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DESIGN STUDIO

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we're so glad you found us

OUR MISSION IS SIMPLE. CREATING SPACES THAT BRING YOU JOY AND ENHANCE THE WAY YOU LIVE IN OR WORK IN A SPACE.

Maoma is a boutique interior design studio based in Buckinghamshire; offering clients one on one design consultancy, styling, spatial planning, materials sourcing and specification services. Maoma works with both residential and commercial clients as well as with developers and builders on both new construction and renovations.

To us, being able to see the possibility in your space and guiding you towards the final transformation and vision that you have is why we do what we do. We take the time to understand not only your personal aesthetic style and preferences, but also the functional aspects of how you plan to use the space. Our approach to interior design is holistic. We see this relationship as a beautiful creative partnership and we are here to support you throughout the journey to the finish line.

01 Founder and Lead Designer Kristina Hannah



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what we do

- DESIGN CONSULTANCY
- STYLING, FURNITURE AND OBJECT CURATION
- SPATIAL PLANNING
- FLOORPLANS AND TECHNICAL DRAWINGS
- MATERIALS SPECIFICATION
- MATERIALS SOURCING
- COLOUR CONSULTANCY
- ON SITE LIASONS
- PROJECT MANAGEMENT

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the process

How the project will pan out, the different stages involved

WE BELIEVE THAT EVERY ROOM SHOULD BE A "LIVING" ROOM. THAT'S WHY OUR PROCESS BEGINS AND ENDS WITH UNDERSTANDING HOW YOU LIVE IN AND USE A SPACE.



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1 DISCOVERY

We work with you to ensure concepts align with your vision and needs for a space. The first step of this is by way of an initial consultation. Discovery is a vital first building block to creating concepts you are going to love. We use the time spent here to continually build a picture centered on your aspirations and taking into account all aspects from your budget to the building structure and more.

2 CONCEPT DESIGN & LAYOUT

Once we have a deeper understanding of what it is that you want to achieve and your own personal sense of style we get to work. We begin to work on the look, feel and colour palette for each space and use this concept to start drafting layout plans for the rooms.

3 DESIGN DEVELOPMENT

Following the presenting of the above concepts to you Presenting your design concept to you this next stage involves preparing moodboards and sample boards as well as sourcing of retailers and trades from which to acquire the desired items for the project. This is the time to start considering the bathroom and kitchen designs as well as the electrical final plans, This is also the stage where we get more feedback from you to further hone in on that final vision.

4 SPECIFICATION

Once we have a final approved concept and design development direction from you we can dive into making that dream of yours a reality. At this stage (dependent on your package and the scope of work agreed upon) we begin the procurement phase of a project (begin the process of ordering items for the furnishing of the space), make selections around hard and soft fixtures, fittings and materials.

5 INSTALL & REVEAL

That incredible moment when it all comes to life. To us, there is no better stage than handing over a completed space to you and seeing your reaction. It's why we do what we do.

what our clients are saying

KATIE & DAN D

"When we purchased our new apartment it needed some design TLC. We were looking for a particular style which we knew had to come from someone who knows colours, textures and symmetry but also someone who knew how to incorporate our extensive art collection- enter MAOMA Design Studio. Kristina was exactly what we needed- supportive of our ideas but realistic in terms of execution- endeavouring to find a way even when space was limited!"

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"We have used several interior designers for our offices over the years but none have impressed us as much as Kristina did. Her approach to the projects was practical, achievable and reflective of our initial client meetings. She listened to what we required, listened to our budget constraints and still managed to create the perfect working environment that our employees and clients enjoy".





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KRISTINA
HANNAH LEAD
DESIGNER

meet kristina

Kristina's passion for creating beautiful, meaningful spaces is clear to anyone who meets her. Established in 2018, interior design (surprisingly), wasn't always the obvious choice for her. Coming from a background in the finance industry, Kristina couldn't deny the natural fascination she had with interior design - along with the transformational power of a good before and after.

