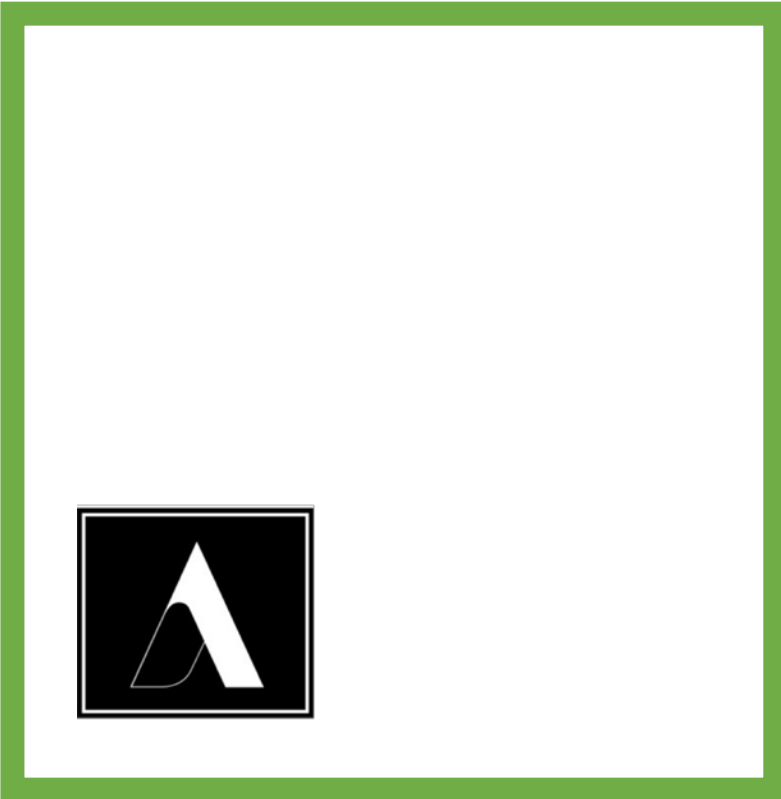
There are a few things to consider when looking for a contractor. First, you'll want to get referrals from friends or businesses in similar industries. Once you have a few contractors in mind, be sure to check their licenses and insurance to make sure they're qualified to work on your project. Finally, be sure to get a few bids before making your final decision. ADS can also be a resource for contractor referrals; but, remember that you (the client) actually hire the contractor for your project so it is imperative that you are confident that they are the right contractor for your project.

4. WILL ACCESSIBLE DESIGN STUDIO HELP ME GET MY BUILDING PERMIT?

Yes. You need drawings to obtain a building permit. At Accessible Design Studios we know the rules and steps to help you progress through the permitting process. We are able to seal and stamp non-structural permit drawings (which applies to most renovations and tenant-buildouts) and we have relationships with architects and engineers who will join the design project and provide their specialized construction drawing sets if and when required.

5. CAN I BRING PLAN IDEAS TO THE TABLE?

Absolutely. We appreciate it when clients bring their ideas to the process. A good designer will listen and learn about your needs, use those ideas as a starting point, then add their experience and design talents to develop your ideas into a working space that is functional and meets your aesthetic vision.





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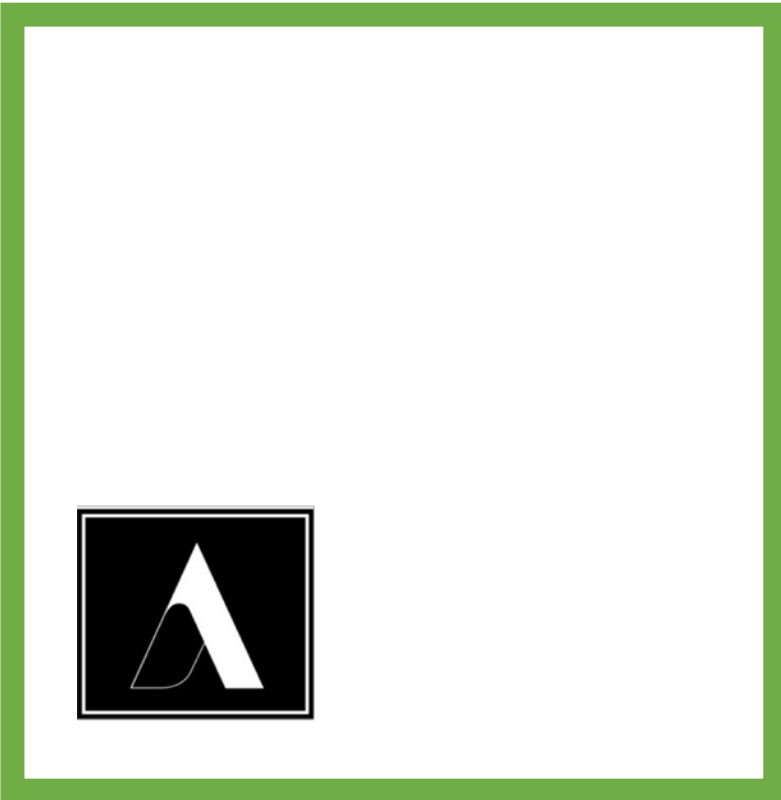
6. HOW LONG DOES THE PROCESS TAKE?

Every project is unique and the actual construction timeline will vary according to the trades. Furniture and equipment delivery times can be unpredictable. It is critical to give your designer plenty of time to coordinate with the trades and vendors and to think through all the details, so that you get the best results.

In general, it takes 14-31 weeks to produce a set of permit drawings, construction drawings, and furniture specifications.

7. WILL THERE BE SOMEONE AT ACCESSIBLE DESIGN STUDIOS TO HELP ME UNDERSTAND THE ENTIRE CONSTRUCTION PROCESS?

Accessible Design Studios is available to help with any questions you may have about your project. We're here to ensure that you have a clear understanding of the process, so that you can be confident in the final product.





We are here to help!
Contact us today!

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