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AK ENTERPRISES DESIGNS A TRENDY YET FUNCTIONALLY CORPORATE OFFICE FOR FUTURE NETWINGS SOLUTIONS PVT. LTD. IN KOLKATA.

With the changing corporate work culture, the role of the interior designers has also changed. This segment needs special kind of expertise that goes beyond selecting furniture, furnishings, colour schemes, materials and finishes. Interior designers have to sketch out the best possible design that takes care of design aesthetics, traffic flow and creates a brand identity for the company.

AK Enterprises, a Kolkata-based design firm, has recently designed **Future Netwings Solutions Pvt. Ltd.** Located in Synergy Building, Rajarhat, in Kolkata, it is spread over an area of 2,500 sq. ft. The space is segregated into various zones—the reception, the annexe meeting room, an eight-seater conference room, the MD's chamber, the second cabin for another sub-head, general workstation for 24 people and a separate work zone for the marketing division. Apart from these functional areas, the design team has designed a cafeteria with a pantry, store room, gym and two toilets.

Reception area looks vibrant with its combination of white and bright red.





Supporting this design theme with a palette of blue and red, the space has a vibrant, energetic feel.

The new office's with high ceilings and large windows, the space is bright and airy, with a modern, professional feel.

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ABOVE: The passage outside the MD's chamber. The dash of greenery here offers relief.

CENTRE: The conference room is shaped like a parallelogram. The conference table replicates the shape of the room.

BELOW: The workstations are all located on one side, separated with low height partitions clad with glass.



The smooth curvilinear-shaped table in the MD's chamber is finished with white polyester coat.

Strategically planned and designed, the reception area in red and white combination has a vibrant and inviting ambience. Further, the MD's cabin is designed following vastu principals and has a silver-grey and slate colour scheme. The smooth curvilinear shaped work table, an informal seating area with white sofas, accentuated with colourful cushions, a glass centre table and an asymmetrically designed bookshelf on the wall lends a sophisticated feel to the space.

The second cabin is smaller and accommodates an irregular shaped white finish table with box patterned wallpaper as its backdrop. One notes that the silver grey and slate colour combination is also used in the linear workstation area. The workstations are all located on one side, separated with low height partitions clad with glass, which lends the feel of openness in the area. As there is no false ceiling the colourful partitions in green, yellow and red have been created using flexi-ply on the top of the workstations where the lights have been fixed with sensors.

The state-of-the-art parallelogram shaped conference room has a conference table and the light fixtures replicating the shape of the room. The floral pattern on one of the walls breaks the monotony of the plain walls.

The design team has skillfully managed to strike a perfect balance between aesthetics and functionality for this corporate office.

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