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RECENT CLIENTS

Applied Multi-Media
 Technology Centre

Clancy's Ventures

Courts of St. James

Della Sil Fancy Chocolates

Fort Garry Legion

Globe General Agencies

Government of Canada,
 Department of Justice

Hotel Fort Garry

Italian Cultural Centre

Marigold Restaurant

Mondetta Clothing

National Film Board

Ramada Marlborough Hotel

St. John's Ambulance

Selkirk Town Plaza

Small Indulgence

Stratfield Properties

Sunridge Management Inc.

Seven Oaks General Hospital

The Green Scene

Tutti Frutti
 (Forks Market Fruit Vendor)

Uomo Casuale
 (Men's Clothing Store)

Valley Steel Ltd.

West Park Manor

1992-present

DESIGN STUDIO

Interior Designer/Partner

Own and operate a full service interior design / graphic design firm and editor of the Home Advisor.

RESPONSIBLE FOR research, concept development and design; computerized floor and furniture plans including elevations, detail drawings, lighting specifications, finishes and colour schemes; as well as project management and coordinating installation.

Serving the needs of commercial, corporate and residential clients on time and on budget.

1993-2003

HANDS-ON HOME DECORATING CLASSES

Instructor

Operating a variety of evening home decorating classes.

RESPONSIBLE FOR instructing various levels of two, four and six week 'hands on' home decorating classes out of the office of Design Associates. Classes taught in a friendly and interactive environment. Students learn concept development, basic design principles, problem solving, colour theory (including the creation of a material/image board). Classes are practical and visually oriented with interactive material.



Feature article on up and coming young entrepreneurs.

1993

RED RIVER COLLEGE

Instructor - 10 week Ergonomics Course

Instructed and piloted the first Ergonomics Program at the College.

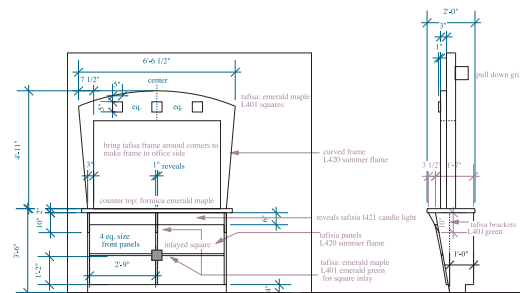
RESPONSIBLE FOR instructing and creating class curriculum including writing assignments, tests and coordinating reading material.

1990 - 1993

ELAN INTERIORS

Interior design consultant for exclusive custom furniture/drapery and fabric boutique.

RESPONSIBLE FOR sales client meetings, sketching design concepts, and colour schemes, drapery and fabric selections including furniture design and layout.



St. John's Ambulance - Reception Counter

ABOUT ME

- 12 years of experience as an interior designer/instructor
- Author of the Home Furniture Planner. A space planning kit for your home.
- Editor of the Home Advisor. A monthly design, renovation and lifestyle publication.
- Various feature articles in Winnipeg Free Press - Sunday Homes, Winnipeg Sun, Manitoba Business
- Feature article in Canadian House and Home
- Feature articles in Canadian Living Magazine
- Feature article in The Costco Connection
- Belinda has been featured on City Line, Home and Garden Television, Daytime

EDUCATION

- Bachelor of Interior Design (1990)
 HONOURS
 The University of Manitoba
 Faculty of Architecture
- Bachelor of Arts (1986) French & English
 The University of Winnipeg
 Final year completed in Paris, France.
 The Sorbonne University

BELINDA

Professional interior designer, Belinda Albo is an honours graduate of the University of Manitoba, Department of Interior Design.

Author of the Hands-on Home Furniture Planner and Editor of the Home Advisor.



HOME PLANNER BOOTH

The Home Furniture Planner, award winning, trade show booth.

Winner of best booth design at "Uniquely Ontario, Gift Show".

MONDETTA STORE CONCEPT

Proposal of contemporary Toronto store design.



MONDETTA STORE

Actual store design with white lacquer shelves to highlight primary coloured high quality sportswear.

McFADDEN RESIDENCE

Home styled for a real estate agent for resale. A non-traditional take on urban country style.



CLARK COMMUNICATIONS OFFICES

Contemporary/corporate environment with custom designed sofa and movable walls. Bold colours and faux finishes used throughout the interior.

THE COOKING STUDIO

Open and interactive classroom environment. A country interior with terra cotta tiles and custom designed tongue and groove work area.



WORWICK RESIDENCE

This home was designed and furnished creatively juxtaposing classical elements.

BRONSON RESIDENCE

Open concept kitchen with granite counter top and tumbled tiles with deep chocolate hardwood floors.



BRONSON RESIDENCE

Painted out wall mouldings create a pared-down clean line traditional style.

P R O J E C T S - D E S I G N

THE FORT GARRY HOTEL

Designs to reflect the existing architecture of a historic 1900's French chateau style hotel. A Canadian national landmark.



THE FORT GARRY CRYSTAL BALLROOM

Crystal Ballroom. Colour scheme, drapery and carpet selection chosen to reflect high French Provincial style.

THE FORT GARRY HOTEL

600 sq foot club style executive suite inspired by the arts & craft movement of the 1900's.



THE FORT GARRY LOGGIA

Furniture and attention to detail creates the ultimate setting for a turn of the century sitting hall.

FORT GARRY DINER

24 hour sundry cafe designed with a chic 50's style soda parlor appeal.



PRAIRIE OYSTER CAFE

A warehouse style restaurant with open kitchen and industrial elements.

GLOBE GENERAL OFFICES

Boardroom entrance doors celebrate a sleek take on timeless contemporary flair. (stainless steel inlay maple doors)



GLOBE GENERAL BOARDROOM

A corporate custom boardroom design with floating bulkheads, italian pendent light fixtures and a grand feature wall built-in.

GLOBE GENERAL RECEPTION AREA

Reception area has architectural details that are angular and masculine which make a confident design statement.



UOMO CASUAL CLOTHING

An upscale men's clothing store presented with a high contrast colour scheme in a modular environment.

P R O J E C T S - S T Y L I S T

BEDDING

Photographs numbered 1 - 6
were styled for various clients
to express a friendly yet
upscale comfort.
(Historic and hip)



COMFORT

Shots 1 and 2 were styled to express
soft comfortable bedding and a good
night sleep.

SERVICE



AFTERNOON TEA

Tea setting for an intimate
gathering.

FORMAL RECEPTION



CUISINE

CANADIAN LIVING MAGAZINE

Photographs styled for the October
issue of Canadian Living. Interior
by Belinda Albo.



CANADIAN LIVING MAGAZINE

Photo vignette of flea market finds
and incorporating Martha Stewart
bedding.