



Job of the Week

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URBAN DESIGNER

Urban Designers are responsible for planning urban areas, such as residential, commercial and recreational spaces. They work as part of a wider team of Architects, Surveyors, Construction Workers and more! The main job of an Urban Designer is to ensure the spaces they create are useful and enjoyable. They use surveying techniques, geographical information systems (GIS) and computer-aided design (CAD) to draw up plans and make recommendations

skills

- Keen interest in design
- Good technical & artistic skills
- Analytical & problem solving skills
- Excellent Communication
- Resilience and empathy
- Excellent organisational skills
- Ability to meet tight deadlines
- Budgeting
- IT & computing skills
- Presentation Skills
- Teamwork
- Attention to detail

Key info

salary



Junior Designer: £22,-000-£25,000
Experienced: £29,000- £40,000
Senior Designers or Managers:
In excess of £45,000+

Routes



Good GCSEs / Level 3s
Relevant Degree & Maters
Apprenticeships are available

Working Hours



35—40 hrs per week. Attendance
at public meetings on evenings.
Travel to site visits and meetings

Qualifications



Relevant Degree: Urban
Planning, Architecture,
Geography
Masters Degree & Work
Experience

Labour Market



Architectural Professions:
UK: 43,466 Gateshead: 143
UK Growth: +1.3% (2027-27)
NE Growth: +0.7% (2017-27)

Related Careers



Architect, Property Developer
Planning Officer

