

1. Architect and interior designer from India

Educational background

Bachelor of Architecture, University, India

Final project: Rehabilitation Centre for the Elderly

Master's in Interior Design, University, Italy

Final project: Modern Art Museum

Work history: 4 years

Architecture Intern – Architectural firm, Italy

Villa refurbishment design development, 3D models for client presentations, site analysis, and existing-condition studies. Restaurant interior design support including space planning, material selection, mood boards, custom furniture design, and production drawings for contractors. Social media and content creation with graphic design, photo editing, and video creation for online presence. General drafting, design development, and research across projects, with experience in Italian design.

Business Development Manager – Architectural firm, India

Website development for an online platform for architects and vendors: research, design discussion, page development, Photoshop, contacting clients / vendors, promotion activities

Junior Architect – Architectural firm, India

Discussing and executing design specifications with the project manager, engineering team and construction manager, reviewing reports, plans, estimates and calculations for accuracy, converting schematics into final drawings for projects, site visits to monitor implementation on site; projects: housings, museums

Architecture Intern – Architectural firm, India

Interacting with clients for status updates, technical write-ups of past projects for project proposals and competitions, completing drawings for projects and presentations for client meetings, post-production with Photoshop, measuring and designing specific elements for projects, organising files and documents

IT-skills: CAD, SketchUp, 3ds Max, Enscape, Dialux Evo, Photoshop, MS Office

Language skills: English (fluent), Kannada (fluent), Hindi (good), Italian (basic knowledge), German (beginner)

Motivation for participating in the Mentoring Partnership Programme

As I am new to Germany, having a mentor would be extremely valuable to me at this stage. I am eager to enter the job market and start working as soon as possible, but I am still learning how the local job market works and what employers expect. A mentor's guidance would help me to better understand job opportunities related to my field, navigate the application process, and build confidence in my professional direction. I am also highly motivated to integrate into German society, and support from someone with local experience would help me adapt both professionally and culturally.