



Mrs Tzesika Iliovits, Co-founder of Inline

Tzesika Iliovits has developed her professional career in the fields of construction, design, accessibility and universal design. Her work spans the United States, Europe and the Middle East, where she has contributed to advancing accessibility in the built environment through design, research and policy implementation.

Holding a Master's degree in Interior Architecture, Tzesika's research focused on improving the quality of life of people living with Alzheimer's disease and their caregivers through evidence-based design. She has worked on a wide range of projects including master plans, public realm, transport infrastructure, commercial developments, hospitality, education and cultural destinations, integrating accessibility from concept through implementation.

As Co-Founder and Director of Inline Design Services, she leads accessibility and inclusive design consultancy services across the UAE. She serves as the accessibility consultant for Expo City Dubai, supporting the ongoing enhancement of one of the region's leading legacy developments through design reviews, accessibility assessments, and the implementation of long-term accessibility strategies and policies.

Tzesika has played an active role in the development and implementation of accessibility frameworks within the UAE. She was part of the team that project managed the development of the Sahel Rating System, Abu Dhabi's accessibility rating and certification framework. Her work also includes advising government entities, developers and design teams on international accessibility standards, universal design principles and inclusive master planning. She has also presented at the International Autism Conference in Abu Dhabi, sharing insights on universal design and inclusive workspaces for neurodivergent individuals.