

LIGHT & VIBRANT OFFICE FOR MARKET INTEL SPECIALIST

When specialist consultancy, VesselsValue needed to expand its London-based headquarters, the company commissioned design-led fitout specialist, ei2 Interiors to create a fun, light and vibrant space for the sales team. The project included retro-styled yet modern desking together with multi-functional mobile pedestal seats from British furniture manufacturer, Lee & Plumpton.

Since its launch in 2011, VesselsValue has been committed to providing clients with objective and transparent market intelligence relating to the maritime and aviation markets in new and innovative ways. The Company now has eight global offices accommodating over 200 staff. As part of its ongoing expansion programme, VesselsValue needed additional space at its W14 London headquarters.

ei2 Interiors was tasked with creating the new facilities which would also suite with the existing offices. "We believe that good design does not need to be expensive," explains Lauren Pankhurst, Design Director at ei2 Interiors. "Our use of materials and finishes, coupled with the skills and imagination of our designers and planners, ensures that we meet, and often exceed, our client's requirements."

ei2 Interiors worked with Lee & Plumpton to meet the brief. "The client already used Lee & Plumpton Ascend desks within the existing first floor offices and liked the look and quality," continues Lauren. "We specified the same product but suggested a lighter colour wood for the worksurfaces, rather than the existing dark tops, to brighten up the space."

As well as the Ascend desks, ei2 Interiors also specified Lee & Plumpton's InMotion sit/stand desking including 1200mm wide manual versions as well as larger, 1600mm wide electric models.

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VesselsValue is committed to teamwork and needed to create a dynamic environment to encourage staff to collaborate and communicate on projects and goals. As well as the versatility and well-being benefits of sit/stand desking, ei2 Interiors also proposed the use of Active mobile pedestals combining storage with seating.

Ideal for impromptu meetings and discussions, the Active pedestals include 65mm braked castors for durability and are designed to be an ideal height for seating. The cushion seat pad was upholstered to coordinate with the task operator chairs.

Designed for strength and stability, the Active pedestals offer the perfect solution for providing additional storage whilst enabling greater interaction between team members.

"The client was keen to create flexible and interactive working to encourage staff to work together," continues Lauren. "The mobile caddy with seat pad top allowed just that!"

The Ascend desks were specified with Nebraska Oak worksurfaces to create a lighter aesthetic. Incorporating retro design styling with a modern twist, the desks also include a scallop cut-out at the back of the worksurface and top of the modesty panel to provide easy access to cable management.

Lee & Plumpton is proud of its reputation for quality and durability. Ascend's attractive design is complemented by robust construction including a 1.5mm thick metal frame and 25mm worksurfaces.

Established in 1974, Lee & Plumpton remains a family owned business. Based at its 200,000 square foot purpose built, manufacturing facility in Norfolk, the Company boasts extensive inhouse expertise including design, logistics and customer service. Operating to its certificated ISO 14001 environmental management system, Lee & Plumpton holds Chain of Custody certification with the Forest Stewardship Council (FSC).

ei2 Interiors specialises in the supply and installation of design-led office interiors while providing a comprehensive back-up and support service. The Company is committed to offering a personal service while guaranteeing individual attention throughout the course of a contract.



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