# Virginia Weida, ASID, CFM, CPRW, LEED AP, WELL AP

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## WORKPLACE DESIGN EXPERT

## INTERIOR DESIGN | FACILITIES MANAGEMENT | LEED AP | WELL AP

Twenty-Five years of experience in all aspects of Commercial Interior Design.

- Skilled with tenant space planning & design, from initial site searches and programming through move-in.
- **Talented** in workplace branding with appropriate finish materials, furniture selections, and specifications.
- Organized project manager with effective skills to balance budget, schedule, and cost.
- Proficient in verifying existing walls for AutoCAD drawing updates and BOMA area calculations.
- Trained regarding ergonomics, human factors and workplace wellness initiatives.
- **Experienced** instructor, professional speaker, and résumé writer.

#### **PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

June 2006 to Current – President & Owner, Virginia Weida Designs LLC, Pittsburgh, PA May 1995 to May 2006 – The Design Alliance Architects, Pittsburgh, PA

#### **ADJUNCT FACULTY EXPERIENCE**

#### August 2004 to Current - Interior Design Adjunct Faculty, La Roche College, Pittsburgh PA

IDSN 4041 Business Practices for Interior Designers - Fall 2017, 2016, 2015, 2014, 2013, & 2012

ID441 Business Practices for Interior Designers - Spring 2008 & 2007

ID111 Interior Design Graphics 1 (one section each) - Fall 2007 & 2006

FM310 Workplace Planning and Specifications - Spring 2005

ID111 Interior Design Graphics 1 (Section 4) - Fall 2004

Fall 2007 - Interior Design Adjunct Faculty, Chatham College, Pittsburgh, PA

IAR230/530 Color and Textiles - Fall 2007

#### **EDUCATION AND CERTIFICATIONS**

#### Bachelor of Science in Design and Environmental Analysis, Cornell University, Ithaca, NY

- WELL Accredited Professional, 2018
- Certified Professional Résumé Writer (CPRW), 2018
- National Women's Business Enterprise (WBE) by WBENC, 2013 to 2017
- LEED<sup>TM</sup> Accredited Professional, 2003
- Certified Facility Manager (CFM), 2002
- National Council of Interior Design Qualification Certified (NCIDQ) #12897, 1995

### **AWARDS**

- ASID PA West Presidential Citation, 2012
- CREW Pittsburgh Applause Award, 2011
- The President's Volunteer Service Award, Silver Level, 2008
- CREW to CREW to CREW (CREW3) Networking Award, 2006

#### PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS AND CIVIC LEADERSHIP ACTIVITIES

- Brentwood Baldwin Whitehall Chamber of Commerce, President, Board Member 2011 Current
- Economic Development South (EDS), Executive Board Member, 2014 2017
- American Society of Interior Designers (ASID), Professional Member, Board Member, 2010 2012
- International Facilities Management Association (IFMA), Professional Member, 1995
- IFMA Corporate Facilities Council, Board Member, Membership Chair, 2005-2009
- Commercial Real Estate Women (CREW) Foundation, President, 2006 2007