

# Thanushka Wijayapala, AIA (SL)

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## PROFILE

Thanushka has over 20 years of experience delivering large-scale residential, commercial, and mixed-use developments across the UK, Sri Lanka, and Seychelles. Currently leading BIM strategy and Revit standards implementation at an organizational level, with recent leadership on the £multi-million Whiteley London project (35,000 m<sup>2</sup>, 173 luxury apartments at RIBA Stage 5).

Founder and Director of Ripplearch Ltd., Thanushka combines a strong architectural foundation with expertise in digital construction, Revit management, and model integrity assurance. A **Chartered Architect (Sri Lanka, 2008)** and Associate Member of the Sri Lankan Institute of Architects, she holds an **MSc in BIM Management (UK, 2016)** and is an **Autodesk Certified Professional (Revit Architecture, 2018)**. With a deep interest in parametric and generative design, she is actively engaged in integrating emerging technologies into construction workflows. Her career spans senior technical and BIM coordination roles in London for over ten years, including work on the Botley Development and Whiteley London.

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## EDUCATION/QUALIFICATIONS

2025	CSCS MAP – Health and Safety and Environment test for managers and professionals
2018	Autodesk Certified Professional (ACP): Revit Architecture
2013 – 2016	MSc. Building Information Modelling Management – Middlesex University, London-Merit (Second Upper)
2012	Autodesk Revit Architecture Advance (License 1ZMOTDQAA7) and Essentials (Autodesk 1HOQKS47H2)
Feb 2012 - May 2012	Revit Architecture CADD Centre Lanka (Course Code IF15)
Dec 2012 – Jan 2013	Project Management Professional (PMP) Preparation Training Program
<b>2008</b>	<b>Sri Lankan Institute of Architects – Chartered Architect (Associate Member of SLIA)</b>
1999 – 2006	Part I, Part II & Part III of Sri Lankan Institute of Architects (Received 'Award of Excellence' for the Overall Performance in the Part I Examination/ Part II Scholarship)

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**PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS:** Associate Member of the Sri Lankan Institute of Architects

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## EMPLOYMENT

May 2021 – Present	BIM Consultancy services	<a href="#">PRC Architecture &amp; Planning</a>	Surrey, UK
May 2019 – Present	Start-up design company.	<a href="#">Rippleach Ltd</a>	Surrey, UK
June 2014 – May 2019	Senior Architectural/ Revit Technician	<a href="#">Mountford Pigott LLP</a>	Surrey, UK
May 2014 – June 2014	Architect/ BIM Manager	<a href="#">Peter Taylor Associates Ltd.</a>	London, UK
Sept 2012 – May 2014	Project Architect (Part –Time)	<a href="#">ADD Locus Architects</a>	Seychelles
May 2010 – Sept 2012	Project Architect/ Project Manager	<a href="#">ADD Locus Architects</a>	Seychelles
2006 – 2010	Project Architect/ Project Manager	Amila De Mel, Sheran Henry Associates	Sri Lanka
Architectural Trainee: Sheran Henry Associates (2000 – 2006); Architrave (2000); Dudley Waas Associates Private (1999-2000)			
Internship: Surath Wickramasighe Associates (1996)			

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**OTHER INTEESTS:** Panting, Arts, Yoga, Basketball. There had been three Solo Art exhibitions of Acrylic and Oil painting. Refer links:

<http://www.sundayobserver.lk/2002/09/22/fea13.html> and <http://www.sundaytimes.lk/020922/plus/4.html>

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## SKILLS

	Name	Proficiency	Yrs Experience	Last Used
General	Microsoft Office	Advanced	25 years	use currently 2024 Version
Project Management	Microsoft Projects	Medium	10 years	use currently 2024 Version
Graphic Tools	Adobe Creative Suite	Advanced	18 years	use currently CS4 Version
CAD	Auto CAD	Advanced	25 years	use currently 2025 Version
Revit Architecture	Revit Architecture	Advanced	15 years	use currently 2025 Version

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## REFERENCES:

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