

SENIOR TECHNICAL ARCHITECT JOB DESCRIPTION

KTA is seeking a detail-oriented and technically expert, yet design-focused senior architect to join our team.

The successful candidate will assist project teams to develop, document & deliver beautifully resolved, meticulous and technically robust solutions to detailing & design problems. They will have significant experience in the delivery of complex projects across civic, commercial, and educational sectors.

The ideal candidate will draw on their significant experience to ensure a project's material resolution is robust & constructible whilst reinforcing the established design direction. They will bring a thoughtful, open-minded, and collaborative approach to their work.

Finally, the ideal candidate will be able to balance multiple project commitments, sectors and deadlines, and will be comfortable and assertive when dealing with clients, consultants, and builders. KTA seeks to create projects that are generous, challenging, exemplary, public in spirit, and undertaken with an economy of means. Current work spans multi-residential, public and civic, cultural and educational typologies.

Project Role & Responsibilities

- Assist projects teams to technically resolve projects during DD and documentation phases, and to advise project architects during construction
- Bring their documentation & construction experience to bear in anticipating & proactively solving technical project challenges
- Work proactively and professionally with external collaborators including clients, consultants, and other project partners

Office Role & Responsibilities

- Works across several teams, rather than embed into a single team; the position is to serve as an office-wide source of knowledge & advice
- Report to the Director of Projects & work collaboratively with the practice leadership to develop project standards, benchmarks, and processes around detailing, documentation, and project delivery
- Nurture and support junior staff

Qualifications

- Australian architecture registration
- 10+ years of post-degree professional working experience
- Thorough understanding of regulations, standards, and Australian construction methods & materials

Software

- Knowledge of Revit is preferred, but not required
- Experience with AutoCAD & Rhino is helpful but not essential

Remuneration

To be discussed, commensurate with experience.

How to Apply

Send folio samples & CVs to hr@kerstinthompson.com with "Senior Technical Architect" in the subject. Attachments are to be below 10mb.

Agency solicitations will not be reviewed.

About KTA

Kerstin Thompson Architects (KTA) was established in 1994. The work of the practice encompasses architecture, interiors, landscape and urban design. Our work is extremely varied and ranges in scale and program. We like to think of our projects as portraits; unique and particular to the clients, environments and purpose at hand, with a focus on an enjoyment of place, sustainability and integration with landscape and community. The practice focus is on architecture as a civic endeavour; buildings that forge connections with their surroundings and the people who inhabit them. Design is necessarily integrated, multi-disciplinary and based on intensive collaboration between client, consultants and builders.