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Full-Time, Mid-Level Landscape Architect/Designer

Wenk Associates, an established, award-winning landscape architecture and planning firm located in Denver's RiNo Art District, is looking for a mid-level project landscape architect/designer with 3-7 years of experience.

We work both locally and nationally on award-winning projects including parks, greenways, urban design, urban waterway revitalization, and campus design. Many of our projects incorporate green infrastructure strategies that treat and manage stormwater runoff to enhance ecological, human, and economic value. Our projects typically begin as master plans and then move forward through design and construction, so the ideal candidate has a passion for design with the skills, ability, and interest to work at all scales.

The ideal candidate must have the ability and experience to fulfill most of the following responsibilities:

- Initiate and supervise project research, including site investigation and analysis; assembly of project background materials; collection of data and development of base maps and plans; and conducting product and materials research.
- Complete tasks per schedule and budget; responsible for fulfilling contracted scope, identifying items outside of scope, and working with project manager/principal to resolve.
- Supervise and prepare thorough, complete, and accurate work.
- Prepare project graphics/renderings, including presentation-quality plans, sections, and perspectives. Skill at hand graphics, computer graphics or both should be evident.
- Conduct regular client contact on smaller projects or subtasks of larger projects.
- Provide technical direction to staff and subconsultants. Should demonstrate an ability to anticipate problems/challenges; think critically and strategically to overcome them; have the technical skills necessary to provide leadership to staff.
- Prepare grading studies/plans. Should be proficient at site grading at small and large scales and with complex conditions.
- Prepare site layout and materials plans and details. Should be proficient at solving circulation issues (pedestrian and vehicular), and in detail design for hardscape, walls, and other elements. Should also be proficient at working with civil engineers, architects, and other subconsultants.
- Prepare planting plans and details. Should have proficient knowledge of plant materials.
- Prepare demolition and removals plans, under supervision. Develop proficiency in construction staging or phasing.
- Prepare and review quantity takeoffs and preliminary opinions of probable construction costs.
- Prepare and red-line construction documents and document packages.
- Prepare bid documents.
- Conduct construction observation including submittals, site visits, and field reports.
- Supervise and coach staff landscape designers in all aspects of project work.

Skills Required:

- Demonstrated technical ability in design and/or planning areas.
- Self-directed, works easily with a diverse group of co-workers, clients, and consultants.

- Demonstrated critical thinking skills and ability to anticipate problems and develop strategies for resolving them.
- Demonstrated knowledge of construction materials and methods.
- Demonstrated interpersonal communication skills (written, oral, graphic), and ability to organize clear and logical presentations.
- Ability to direct the work of junior staff (delegation, provision of constructive feedback).
- Demonstrated high level of accuracy in your work, attention to detail, and responsibility/ownership of work products.
- Demonstrate proficiency in current design software including AutoCAD, SketchUp, Lumion, Adobe Creative Suite, MS Office, Bluebeam.

Minimum Credentials:

- BLA or MLA degree from an accredited landscape architecture, planning, or urban design program.
- Demonstrated experience in progressively responsible positions on projects similar in scale to Wenk Associate's work at comparable firms.
- Live in or be willing to relocate to the Denver area.

Finally, we're looking for someone with imagination and energy, a self-starter who can work easily and effectively in a team environment.

NO PHONE CALLS PLEASE.

For qualified candidates, please email your **resume, references (3), cover letter, and a PDF of your work samples** (max 10mb) to candidate@wenkla.com. If your portfolio is online, please send a link **AND** a PDF.

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