

Stephanie Villet Berman



INTERIOR DESIGN

Pursuing best functionality and aesthetic aptness for living and working spaces:

- Interior design, space planning and problem-solving related to functionality and aesthetic goals.
- Research and/or select finishes, furniture, fabric, fixtures, and products utilizing onsite or online resources and vendors.
- Collaborate design direction with client and/or lead designer.
- Produce (including design of) boards and prints for presentations showing design intent, as well as specification books.
- AutoCAD, Sketchup, Photoshop, and Word documents as visual tool (or construction design drawings) for client, contractor and project communication.

What I Have Done & Do

Interior designer providing space planning, finishes, cabinetry, kitchen, bathroom and living space design and specification. Residential design as well as public community room and spaces design. Initial project management to include construction drawings, budget and purpose goal creation, as well as working with project timelines.

- Freelance - private residences, design assistance, and on staff, Los Angeles, San Francisco, CA. January 2017 to present

Provide interior design services including assisting principal designer(s) by providing concept ideas, space planning, supported textile and finishes selections, research furniture and accessories, provide specification/quote sheets or books, facilitate project purchasing. Projects often require AutoCAD, Sketchup and periodic Photoshop design drawings. (Freelance)

Among other design firms (to present):

- Ron Tremblay Design, Los Angeles, CA. March 2014 - November 2016, 2019
Creative residential interior design firm.
- The Interior Studio, Los Angeles, CA. January - December 2012, 2017
Upscale residential and boutique commercial interior design firm.
- Hirsch/Bedner Associates, Santa Monica, CA. Fall 2013. (Internship)
International hospitality interior design firm.
- Anita Fey Design, Los Angeles, CA. June - August 2011 (Internship)
Established contract interior design firm.

Residential real estate agent focusing on residential research to best suit client. (Inactive)

- Keller Williams Realty Westside, Los Angeles, CA. October 2007 - June 2008

Board member and volunteer for school fundraising or enrichment events, and in-classroom help.

- P.T.S.A, Parent Volunteer, Santa Monica public school, CA. September 2005 - June 2010

Graphic designer of communicative graphic print materials including signage, presentations, and printed material.

- Various clients including Getty Museum and Frank Schaffer Publications. Los Angeles, CA 1990 - 2002

Education and Achievement

Associates of Arts (A.A.) with Honors, Certificate of Achievement Interior Architectural Design I
– Santa Monica College, CA (Fall 2013)

Parsons School of Design, evenings, New York, NY – graphic design classes (2 ½ years)

SUNY Buffalo, and SUCNY Potsdam, NY – art, liberal arts classes (3 years together)

Real Estate License, Department of Real Estate, UCLA, Santa Monica College, CA (2006). (Inactive)

- Travel destinations: South Africa, Zimbabwe, London, Italy, New York, New England, Northern California.