

JUNIOR, INTERMEDIATE & SENIOR LIGHTING DESIGNERS – LISBON, PORTUGAL

We are seeking Junior, Intermediate and Senior Lighting Designers to join our Lisbon studio, working across a diverse portfolio of international architectural projects from concept through to completion.

These roles suit creative, technically confident designers who combine strong design sensibility with commercial awareness and a collaborative mindset. You will play a key role in delivering high-quality lighting solutions while contributing to the studio's creative and professional culture.

Junior Lighting Designer

As a Junior Designer, you will support project teams in the development and delivery of lighting design projects across a range of sectors. Working under the guidance of Senior Designers and Associates, you will assist in producing design concepts, documentation and technical information in line with Nulty's scope of services and studio standards.

You will:

- Support the preparation of design concepts, presentations and technical documentation
- Assist in producing drawings, schedules and reports in line with project requirements
- Contribute to project deliverables as directed by Senior Designers and Associates
- Participate in project coordination and internal design reviews
- Develop an understanding of construction processes and buildability considerations
- Build professional relationships with colleagues and the wider project team
- Continue developing design, technical and communication skills within a collaborative studio environment

Intermediate Lighting Designer

As an Intermediate Designer, you will take increasing ownership of project packages, working closely with Senior Designers and Associates while operating with a good degree of autonomy.

You will have a clear understanding of the lighting design process and a working knowledge of the wider construction environment. You will contribute to concept development, technical documentation and coordination, ensuring deliverables are accurate, well considered and aligned with studio standards.

You will:

- Contribute to design concepts, presentations and technical packages
- Produce drawings, schedules, reports and specifications
- Coordinate with clients and consultants, attending meetings as required
- Manage your time effectively in line with project fees and programmes
- Support and guide junior team members where appropriate
- Develop professional relationships with clients and project teams
- Demonstrate growing commercial awareness and understanding of project delivery

Experience required:

2–3 years' experience within an independent architectural lighting design practice.





Senior Lighting Designer

As a Senior Designer, you will lead multiple projects simultaneously, taking responsibility for creative direction, technical delivery and client management. You will report to Associates and Directors while overseeing the output and development of junior and intermediate designers.

You will work autonomously for extended periods, ensuring projects are delivered to the highest design and technical standards, on programme and within fee constraints.

You will:

- Lead projects from concept through to completion
- Oversee and review all documentation and technical output
- Manage client relationships and expectations
- Ensure compliance with regulatory, health and safety and studio standards
- Monitor project time allocation and commercial performance
- Mentor and line-manage junior team members
- Contribute to business development, networking and studio promotion
- Continually strengthen your design leadership and industry knowledge
- You will be pragmatic, organised and confident, with strong communication skills and the ability to positively represent the studio.

Experience required:

Minimum 5 years' experience within an independent architectural lighting design practice.

All designers must have proficiency in industry software including Dialux, AutoCAD, Adobe Creative Suite, SketchUp and MS Offices.

Salary commensurate with experience.

Please send your CV and portfolio to: office@nultylighting.co.uk