Being a mother to two beautiful baby boys has further cemented her passion for her work and following a creative career path is where she feels most fulfilled. Her background in finance makes her a natural planner with an eye for detail, combined with her creative flair and knowledge of design, Maoma Design Studio is the perfect meeting point for Kristina's skill and love of interiors.



“YOUR HOME SHOULD TELL THE STORY OF WHO YOU ARE, AND BE A COLLECTION OF WHAT YOU LOVE.”

NATE BERKUS

We can put together custom packages based on your individual design needs. If this interests you, please get in touch via email to start the conversation.

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We tailor each clients' design package following an initial client consultation. Each client is unique and we respect that and so we focus on how we can best help our clients to create a project with which their vision will not only be brought to life but also one that they can enjoy!



“THE DETAILS ARE NOT THE DETAILS. THE DETAILS MAKE THE DESIGN.”

CHARLES EAMES

"Kristina's passion is evident when you have your first client consultation - but most impressive was her passion to turn my ideas into a reality- suggestions, thoughts, concepts- she would provide them all in a way that wasn't overwhelming but rather made the whole project more exciting! Can't wait to have her back to help with the rest of the renovation!"

- BETH & JACKSON

what our clients are saying

"Working with Kristina was the first time we decided to use an interior designer and we are so thrilled that we chose to work with her for the experience. Kristina immediately made us feel at ease and understood the vision we had but which we were unable to conceptualise and make a reality. Her professional, organised and creative approach meant that no details were missed and we felt totally involved and aware of every step of our home redesign".

- SAMANTHA B



YOU'VE GOT QUESTIONS.
WE'VE GOT THE ANSWERS

HELP! I DON'T KNOW WHAT MY STYLE IS OR HOW TO ARTICULATE IT - SHOULD I STILL WORK WITH A DESIGNER?

We hear this concern frequently and understand that it can be a challenge to find the right design style for you and your lifestyle. Rest assured we have a unique assessment system to draw out what colours, textures, images, shapes, finishes and feelings resonate with you. Your answers inform our design process and our 'Design Workshop' package would be ideal to discuss your vision as it would provide you with 1.5 hour 1-on-1 interior design support to flesh out the project with you.

Our favourite part of our job is helping you create a space that's completely unique to your personality and not a replica of "specific style" that looks done and impersonal.

CAN I PURCHASE THE VARIOUS ITEMS SUGGESTED FOR OUR DESIGN THROUGH YOU?

We have access to a number of suppliers who we work closely with to help achieve your bespoke design. Some of these are not readily available to the general public so we can often source items you will not see elsewhere - a huge benefit of working with a designer. We are also happy to place orders on your behalf to make the process easier and more convenient for you. Life can be busy and we are here to help!

DO YOU WORK WITH CLIENTS OUTSIDE OF THE UK?

Yes we do! We offer a variety of ways to work with us if you live outside of the United Kingdom and have completed several projects overseas via online mediums. Once we understand more about your project we can advise you further.

WHEN IT COMES TO ORGANISING TRADESPEOPLE OR SUPPLIERS, DO YOU HAVE TRUSTED CONTRACTORS YOU USE?

We have a number of tradespeople that we work with regularly and have a high level of trust in. We are more than happy to liaise with them on your behalf. These include carpenters, painters & decorators, builders, electricians, kitchen & bathroom fitters, curtain & blind makers and upholsterers. Obviously, you are most welcome to have your own tradespeople that you would prefer to use. It takes a team to bring your project to life and we pride ourselves on making sure that everything runs smoothly at each stage.

DO I NEED AN INTERIOR DESIGNER OR AN ARCHITECT FOR MY PROJECT?

This is actually a very common question. Typically, an interior designer has the skills and professional education to design and draft new space plans – whether reconfiguring an existing interior space or adding square footage to a home – as well as developing lighting and electrical plans, selecting all interior finishes such as flooring, countertops, tile, paint colours, wall and window treatments, as well as specify plumbing, appliances, cabinetry and furnishings, to name a few.

