Orchard.

Job Title	Designer – Exhibitions
Team	Activations
Salary:	Designer: £25k + depending on experience

Overview of the role

Orchard is a leading integrated agency based in central Cardiff providing Strategic thinking, Creative solutions and Commercial impact. We help brands connect with their audiences through insightful strategies, bold ideas, and immersive experiences. We are at an exciting point in our expansion plans for the Orchard Activations team and are searching for hot talent to further contribute to our success. We currently have a vacancy for a talented 3D designer.

Why should you work for us?

Orchard is a creative and strategic hub that brings ideas to life and puts our people first. This is an exciting time for our Activations Team and working as a 3D Designer for Orchard will give you the opportunity to get involved in some great projects.

Please note this role will involve remote working, moving to a 2-day office 3 day home working pattern.

How to apply

Please send us a covering letter explaining why you are the best person for the job and send us a PDF or link to your CV or portfolio to jointheteam@thinkorchard.com by Wednesday the 22nd of February 2023. Quality over quantity is our mantra here, choose the work you are most proud of and demonstrates how you meet our criteria. Interviews are to take place on Thursday the 2nd of March 2023.

About the role

As 3D designer you will work both independently and collaboratively, supporting the Exhibitions & Activations Team and ensuring that our creative work is to the highest standard.

Specific duties and responsibilities:

- Able to think and design in a 3D environment
- Ability to interpret clients brief and requirements into a 3D design
- Create 3D visuals, renders and walkthroughs
- Create construction drawings and plans suitable for downstream construction
- Create 2D print ready artwork for activation requirements
- Supervise print and construction
- Ability to understand and design within technical parameters
- Development of a strategic approach to projects.
- Oversee the creative quality of all work produced internally and sent to client
- Create concepts and communications that deliver and rationalise the client's brief.
- Direct and manage medium sized projects to keep them on-concept and on-brand and deliver from start to finish.
- Work closely with Client Services or directly with clients, as required.
- Support senior managers, project manager, & account handler
- Ability to complete projects from across the design spectrum from brief through to close

Required experience:

- High level experience 3-5 years within a creative or exhibition agency
- An impressive portfolio demonstrating a proven track record of working with 3D design
- Complete confidence in the Sketchup, AutoCAD, Adobe Creative suite
- Excellent written and verbal skills
- A mindset that is organised and detail oriented
- Familiarity with all phases of the design process and ability to work with a team through execution of all phases (strategy, conceptualisation, development, budgeting, creating proposals, client approvals, execution; and close-out)
- Excellence in client communication and customer service
- A well-crafted portfolio that demonstrates your love of design, and how strategy fuels design to meet the brief

To fit our team, you'll be:

- A confident, inspiring creative, highly experienced in design work across the board
- Experienced in working to tight deadlines within a fast-paced environment
- Passionate about creativity and its place in a commercial and deadline driven environment
- An upbeat individual that can be a team leader, but also a great team member
- Considered, but able to work at a pace and be adaptable
- Strong conceptually, demonstrating inspiring design work
- A stickler for detail, ensuring every idea is crafted beautifully to the highest standard
- Great with people your team mates and clients confident in presenting your ideas to both, and being a mentor to those junior to you
- A team player who follows our PRIME values

Orchard's benefits package

Our people are what makes us so special. That's why we offer a generous benefits package to all who are part of our team. Here's an example of the benefits that are available:

- Flexible and remote working opportunities
- 10 4 core hours
- 25 days annual leave
- Monthly wellbeing hours
- A generous training budget
- Private medical cover
- Cycle to work scheme
- 8% pension (that's 4% matched from you and us)
- Social events and activities (such as end of month drinks, film club and 5 a side football)

We're an equal opportunity employer, which means we'll consider all suitably qualified applicants regardless of gender identity or expression, ethnic origin, nationality, religion or beliefs, age, sexual orientation, disability status or any other protected characteristic. We recruit and develop our people based on merit and their passion and we're committed to creating an inclusive environment for all employees.

PRIME values.

Progressive. Respectful. Imaginative. Mindful. Excellence.