

HOMES | ARCHITECTURE &amp; DESIGN

# 14 Inspiring Female Interior Designers in Singapore

Words by CHERYL LAI-LIM

March 02, 2022



We explore how these women leaders champion the importance of interior design while serving as inspiring role models

 **VIEW GALLERY**  **SHOW AS LIST**

*This story was first written on March 4, 2021, and updated on March 2, 2022.*

As Cher once said, “women are the real architects of society”. The local design scene in Singapore has plenty of female design powerhouses; here, we’re shining a spotlight on several leading female designers in Singapore who have faced challenges with grit in their own paths to success.

## 2. Shermaine Maena Ong, Mosh Interior



ABOVE Shermaine Maena Ong, principal designer of Mosh Interior

When it comes to design, interior designer Shermaine Maena Ong has two rules of thumb. “The first is understanding the proportions of a space and how the right furniture can fit within it. The second is about attaining a well-balanced design: layering colours, textures and shapes together for the best results.” The founder and principal designer of homegrown design firm Mosh Interior believes that every space in a home ought to be well designed, be it the living area or even a petite balcony.

With more than 20 years of experience in architectural and interior design projects, Ong has designed an array of luxury abodes, including apartments within South Beach Residences and Nassim Park Residences.



*A custom bench and backlit shelves are among the bespoke touches in this abode by Mosh Interior*

Photo 1 of 2

She recently designed a cosy home in South Beach Residences and injected a stylish aura with minimal renovation. “The clients wanted to beautify their living environment through interior styling and also incorporate more storage solutions while avoiding major renovation work,” noted Ong, on the project.

The designer delivered; with her keen eye for detail, she completely transformed the ambience of the home with a mix of modern furnishings and elegant materials. The result is a stunning colourful residence that channels effortless luxury.

**Read more:** [Home Tour: A Couple’s Colourfully Cosy Apartment in South Beach Residences](#)