

## Position Description

<b>Position Title:</b>	Project Architect	<b>Direct Reports:</b>	None
<b>Department:</b>	Architecture	<b>Classification:</b>	Exempt
<b>Location:</b>	Any Kingscott Office, Remote	<b>Approved Date:</b>	
<b>Reports To:</b>	Director of Architecture	<b>Revision Date:</b>	August 2024

### Position Summary:

The Project Architect will plan and design, and/or facilitate the execution of new building designs, and plan, design and/or facilitate the execution of building expansions or renovations according to clients’ needs, desires, and financial resources.

### Organizational Values:

Our belief in people leads us to work with project partners that have people at their center. Our company values are:

- Investing in People
- Achieving the Extraordinary
- Serving with Humility
- Finding Fun in Our Work
- Committing Ourselves to Mutual Success
- Fearlessly Exploring
- Striving for Authenticity

### Essential Responsibilities:

- Identifies, through consultation, clients’ requirements, approximate budget, timetable, and possible needs for future expansion.
- Determines clients’ preferences regarding materials, styles, colors, and other variables.
- Attempts to identify through collaboration clients’ priorities in terms of needs vs. desires.
- Assists clients in defining their priorities and vision by preparing preliminary sketches of options.
- Prepares and presents designs, specifications, estimated costs, and proposed construction schedule.
- Creates detailed plans integrating engineering, electrical, and HVAC considerations; presents plans to clients for review and approval.
- Modifies new or existing plans as required.
- Prepares scale drawings and contract requirements and submits for bids.
- Collaborates with clients to select and award construction contracts.
- Collaborates with head builder and clients to facilitate the building process to meet clients’ specifications.
- Performs other related duties as assigned.

**Non-Essential Responsibilities:**

- Other duties as assigned by the Project Director and/or the Project Manager.

**Supervision Received:**

General Direction: Plans and arranges own work. Uses a wide range of procedures to accomplish assigned objectives.

**Supervisory Responsibilities:**

No supervision: No supervisory responsibilities.

**Education & Experience:**

- Bachelor's degree in Architecture from an accredited institution required; Master's degree preferred
- Five (5+) years of relevant architectural design experience required
- Strong proficiency in architectural design software, such as AutoCAD, Revit, Bluebeam, SketchUp, Enscape
- Proficient in architectural design principals, buildings systems, local building codes and regulations, and construction methods required.
- Active board licensure in State of Michigan required.

**Other Knowledge, Skills & Abilities:**

- Excellent listening, verbal and written communication skills.
- Excellent problem-solving, negotiation and consultation skills.
- Strong attention to detail and the ability to work collaboratively in a team.
- Creative problem-solving skills and a passion for architectural design
- Knowledge of architectural, civil, structural, and electrical disciplines; building construction; cost estimating; and building codes.
- Possess and demonstrate solid analytical, communication, and interpersonal skills.
- Ability to work in an energetic and challenging work environment on multiple projects simultaneously and meet deadlines.
- Ability to travel throughout the state of Michigan regularly (2-3 days per week) to client sites and in-person meetings, required.

Are you interested in being part of a collaborative culture with significant opportunities for professional growth? Apply now!

**How to Apply:**

- Please send your resume and cover letter to Maureen Weatherby, Chief People Officer, at [mweatherby@kingscott.com](mailto:mweatherby@kingscott.com).

**Physical Requirements:**

Average Daily Physical Requirements	None	Less than 2 hours	2 to 5 hours	More than 5 hours
Work in stationary position				X
Move about work area		X		
Use hands/fingers to handle or feel				X
Reach with hands and arms		X		
Ascend/Descend (stairs/ladder/etc.)		X		
Bend, stoop, kneel, crouch, or crawl		X		
Communicate with various parties			X	
Detect flavors or smells	X			
Move containers up to 30 pounds	X			
Visual acuity				X
Read and understand written word				X
Drive/Travel			X	
Operate computer and general office machines				X
Operate Machines:	X			
Other:				

**Environmental Conditions:**

Average Daily Environmental Conditions	None	Less than 2 hours	2 to 5 hours	More than 5 hours
<b>Normal office environment:</b> No exposure to extreme heat, cold, noise or chemicals or hazardous equipment.				X
<b>Plant environment:</b> Exposure to dust, oil, various chemicals, and extreme noise.	X			
<b>Warehouse environment:</b> Exposure to extreme temperatures, noise, hazardous equipment, and fumes from trucks.	X			
<b>Travel:</b> Limited exposure to outside elements.		X		
<b>Other:</b>				

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