

Dresser, Stage and Studio

Aliases: Dress Designer, Fashion Designer, Costumier

Industry/Sector(s): Beauty and Wellness

JOB DESCRIPTION ¹

The tasks a Dresser, Stage and Studio is expected to perform include:

- Designing, maintaining and selecting costumes for actors/actresses for performance
- Determining types of dresses required for dressing the actors and actresses in playing various roles in consultation with the Art Director
- Designing dresses for tailoring and ensuring that the completed dresses fulfil the requirement of the character to be depicted
- Dressing the actors and actresses or helping them dress appropriately
- Repairing and getting clothes washed and pressed, whenever required

WORK ENVIRONMENT ^{1, 3}

- It requires physical activity
- Need not handle a team
- Local travelling is not a part of this job role
- Part-time work and contractual jobs are available
- Work from home option is not available

Working hours

- Design studios usually work for 5/6 days a week for 8/9 hours everyday. This may vary from studio to studio
- Shift system may be available
- Overtime may be required

Is the job suitable for a candidate with special needs?

This may vary from organization to organization

EDUCATIONAL QUALIFICATIONS AND TRAINING ²

Preferably, graduate in fashion designing

KEY COMPETENCIES ¹

- Knowledge of maintaining accounts
- Proficient in getting the clothes washed and pressed after use
- Adept at alterations or repairing of the dresses
- Knowledge of designing dresses as per the requirement of the characters being depicted
- Proficient in determining the type of dresses for the actors and actresses
- Proficient in assisting the actors and actresses to dress appropriately

DESIRABLE COMPETENCIES ^{2, 1}

- Creativity
- Aesthetic sense
- Good people skills
- Flair for anticipating and identifying upcoming trends

AVAILABLE SKILL TRAINING AND LEARNING INSTITUTES

- National Institute of Fashion Technology
<http://www.nift.ac.in/bfd.html>
- National Institute of Fashion Designing
<http://www.nifdindia.org/courses.php>
- Vogue Institute of Fashion Technology
<http://www.voguefashioninstitute.com/fashion-designing-courses-bangalore-india/b-sc-fad/>
- Pearl Academy of Fashion
<http://pearlacademy.com/ba-honours-courses/fashion-design/>
- School of Fashion Technology
<http://soft.ac.in/index.php/fashion-apparel-design-b-sc-fashion-design/>

AVAILABLE SKILL TRAINING SCHEMES/SCHOLARSHIPS

For scholarship and schemes, use further links like:

- <https://scholarships.gov.in/>
- <http://www.apsmfc.com/central-govt-sheme.html>
- http://www.delhi.gov.in/wps/wcm/connect/doi_t_industry/Department+of+Industries/Home/Projects+and+Schemes/

SAMPLE OF TRAINING AND LEARNING COURSES

- <http://soft.ac.in/index.php/fee-structure/>
- <http://pearlacademy.com/ba-honours-courses/fashion-design/>

CAREER PROGRESSION PATH ¹

Senior Designer



Dresser, Stage and Studio



Illustrator



Fashion Consultant



Fashion Stylist

The progression is indicative

EXPECTED EARNINGS ⁴

- For candidates with 3 - 5 years of experience or more - Rs 25,000 to Rs 30,000 per month

These figures are indicative and subject to change

REQUIRED WORK EXPERIENCE ²

Generally, 3-5 years of experience required

PROBABLE EMPLOYERS ²

Design studios

KEYWORDS

- Dress Maker
- Costume Planner
- Dress Designer
- Fashion Designer
- Costumier

OCCUPATIONAL CODES AND STANDARDS

Standard	Code	Description
NCO 2015	5142.0500	Dresser, Stage and Studio
ISCO 2008	5141	Beauticians and Related Workers
NIC 2008	96020; 14105	Hairdressing and other beauty treatment; Custom tailoring
QP Reference	Not available	Not available
NSQF	Not available	Not available

REFERENCES

1	National Classification of Occupations Division 5
2	http://www.naukri.com/job-listings-Assistant-Designer-Iconic-Fashion-Iconic-Fashion-Retailing-Pvt-Ltd-Gurgaon-3-to-5-years-030516004135?src=jobsearchDesk&sid=14655660588621&xp=3&qp=assistant%20fashion%20designer&srcPage=s
3	http://www.ccdisabilities.nic.in/page.php?s=reg&t=def&p=list_jobsNew
4	http://www.payscale.com/research/IN/Job=Assistant_Fashion_Designer/Salary