

# PLANTINGA MARTIJN

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## Marijtje Martijn, interior designer

Originally schooled in Human Resource Management, Marijtje Martijn left the business world in 2001 to pursue her more creative side. After having worked for one of the Netherlands' most famous interior designers, Jan de Bouvrie, Marijtje worked for television for over six years, being the main stylist in multiple popular home improvement programs. Always looking for the most innovative, creative and fast solutions, she successfully renovated and furnished over a hundred projects, ranging from private residences to commercial spaces and restaurants.

Marijtje is an expert in the upcoming trends in interior design, and is always up-to-date about the most exclusive addresses to get furniture, fabrics and building materials. Because of her extensive professional network she can guarantee a fast and efficient furnishing of projects. She has an amazing eye for colours and materials and effortlessly puts together daring combinations of non-ordinary materials that result in the most original and wonderful arrangements. Her interiors are always tailored to the lifestyle of the individual client.

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## Esther Plantinga, architect

After obtaining her masters' degree of the Delft University of Technology in 2000 with honours, Esther Plantinga worked as an architect in New York City for many years. She gained experience in the high-end residential market, successfully designing and supervising high level renovations of luxury apartments on the Upper East Side and new to build private houses outside the city.

She also supervised the implementation of the interiors of one of the city's most prestigious skyscrapers, One Beacon Court, for which she worked closely together with the renowned interior designer Jacques Grange (Paris, France).

Esther also lived in Brussels and London, from where she independently worked on projects in the Netherlands, France and Belgium.

Esther is experienced in working in international project teams. She is also skilled in the fabrication of construction drawings and details, the design of furniture, the quality control of shop drawings and the selection of high-quality materials.

In the beginning of 2008, Esther moved to Amsterdam where she joined forces with interior designer Marijtje Martijn to start PLANTINGA MARTIJN architecture and interior design.



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