



## Ann Kastensen Senior Interior Designer Genesis Architecture

As the leader of the Interior Design team at Genesis Architecture, Ann Kastensen is responsible for sourcing interior design services for a variety of healthcare, senior housing and corporate projects. She collaborates with internal and external team members and clients to develop a design concept and vision for the project interior and works closely with the team to make sure the design details, finish selections and other architectural details reflect the original intent of the design.

Ann's real talent lies in her ability to forge great working relationships with her clients through on-going communication. She listens closely to each client's needs in order to understand the intention of the interior design and then translates that intention into practical finishes and details. Ann excels at helping the client to visualize the project through sketches, images and color palettes thereby educating and engaging her clients throughout the design process.

A passion for health care projects led Ann to patient care interior design where she has demonstrated exceptional skill at creating healing environments that support the needs of both patients and staff. Ann's portfolio of healthcare projects includes interior design for Park Nicollet Cancer Center, Monticello Cancer Center, and a variety of projects with Allina Health Systems. She is continually looking for new ways to integrate the balance and beauty of nature into her design projects and to foster patient well being through the incorporation of healing philosophies.

### Education and Training

- Bachelor of Science, Art and Interior Design, University of Wisconsin- Stout

### Professional Memberships

- International Facilities Management Association (IFMA)
- Northeast Minneapolis Arts Association (NEMAA), Board Member

### Project Experience

- Park Nicollet Cancer Center
- Monticello Cancer Center
- Variety of projects with Allina Health Systems
- Wells Fargo
- Medtronic
- Medica Insurance
- Thrivent Financial