

education

California State University, Long Beach
College of the Arts
Bachelor of Fine Arts in Interior Design, 1983

professional registrations

NCIDQ® Certification No. 007391

memberships

International Interior Design Association (IIDA)

experience

JLL | Cleveland, Ohio | 2015-2019

As a Senior Occupancy Planner, handled reports on vacancy, density, and utilization for KeyBank corporate locations nationwide. Embedded in KeyBank's corporate Real Estate department. Processed employee moves, additions, and changes for portfolio of 4.5 million square feet of corporate facilities and 20,000 employees and contractors.

The Home Depot | Macedonia, Ohio | 2013-2015

Kitchen and Bath Designer proficient in design, sales, specifications of all related products. Demonstrated excellent customer service skills and utilized 20/20 software to present designs, order product and then coordinated installations.

Shutters International | Seven Hills, Ohio | 2003-2013

Co-owner of this window blind and window film company. Met with all clients for window blind selections. Handled specifications, sales, administrative services and supervised installations.

Design Collective Incorporated | Cleveland, Ohio | 1995-1999

As a Senior Interior Designer for this interior/architectural design studio provided full-scope commercial interior design services. Maintained long-term and successful client relationships with Ernst & Young, LLP, Moreland Management and AIG Insurance.

Richard L. Bowen & Associates | Cleveland, Ohio | 1994-1995

Director of Interior Design for this architectural/engineering firm. Led team for Steris Corporation on fast track reorganization and relocation of corporate headquarters. Completed feasibility studies, furniture/finish specs, construction drawings for multiple clients.

Western Corporate Images | Santa Ana, California | 1985-1993

Started career at this Haworth furniture dealership and progressed to level of Senior Interior Designer. Provided full scope design services for long term clients – Rockwell International Corporation, Coldwell Banker, Fairmont Insurance and Huntington Capitol Corp.



Beverly Mares

Market Development – Education GDOT Design

Beverly focuses on the Higher Education and K-12 market in northern OH, western PA and northwestern WV. She utilizes the skills accrued from her diverse background in corporate interior design, kitchen design, occupancy planning and interior finish and furniture sales. Beverly leverages her familiarity with the design process, excellent organizational and communication skills to build long-term relationships with designers, architects, project managers, procurement personnel, vendors and end-users. She is detail-oriented and a resourceful problem solver with a proven record of delivering consistent, measurable results.