



# Nancy Bounds, CHID, ASID, MS

*Certified healthcare interior designer, educator, hospitality specialist with residential style and construction understanding*

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## Career Objective

My goal to become a part of a thriving Denver design firm and work with talented design teams in leveraging technology (3D, BIM, digital design, Office programs, data driven processes, VR, video, online meetings) to better communicate design solutions, offer accurate information, organize the data of the project and handle customer requirements more proficiently, which serves our clients and adds value to our brand and our profession.

## Design and Work Philosophy

My approach to material selections and interior design begins with the architectural design of a project. I consider the balance of materials within a space, select materials to create a sense of place, and recommend materials for their serviceability. Other trademarks of my design work are the selection of appropriate furnishings, artwork and lighting. My integrative approach comes from a deep understanding of how architecture, MEP, valuable input by end users, and other factors, move interior projects along in the design process. I enjoy working within teams to get these factors incorporated successfully.

## Professional Experience

Mar.-Nov. 2020 **MOA Architecture**, Denver, Colorado

**Certified Healthcare Interior Design Consultant**, Contract ended due lack of work (COVID-19).

Provided healthcare design expertise on several major projects. See attached MOA Architecture Letter or Recommendation and Portfolio of my work there. During my brief tenure, I produced unique and effective forms to communicate design specifications and created forms that aided with FGI reporting.

2019-2020 **ClearChoice Management Services**, Real Estate Dept./ Denver, Colorado

**Design Project Manager** and BIM Designer. Laid off due to COVID-19.

Created a custom BIM model to incorporate detailed requirements for the Dental Implant Centers being built across the country. Created space plans for several centers, reworked their construction documentation and created a plan and way forward for their Revit adoption. Also worked on their corporate furniture updates and construction planning.

2015-2019 **NB Interiors**/ New Orleans metro area.

**Owner and Lead Designer**

Commercial and residential interior design. Award winning designs in residential, hospitality and healthcare. Was responsible for all client contact, marketing, project delivery, project management, coordination with vendors.

2015 – Jan-Oct. **Ochsner Facilities Development**/ New Orleans, Louisiana

**External and Internal Consultant**

Responsible for establishment of standard finish materials and furnishings for the Ochsner Health System. Materials to be used on upcoming projects, totaling over 3 million square feet. Additionally, responsibilities include individual projects – both design and management.

2013-2017 See academic teaching experience at University of Southern Mississippi.

2005-2013 **Cromwell Architects Engineers/** Little Rock, Arkansas  
**Senior Interior Designer** - Responsible for the interior design of major projects, including large building complexes planned from the ground up. Integral part of the programming, space planning, interior finishes, architectural design elements, furnishings and artwork/signage specifications.

1989-2005 **N B Interiors/** New Orleans, Louisiana/ President  
**Lead Designer and Business owner** – As owner of this successful design firm, responsibilities included meeting and obtaining new clients via marketing and networking. The firm employed 4-6 employees over most of its 16-year life. Responsibilities for the projects included all space planning, interior design coordination, furnishings specification and obtainment.

### **Academic Teaching Experience (2013-2017)**

2013-2017 **Assistant Professor of Interior Design and adjunct,** University of Southern Mississippi  
October 2014 Conducted professional level **Revit for Interior Designers course** taught at USM:  
2013-2015 Visual Communications, CAD for Interior Designers, BIM for Interior Designers, Construction Documents (Interior Design III), Residential Design, Contract 1 Design Studio, Advanced ID Studies (Capstone, with an emphasis on Healthcare Design)

### **Awards**

American Society of Interior Designers Design Competition – Three-State region

2020	Silver Award for Restaurant Design	Cucina Cangemi – Mandeville
2019	Gold and Overall Best Residential (Ovation)	Lewis Residence – New Orleans
2018	Silver for Residential Design	Hardin (Garden District) Residence – New Orleans
2012	Two Gold Awards for Medical Design	Arkansas Children’s Hospital - South Wing Addition
2011	Silver Award for Medical Design	Arkansas Urology North Little Rock
2011	Gold Award for Sustainability	UALR – Engineering Information Technology Bldg.
2010	Silver Award for Institutional Design	Temple B’nai Jewish Synagogue
2008	Silver Award for Medical Design	Circle of Friends Clinic
2004	Bronze Award for Hospitality Design	WOW Café & Wingery
2004	Bronze Award for Residential Single Space	Hardin Residence
2003	Gold Award for Medical Design	Lakeside Hospital
2003	Silver Award for Institutional	Loyola Student Union Servery
2002	Gold Award for Restaurant Design	Marigny Brasserie
2002	Bronze Award for Medical Design	Ochsner Main Clinic
2001	Silver Award for Residential Design	Zotkiewicz Residence
2000	Gold Award for Restaurant Design	Kenko’s Sushi Restaurant