If your project involves changing structural load bearing walls, or adding square footage, an architect and/or structural engineer will need to be part of the process. They'll provide the necessary drawings and structural calculations required by your local building department to ensure your safety and welfare, as well as pass building code inspections. Of course we would work closely with them throughout the project. Interior designers and architects often work hand in hand to give clients the best of both worlds - a home that is beautiful, functional and considers the way that you live in and use the space.

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WILL THERE BE DESIGN TERMS AND CONDITIONS IN PLACE WHEN WE WORK WITH YOU ON OUR PROJECT?

Absolutely. We believe that agreed and signed terms and conditions not only serve us as a service provider but also protect you as the client. It ensures that the project and our work is kept to the utmost professional level and it helps ensure that we are all on the same page. It's so important for you as a client to understand deliverables and our processes and we believe that terms and conditions are one of the best ways to make this as crystal clear as possible.

WHAT DO I DO TO PREPARE FOR AN INITIAL CONSULTATION WITH AN INTERIOR DESIGNER?

In an effort to help us create a beautiful and functional space for you, we suggest developing a visual reference file of images or items that capture the feeling, colours, textures, and functionality of what you're trying to achieve - Pinterest or Instagram are great for this! The images you show us don't have to be pictures of interior spaces. Show us whatever tickles your fancy and makes you feel inspired!

The second - and probably most important item that you must be prepared to discuss is your project budget. Rather than approach your project from a standpoint of how much you think it will cost, we have found it much more effective to give thoughtful consideration to what you're comfortable investing in your project. We can then use this as a starting point to understand what we can achieve and how we can work within that budget to create something beautiful.

Solidify a budget you're comfortable with before your initial consultation and you'll feel in control of the process, save time and money and assist us in working more effectively to create a space that you are going to love.



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If you have any additional questions please don't hesitate to reach out INFO@MAOMADESIGNS.COM

behind the name



YOU MIGHT BE WONDERING

So, what is the story behind the name MAOMA?

Kristina comes from a very close family and has a particularly strong bond with her artist mother and sister. The name MAOMA came about as a result of a play on the initials of her supportive family and her connection to home. Naturally, when she started her interior design studio, this connection to her sense of 'home' was an obvious fit. And so, Maoma Design Studio was born.



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communication

Office Hours

Mon 09:00-15:00
Wed 09:00-15:00
Thu 09:00-15:00
Fri 09:00-13:30

Feel free to call or text me during those hours. If I am unable to answer please leave a message and I will call you back as soon as possible.

Urgent questions or issues

The best way to reach me with urgent issues or questions is via text message.

Please be aware that any communications received outside of office hours may not be responded to immediately.

What you can expect from me

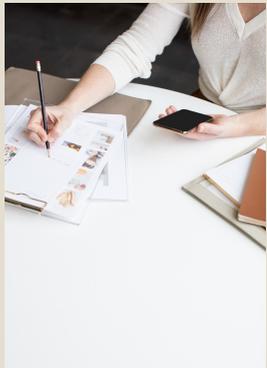
- Regular phone or text check-ins
- Weekly update and project progress emails
- In person meetings at start and end of key phases of project
- Site visits - as needed or requested by you or trades
- Any additional communications as stipulated by our agreed Terms and Conditions



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next steps

READY TO WORK WITH US?

This is exciting! Reach out to us via email or telephone so that we can discuss your project and vision in more detail during an initial 30 minute complimentary phone consultation. From here we can provide further recommendations and advice around our service offerings based on our understanding of your individual needs.

The next steps to book in to our design calendar will involve placing a deposit on your project. We accept a limited number of bookings per quarter in order to give you 100% of our creative energy and ensure that you have a great experience with us - your deposit allows us to plan ahead and block out time especially for you.

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