Our BDP MENA Studio is looking for a Senior Design Architect to join our Abu Dhabi Design Studio. We are looking for a new member of our team, with a background in the design and technical delivery of refurbishment, mixed use, educational, ecotourism, hospitality design, with a focus on delivering sustainably focused solutions and have the ability to support and grow our regional design capabilities.

The Senior Design Architect will be responsible for leading the design of complex design led projects, working closely with clients, project stakeholders, and other BDP and regional design professionals to ensure successful project delivery.

The Senior Design Architect will oversee the development of design concepts, detailed design drawings, specifications, and other project documentation, and will ensure compliance with relevant codes, regulations, and standards.

A BDP Senior Architect, must be able to:

- Create / Lead the project vision, produce conceptual sketches, and design reports.
- Lead the design process from conceptual phase through to the construction documentation and ensuring the design idea is consistent and accurately executed.
- Prepare, and develop drawings, models, images, and other documents relating to the design. Meet with clients to discuss the design requirements for new constructions, alterations, or repairs.
- Collaborate closely, where appropriate, with members of the external design team and other associated organizations or companies.
- Coordinate the design with all disciplines, subconsultants, and stakeholders.
- Takes ownership for preparation and submission to the Statutory Authorities documentation, therefore must have a knowledge of local & international codes, regulations, and submission requirements.
- Have BIM capabilities aligned with that of a leadership role in delivery design focused documentation.
- Mentors and advises the less experienced staff, participates in professional development, and "Lessons Learned" sessions.

General Position Requirements:

- Bachelor's qualification in Architecture
- Proven experience of which 8 years must be working on Medium to Large Scale Projects.
- RIBA/AIA Licensed Architect (or equivalent) would be preferred.
- Extensive experience from concept through to construction, across a range of project types
- Strong design capabilities and the ability to lead teams and projects. Strong organizational skills.
- Proficiency in Revit is a requirement,
- Middle East experience and working knowledge of design and construction practices specific to this region.
- Strong knowledge of building codes, regulations, and submissions requirements
- Excellent project management skills, with the ability to manage multiple projects simultaneously.

To apply

For direct applicants please can you submit your CV, cover letter and portfolio to <u>Craig Howard</u>

Please include an indication of your salary expectations and notice period in your cover note.

No agencies or third-party applicants