

Joe Pettipas, Global Director, Interior Design at IBI Group



As the Global Director of the Interior Design Group for IBI Group, Joe leads a team of enthusiastic and talented design professionals that ensure that all clients around the globe receive the attentive service and design excellence that are IBI hallmarks.

With over three decades of experience in the design industry, Joe understands the challenges facing IBI's corporate, institutional, hospitality, retail and healthcare clients today. Joe's international experience in the Middle East, Asia, Europe, and across South and North America gives him an appreciation for the importance of brand, community and smart solutions, and how they must be synthesized into the built environment to achieve successful outcomes.

Joe has been a featured speaker at industry events such as Buildex Vancouver, Calgary and Edmonton, ICSC Riordan School of Retail, the Sleep Conference in Europe, Hotel Association of Canada, Professional gatherings in the Middle East, numerous North American universities and colleges, NeoCon, IIDEX NeoCon Canada, and he has been published in numerous trade, industry and public magazines and newspapers.

Current and recently completed works include the Samsung Solution Center in Washington, Capital One Corporate Office in Toronto, Dentons LLP Vancouver, FMC LLP Vancouver, Vida Spas, Imperial Oil Calgary campus, Energy Resources Conservation Board, Calgary, the Shangri-la Hotel, Doha and the Kelowna Cardiac Hospital in British Columbia

Joe also strongly believes that we must all pay it forward. He has given time to the design industry; sitting as Chair of the Council for Interior Design Accreditation (CIDA), President of ARIDO (three terms), President Elect of IFI, and he has also chaired several committees and organizations throughout the years.

Joe has been the fortunate winner of numerous design excellence awards and has been recognized for volunteer activities; having received several citations and fellowship honours.