

# Helena Gentili

Lighting Designer | Lecturer

Senior lighting designer and outstanding performer in concept development and project management within lighting projects. Proven success in leadership, operational excellence and organizational development with keen understanding of elements of the lighting business. Recognized for inspiring management team members to excel and encouraging creative work environments.



## Contact

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## Skills

Teamwork and Leadership

Problem solving

Design thinking

Project management

Profit optimization



## Software

Microsoft Office

AutoCAD

Adobe Photoshop

3D Studio Max / Dialux



## Work History

2017-11 -  
Current

### Consultant of Lighting Solutions

*Ivorysense, Bangalore, India*

Responsible for lighting concepts development for different fields such as residential, hospitality, cultural heritage, commercial and urban spaces for key client's projects. Stakeholder management, bidding phase supervision, time schedule planning and team coordination, budget and economic control, external consultant suppliers and internal production administration acting in all fields, site management and construction follow up. Team hiring and skill development.

2014-10 -  
Current

### Adjunct Professor

*Politecnico Di Milano, Milan, Italy*

Adjunct Professor for the Masters in Lighting Design & Led Technology, Master in Color Design and Undergraduate courses for Interior Design

- Led and prepared lectures for several courses or seminars, including lighting and color theory, lighting concepts principles and lighting workshops focus on hospitality.

2012-01 -  
Current

### Principal Designer

*Helena Gentili Lighting Design, Milan, Italy*

Independent consultancy practice in the field of lighting design and architecture involving the private and public sector, drafting and processing of lighting concepts for exterior and interior projects

## Languages

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Portuguese	●●●●●
English	●●●●●
Italian	●●●●●
Dutch	●●○○○

for different typology of spaces and users, as well as art contexts in Italy and abroad.

2008-01 -  
2012-01

### Senior Lighting Designer

*Susanna Antico Lighting Design Studio, Milan, Italy*  
Supervising, drawing up and processing of lighting projects for urban projects, in Italy, Belgium and Switzerland. The studio develops all types of projects but above all, Lighting Masterplans and Cultural Heritage.

## Education

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### PhD.: Architecture And Urban Design

*Politecnico Di Milano - Milan, Italy*

### M.D.: Lighting Design

*Università Degli Studi Di Roma "La Sapienza" - Rome, Italy*

### Master of Science: Architecture And Urbanism

*Universidade Federal Do Parana' UFPR - Curitiba, Brazil*

## Accomplishments

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- 2019 **IALD Award of Excellence** for the Antwerp Cathedral and surroundings
- 2018 Lighting Magazine's **40 Under 40 Award**

## Affiliations

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- **WIL** Women in Lighting – Ex-Ambassador for India from 2019/2021
- **APIL** Professional Association of Lighting Design - Professional Member since 2014