

## EVOLVING ·BY DESIGN ·

#### Hello!

I'm Monica, Founder & CEO of Evolving By Design- an interior design practice creating supporting spaces for your life changes. I focus on executives who want comfort in their space and recognize that rest is a form of productivity and necessary to live an impact-driven life.

I have merged my corporate experience as a designer for one of the largest premier design companies in the world for top executives with over 10 years of entrepreneurship experience.

Operating a profitable and award-winning business in Los Angeles with a childhood spent in the family construction business gives me the ability to design with an intimitate understanding of the built environment.

I travel to experience our world through human connection and it's a big part of what fills my cup of joy; along with gardening, baking, camping, chips & salsa.

My design practice is currently offering interior design services, guidance through private design session at home or virtually, project management for remodels, home staging and I am sought after as a conference speaker to help your audience connect with their physical space during change.

Conference Speaker topics have been directed to creating change in your space with guidance:

How to and why it's important to your health Recreating Your Executive Presence at Home The importance of space as a reflection of who you are How environment influences your mood and ability to bring your best self to the table

I look forward to working with you in creating your ideal space,

### **Monica Viramontes**

2020/2021 roles within the community include:

- V.P. of Corporate Partners- Board of Director for the National Association of Women Business Owners, Los Angeles
- Director of Advisors- Dr. Yasmin Davidds Multicultural Women's Executive Leadership Program
- Board Member- Infanttech, a California Corporation

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### SPEAKING ENGAGEMENTS & AWARDS

- Annual Women Business Conference Breakout Speaker National Association of Women Business Owners HQ, 2020
- Panelist National Association of Women Business Owners: LA, NY, NJ, DC, 2020
- Latina of Influence Awardee Hispanic Lifestyle, 2020
- Alumni Guest Speaker Multicultural Womens Executive Leadership Program, 2020
- Graduation Gala Speaker -Dr. Yasmin Davidds Executive Leadership & Entrepreneur Program for Multicultural Women, 2019

### **EDUCATION & CERTIFICATIONS**

- Graduate of the Dr. Yasmin Davidds Executive Leadership Program & Entrepreneur Program for Multicultural Women, 2018
- IDEX California Examination, 2014
- Construction Documents Tech, 2013
- LEED Accredited Professional ID+C, 2009
- BFA in Interior Architectural Design, Minor in Marketing California State University Long Beach, 2007
   Graduate & Graduation Speaker of the Lois J. Swanson Leadership Academy

### **EXPERIENCE**

- Founder and CEO, 04.2018- Current Evolving by Design, Los Angeles
- Partner and CFO, 06.2008- 12.2019
   Ruiz Insurance Agency Inc., Santa Fe Springs
   An Award Winning President's Council Agency with Farmers Insurance
- Board of Director, 10.2020- Current Infanttech
   California Corporation
- V.P. of Corporate Partners 06.2020- Current Board of Director National Association of Women Business Owners Los Angeles Chapter
- Director of Advisors, 2020 cohort
   Dr. Yasmin Davidds Multicultural Women's
   Executive Leadership Program

- Product Branding, 12.2019
   Mundo Academy, Pasadena
- Event Design Consultant, 12.2019
   KS Salud & Bienestar, Santa Fe Springs
- Gensler Associate, Design Project Manager, 2011-2015
   The Irvine Company, Orange County
   CBRE, Orange County
   Eagan & Avenatti, Newport Beach
   Stifel- Investment Services, Newport Beach
   Zfaty Burns, Irvine
   KBS Realty, Newport Beach
   Balfour Beatty Construction, Newport Beach
- LPA, Inc. Technical Designer & Job Captain, 2008- 2011
   Pretend City- Children's Museum, Irvine
   FDIC- Government Offices, Irvine