

LAFIA/ARVIN

FROM LARGE ESTATES TO GETAWAY COTTAGES
THIS LOS ANGELES DESIGN FIRM SPECIALIZES IN CREATING ITS CLIENTS' DREAMS



Lafia/Arvin is one of the most published Interior Design Firms in the United States, and the highest rated interior design firm in Los Angeles according to The Franklin Report. The firm's goal is to establish long standing relationships. The result is multiple residences for most clients as many as five for several.

Lafia/Arvin has been recognized for its expertise for both "estates" and "getaways", having had numerous published projects in both categories, including being featured on the covers of California Homes, and Architectural Digest. Oprah Winfrey showcased one of Lafia/Arvin's projects near her home in Montecito, and described it as one of the most beautiful estates she had ever seen.

In working with its clients, the firm has repeatedly expressed that it does not want the "end result" to be for people to walk into a house that it has worked on and think "This is a Lafia/Arvin design" (or that it looks like a residence that they just visited or viewed in a publication). To L/A, ideally the residence expresses the clients' tastes and personalities. Its sense of design includes inclusion of antiques and artwork, customized furnishings addressing comfort, and in some projects mixed with more contemporary lines, always including usage of inviting color backgrounds, fabrics and details.

Projects range from expansive estates, to smaller beach cottages. Current projects include an approximately 20,000 square foot French style estate in Beverly Hills, a large Italian style estate in Hawaii, and several second residences for other clients. There are no specific size requirement for the design projects accepted and the firm has extensive experience with historical properties. For example, L/A recently completed its interior and exterior design of a 1920s Beverly Hills mansion built by an American film icon and later owned by Cary Grant and James Mason; and are also responsible for a multi-storied historical brownstone in Manhattan.



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