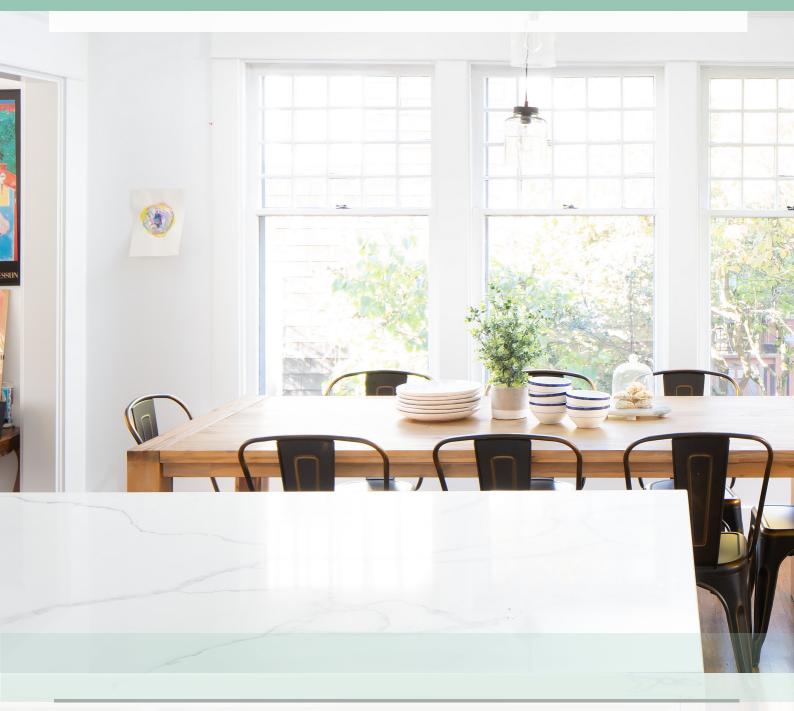
WORKING with INTERIOR DESIGNERS

HERE'S HOW TO PREPARE



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www.kpspaces.com keri@kpspaces.com hello there!

I'm Keri Petersen, Owner & Lead Designer of Seattlebased interior design firm KP Spaces.

I'm so excited to see that you're ready to start working with an Interior Designer! I've put together this mini guide to help you prepare for your upcoming design project.



And remember...

Design shouldn't be stressful! Let us take on the heavy lifting so you can sit back and enjoy all the fun stuff. And don't worry- we have trusted network of tradespeople, contractors, and vendors to help us make all the design magic happen.

— Leri Petersen

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Use this checklist as a guide when preparing to work with an interior designer

	do you want out of your space? What are your needs?
What	is working for you? What's not working for you?
How	do you want to feel in your finished space? (calm, productive, inspired, etc.)
	de your priorities ou have the desire, time and budget for a whole house remodel, or is it more important to
just si	eart with updating the kitchen?
Is it y	our dream to have a designer furnish, accessorize and style your whole home from top to
botto	m? Or do you have a few existing furniture pieces and family heirlooms that you want to
keep :	for your new space? Note: These priorities don't have to be set in stone, and your designer can help you navigate them. Coming up with a general list will help guide the discussion during your first meeting with your designer!
Сот	e up with a general timeline
Every	project is unique, but creating a design plan usually takes between 6-16 weeks. Once
starte	d, the execution phase can last anywhere from 4-12 months, depending on the project
With	this information in mind, can you jot down an ideal start date and end date?
Do yo	ou have any major life events happening over the next several months or year (i.e. a
wedd	ing, an extended overseas vacation, etc.)? All of these things are worth mentioning to you

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S	et your budget
	How much are you willing to spend to create your finished dream space? Come up with a rough
	budget of what you're prepared to invest in the project. Note: your project budget will be separate
	from the designer's fee.
S	tart your Idea Books/Pinterest/Houzz
	Start setting up a Pinterest or Houzz board with inspiration images.
	Just start pinning pictures of rooms, vignettes or pieces that you're drawn to. It could be a color
	palette, an interesting light fixture, or an entire house that you like the look of. This is a great
	time to think of any design must-haves or dislikes.
	Your inspiration board doesn't need to be perfectly curated or have a consistent design style - i
	can be filled with an assortment of images and ideas that speak to you. Have fun with it!
Н	Prepare a list of any questions you might have about the design or construction process. I a v e a n o p e n m i n d
	During the construction phase you should always expect the unexpected. There is always
	something a contractor will uncover that may impact the execution of the design.
	Having a designer on site will help you navigate these unexpected bumps in the road, because
	they can advise and pivot towards solutions that keep the design intent intact.
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Τ	rust the process and have fun with it!
	Creating your dream space with your designer is fun!
	While designers take their jobs seriously, it's important that everyone involved not only enjoys
	the final product, but also every step along the way.
	At KP Spaces, we're your trusted design advisors - know that we're applying all of our design
	expertise and experience of working with hundreds of clients, to ensure you get the very best
	space for YOU.
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