

## Membership Spotlight

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**Ginger  
Lunt**

Business  
Member



Ginger Lunt is the Principal Interior Designer and founder of Tantalus Studios, established in 2018, and located in Honolulu. Ginger was inspired to become an HFIA member after attending the annual Hawaii's Woodshow to find inspiration and make purchases for clients. Ginger grew up surrounded by home interiors and art, thanks to her parents' careers as a real estate agent and a photographer. As a result, Ginger has found interior design to be a “creative outlet” for her.

Ginger describes wood as an essential part of her designs and clarifies that she tries to be mindful of the woods she's using and where they come from. She describes the challenge of making the best decisions

in regards to sustainability and responsible wood consumption as a “constant learning process” that involves “speaking to others in the industry in order to understand and improve my practices”.

Ginger mentions Rapid 'Ohi'a Death as one of her greatest concerns for Hawaii's forests. Where she is located on O'ahu she says there are still some 'Ohi'a trees that seem to be healthy, and she hopes that they will survive. Simultaneously, she points to positive forward motion, citing the Albizia Project as being “a really great example of coming at a problem from a new perspective and creating really inspiring results”.

Currently, Ginger is working on something new and exciting, a project that will showcase the interiors of Tantalus homes and the community. She feels Tantalus has “much to show people about living with the natural world”.

Ginger comes from a professional background that is different from those of many of HFIA's members, but we value the diversity and perspective Ginger brings to the table. Mahalo for your membership, Ginger!

