

# Lisa Vasquez

SENIOR INTERIOR DESIGNER

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## EDUCATION

*BACHELOR OF ARTS, HISTORY*  
University of California,  
Los Angeles

*ASSOCIATE OF ARTS, HONORS  
INTERIOR DESIGN*  
Fashion Institute of Design &  
Merchandising

## COMPUTER SKILLS

AUTOCAD  
BLUEBEAM  
SPECIFICATION PROGRAMS  
(SMART DESIGNER)  
OUTLOOK, EXCEL, WORD  
POWERPOINT  
PHOTOSHOP  
InDESIGN  
ILLUSTRATOR

## NOTABLE PROJECTS

- MONTAGE SPANISH PEAKS  
BIG SKY, MONTANA
- MONTAGE LA QUINTA, CA
- GRAND HYATT S.F.O.
- HILTON CANOPY BALTIMORE
- LOS ANGELES COUNTRY CLUB
- PENINSULA GOLF & COUNTRY  
CLUB
- CLEMENT HOTEL, PALO ALTO
- THE MASIONS AT MGM -  
LAS VEGAS, NV

## BACKGROUND

13 years of experience in 4 to 5 star hospitality and high end residential interior design. Extensive knowledge of furniture and fabric lines with strong vendor relationships. Ability to manage junior level employees and manage multiple projects simultaneously. Positive, can-do attitude, efficient communicator, problem solver, and user of common sense. Good eye for details, well -traveled, and always looking for innovative Ideas to bring to the table.

## WORK EXPERIENCE

### SENIOR INTERIOR DESIGNER

**Brayton Hughes Design Studios** | June 2010 - Current

- Coordinate and drive all phases of interior design for high end hospitality, resort, and private club projects, from initial design concepts to installation.
- Supervise and develop junior staff while preparing FF&E package documentation including FF&E budgets, specifications, custom furniture drawings, space planning, and coordination of interior architectural plans with FF&E.
- Continual communication over the course of the project with outside architects, engineers, contractors, lighting designers, purchasing agents, ownership, hotel brands/operators, and other consultants.
- Attend and present at client meetings as well as oversee model room reviews and project installations.
- Associate role, aside of design role, requires staff event coordination, staff education, as well as continual updating of the FF&E department.

### JUNIOR INTERIOR DESIGNER

**Joan Behnke & Associates** | October 2006 - February 2010

- Junior designer for a firm specializing in high end residential and boutique hotels. Involved in all aspects of the project Including creation of budgets, plumbing and fixture schedules, space planning, presentation boards, custom furniture design, and redlining plan sets.
- In-house purchasing for entire FF&E phase of project that Included writing purchase orders, expediting orders, and coordinating/overseeing installations.
- Attended site meetings and routine site visits working with architects and contractors.
- Review custom furniture with factory visits to ensure furniture is made to specified details.

### DESIGN ASSOCIATE

**Expo Design Center** | February 2006 - October 2006

- Associate for special order kitchen and bath showroom. Assisted customers with working knowledge of plumbing fixtures, hardware, kitchen and bathroom accessories.
- Worked one on one with clients to select specialized products for bathroom and kitchen projects.
- Required clear communication with customers and attention to detail.