

# Alison Reed Harden

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## Experience

2007-2011

*Alison Harden Design*, Beverly, MA - Designer and Color Consultant

**Obenshain Residence, Newton, MA- Interior Designer**

Prepared demo plan and floor plan for Living Room  
Prepared furniture plan, selected furniture & designed built-ins for Living Room  
Worked with Walker Creek Furniture to design a custom chess table & card table  
Pulled together fabric scheme and selected new paint color for Master Bedroom

**Danaher Residence, Wenham, MA – Color Consultant**

Worked as a consultant for the client during major house renovation  
Selected colors for majority of the rooms

**Daniels Residence, Hamilton, MA –Color Consultant and Designer**

Selected new colors for Kitchen/Family Room, Master Bedroom, Daughter's Room  
& Guest Room  
Selected new stair runner

**Cleveland Residence, Wenham, MA – Designer**

Selected new stair runner, designed new drapery treatments for dining room,  
Selected fabric to reupholster existing bench and bolsters in LR & selected new  
Fabric for LR sofa pillows  
Selected new paint color for Master Bathroom & wallpaper for guest bathroom

**Kagan Residence, Hamilton, MA – Color Consultant**

Worked as a consultant for the client during house renovation  
Selected colors for existing kitchen, new mudroom & new breezeway  
Selected colors for new living space above garage

Nov. 2002-Dec. 2005

*Patrick Sutton Associates*, Baltimore, MD – Interior Designer

Worked on high-end residential and restaurant design; Managed projects from conceptual design through final installation; Selected fabric, furniture and color schemes for projects; Traveled to Furniture Market, High Point, NC for clients; Organized meetings with fabric reps and managed resource library

**Titus Residence, Bermuda – Interior Designer/Project Manager**

Project manager for renovation of a Bermuda residence  
Selected fabrics, furniture, lighting and tile  
Prepared furniture layouts, elevations and drapery elevations for presentations  
Traveled to Bermuda following presentations to confirm colors in Bermuda light  
Worked with local Bermuda companies to resource certain items

**Charleston Restaurant, Baltimore, MD – Interior Designer**

Executed construction drawings for a re-design of existing interior in 4 weeks  
Assisted in selecting fabrics, lighting, furniture and paint colors  
Worked directly with local vendors on custom design elements  
Participated in weekly project meetings

**Zeluck Residence, Hamptons, NY – Interior Designer/Project Manager**

Assisted in re-design of existing living room  
Prepared furniture plan and elevations for presentations  
Assisted in furniture, fabric, lighting and accessory selections  
Prepared drapery drawings for local drapery house and oversaw installation

**Behrens' Residence, Ruxton, MD, 2002-2004 – Interior Designer/Project Manager**

Renovation of Shingle Style Home, featured in 2006 issue of Style Magazine  
Assisted principal designer from conceptual design through installation  
Assisted in selection of furniture, lighting, painting and accessories  
Involved in weekly site meetings with contractors  
Worked with photographers to stage project for several magazine shoots

**Siegel Residence, Baltimore, MD**

Assisted in color selections for recently renovated row house  
Assisted in furniture selection  
Worked directly with carpenter on shop drawings for built-ins

**Feb. 2001-Jul. 2001**      *The Design Shop*, Boston, MA - Project Manager

Managed projects, working directly with clients and manufacturers; Assisted head designer with fabric schemes and furniture selection; Processed and tracked purchase orders; Managed retail store and inventory; Trained new employees

**Fall 2001**                *Nuit Blanche*, Paris - Design Intern

Assisted designer with plans, fabric schemes and furniture design; All work conducted in French; Managed resource library

**Mar. 1999-Jul. 2000**      *Devon Services*, Boston Design Center, Boston, MA - Showroom Rep.

Exclusive representative for upholstery line; Responsible for sales and financial accounting for upholstery line; Assisted designers with furniture layouts and fabric schemes; Assisted in sales of high-end fabrics, wallpaper, trims, and paints; Created innovative vignettes; Trained new employees

**Education**

**Aug. 2001- Jul. 2002**      *Parsons School of Design*, New York  
Associate of Applied Science Degree in Interior Design – Fast Track

**Fall 2000**                *Parsons School of Design*, Paris  
Focused on color & design and drawing courses

**Sept. 1998-May 2000**      *Boston Architectural Center*, Boston, MA  
Decorative Arts Certificate for Interior Design

**May 1997**                *Bowdoin College*, Brunswick, Maine  
Bachelor of Arts, French/ American History

**Skills**

ArchiCad, Autocad 2000, drafting, rendering, modeling, space planning, color and material selection

**References**

Professional and personal references available upon request