### **Honors**

2019 Recipient of a Ovation Design Excellence Award for a large residential project  
2008 Recipient of Twenty Five year membership award, ASID South Central Chapter  
2004 Recipient of Chapter presidential citation for service, ASID South Central Chapter  
2004 Recipient of national ASID award for largest increase in chapter membership

### **Educational Background and Certifications**

#### **Certified Healthcare Interior Designer**

American Academy of Healthcare Interior Designer (AAHID)

#### **Certified in Evidence Based Design**

Center for Health Design (EDAC)

Stephen F. Austin University with a **Master of Science** degree with an emphasis in **Healthcare Interior Design**

**NCIDQ** certified - National Council for Interior Design Accreditation

Louisiana State University, Baton Rouge, LA - **Bachelor of Interior Design**

## Research and Presentations

- 2019 Presented "Senior Living: Hospitality or Healthcare" at Environments for Aging conference in Salt Lake City, UT, April 2019
- 2018 Presented for AAHID Exam Prep and Candidate Forum, New Orleans, AOS Showroom
- 2017 Presented on the topic of Aging in Place to the Civic Woman's Club of Picayune
- 2014 Presentation to McGhee School, New Orleans, LA  
Topic: Interior design: steps to STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering and Math)
- 2014 Published and Presented at LTT Conference, Biloxi, MS  
Topic: Minimize freight disruption with building information modeling (BIM)
- 2014 Presented at ASID South Central Career day, Hattiesburg, MS  
Topic: Embrace your scientific side: Healthcare Design
- 2014 Received Human Testing certification (CITI) for research at USM
- 2011 Presented to University of Arkansas for Medical Science (UAMS) Capstone Class for Healthcare Administration  
Topic: What is Evidence Based Design?
- 2010 Published thesis, Topic: Color's role in wayfinding

## Publications

- 2019 **As Author: "How Haptics and Color Affect Us"** Interiors and Sources Magazine, June 2019  
<https://iands.design/articles/32957/how-haptics-and-color-affect-us>

### **Articles written about Nancy's designs or her expertise in interior design:**

- 2012 "2012 American Society of Interior Designers South Central Chapter Awards"  
AT HOME in Arkansas, Jan/Feb 2013
- 2009 "ASID 08 Award Winners" AY Magazine January 2009
- 2007 "Designer Art" Arkansas Democrat Gazette, April 2007

## Recent Service Work

- 2014-2021 Currently serve on the Test Development Committee for AAHID
- 2014 Served on the portfolio review committee for AAHID
- 2013-14 Curriculum and Policy participant for the USM Interior Design Program
- 2010-14 Reviewer for IDCEC courses (Interior Design Continuing Education Council)
- 2013-14 Member of the USM ADA committee
- 2013-14 Served as a volunteer for Vendome Group conferences, Health Care Design (Orlando), Environments for Aging (New Orleans and Anaheim)
- 2012-13 Big Brother Big Sister monthly art program volunteer
- 2013 Arkansas Children's Hospital volunteer in the children's playrooms

## Recent Project Experience

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### **2020 Notable Interior Design Projects – MOA Architecture – See Additional MOA Packet**

Pathways Hospice Interior Design, furniture planning and 3D renderings/Revit design, acoustical design, lighting  
Altitude Dialysis – Branding, Interior Design, architectural construction drawing, Revit design, lighting  
Kaiser Permanente Longmont Clinic – Lobby architectural/interiors coordination, materials, art consultation

### **2015-present Notable Interior Design Projects – NB Interiors**

Cucina Cangemi – new restaurant concept and prototype  
Bywater Historic Residential renovation  
Constance Street Historic Residential renovation  
Bland Uptown Residential renovation  
Southern Brain and Spine – Medical office building and clinic  
Drs. Black Cosmetic Surgery clinic  
Metro Gastro Enterology clinic planning  
Lewis Residential Interior design  
Medical Office building renovations, interior and exterior  
Moore Chiropractic, 3 locations and branding

**2005-2013 Notable Interior Design Projects - Cromwell Architects**

Note: This list is not comprehensive of the many projects designed while employed at Cromwell Architect. For all projects, Nancy Bounds was an integral part of the architectural team, with tasks ranging from initial space planning, construction documentation, colors and finish selection, millwork and casework elevations and details, client contact, furniture specifications and installation, and artwork/accessory selections.

White River Medical Center	Four story addition to hospital	Batesville, AR
Stone County Medical Center	Two story new hospital	Mountain View, AR
Ark. Children's Hospital	South Wing addition	Little Rock
UALR EIT Building	Six story classroom bldg.	Little Rock
Ark. Urology Clinic	15,000 SF clinic	North Little Rock, AR
Ark. Children's Hospital	Circle of Friends Clinic	Little Rock
St. Vincent Medical Center	Sleep Lab	Little Rock
Washington Regional	Senior Center	Fayetteville, AR
Ft. Bragg Robinson	Clinic Addition	Ft. Bragg, NC
Buckley Air Force Base	Satellite Pharmacy	Denver, CO
Fairchild Air Force Base	Master plan for large clinic	Spokane, WA
Ark. Game & Fish	Nature center / Downtown	Little Rock
Little Rock Club	Private Business Club	Little Rock
Temple B'nai	Jewish Temple	Little Rock
Practice Plus	Corporate Offices	Little Rock

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**2000 – 2005 Notable Interior Design Projects - NB Interiors**

Note: The list includes some of unique projects designed by Nancy Bounds during the 16 years NB Interiors operated as a business in Metairie, LA.

**Medical**

Lakeside Hospital	First floor renovation	Metairie
New Orleans Surgery	Interior renovations	Metairie
New Orleans Home	Adult Day Care facility	New Orleans
Premiere After Hours	Upscale extended hours clinic	Covington
Omega Institute of Health	Speciality Hospital and Clinic	Metairie
Dr. Carol Stuckey	Orthodontist	Metairie

**Restaurant**

First Bank and Trust office bldg.	Food Court	Metairie
Elmwood Food Court	Large snack bar in health club	Harahan
WOW Café and Wingery	Carrollton Avenue	New Orleans
	Prototype/Brand Image	Covington
	Franchisee Design Packages	12 locations
Marigny Brasserie	Upscale restaurant and lounge	New Orleans
Volcano's Restaurant	Fast Casual/ Southwestern	Covington
Italian Pie Restaurant	Prototype/Brand Image	Laplace
	Large rest. with meeting rm.	Slidell
Grapevine Bar	Lounge– next to Italian Pie	Laplace
Kenko's	Sushi Restaurant	Mandeville
Don's Seafood Hut	Large seafood rest. renovation	Metairie

**Hotel**

Boutique Hotel on St. Chas.	New hotel interiors & furniture	New Orleans
St. Louis Hotel	Historic hotel room renovation	New Orleans
The French Market Inn	Marie Laveau Bar design	New Orleans
Hampton Inn	New hotel interiors & furniture	Metairie
Holiday Inn	Complete Interior renovation	Brentwood, TN

**Retail**

PJ's Coffee & Tea Company	Prototype/ Brand Image	
	Franchisee Design Packages	18 locations
Smoothie King Franchise	Prototype/ Brand Image	
	Franchisee Design Packages	35 locations
Planet Smoothie	Franchisee Design Packages	10 locations

## Capabilities

- ◆ Expertise in the creation of fine commercial interior design of all types: corporate, restaurant, hotel, industrial, institutional, educational, military, clinical, hospital and other medical facilities.
- ◆ Proficient in *Autocad, Revit, Photoshop, Adobe Acrobat Pro, Access* Database management and design, *Microsoft Word, Excel, Powerpoint*, and *Newforma* project management
- ◆ Versed in FGI Healthcare Guidelines, NFPA 101, IBC, ADAAG, and many DoD design guidelines, specifically the Whole Building Design Guide and Medical facility guideplates that Cromwell designed.
- ◆ Proficient in the planning and production of architectural construction documents including but not limited to code research, partition, and door types to meet codes, millwork elevations, finish specifications, finish schedules and specialty detailing.
- ◆ Equipment planning for major medical projects, including a radiology, orthopedics, and emergency department, as well as two military medical clinics in Germany.
- ◆ Have experience in coordinating details of projects with teams of architects and engineers and provided comprehensive information (layout, equipment, furniture, lighting, and owner furnished items) for their use during the planning, design development, construction document and build-out phases.
- ◆ Managed and implemented large commercial furniture specification, bidding processes and installation, including the production of highly detailed FF&E procurement documentation for purchasing.
- ◆ Have designed branding programs, with the selection of interior materials that meet the intended atmosphere of the space. This branding work has included several restaurants and medical facilities.
- ◆ Expertise in wayfinding and the use of the color and artwork, icons, lighting, and spatial identity to aid the client with this activity.
- ◆ Have developed detailed art programs for many types of projects. Art programs consider the psychological as well as the aesthetic needs of the space and the occupants and can play a key role in spatial memory.
- ◆ Understands and can work with a comprehensive range of design project management techniques that include effective programming, equipment identifications, existing conditions surveys, client surveys, construction site review, project record maintenance, and construction or other contract review and pay requests.
- ◆ Understands and enjoys working in a team environment to create effective and beautiful interiors of all types.

Online Portfolio at [www.nancybounds.com](http://www.nancybounds.com)