



Randall Waddell, of HomeWork Design Studio with design star Candice Olsen.

Local designer meets HGTV design star

Trinidad's rising interior designer Randall Waddell of HomeWork Design Studio, recently held his most exciting career meeting yet, with Candice Olson, a leading designer in the United States and Canada.

Olson has received accolades for her distinctive and exceptional work, and is currently an HGTV Design Star judge, and host of HGTV's *Candice Tells All*.

Waddell attended the Kitchen & Bath Industry Show (KBIS) in Chicago, where he had the opportunity to meet with the design star and exchange ideas and creative opportunities. Olson has her own extensive collection of fabrics, wallpapers, furniture and lighting, even paint colours from which Waddell can choose to execute and implement design ideas for his clients at HomeWork Design Studio. Waddell is a current member of the American Society of Interior Designers (ASID).

KBIS is the world's largest international trade event dedicated to the kitchen and bath industry and was held this year in late April at McCormick Place, Chicago, Illinois. KBIS showcases the latest products and most innovative design ideas that change the industry to meet the needs of the marketplace.

In addition to meeting with Olson, Waddell attended the opening event of the show at which the television star was the keynote speaker, and shared her kitchen and bath design experiences and the importance of creating a personal brand.

When asked about the show, Waddell said: "KBIS was an inspiring, interactive showcase of everything new, where the brightest and best assemble to spot trends, experience product introductions and find the practical solutions and valuable connections that will take HomeWork Design Studio into the future. My time with Miss Olson was invaluable, and I look forward to attending future KBIS events so that my designs remain innovative, current and competitive."

The next show will be held in New Orleans, in April 2013. It will bring together 500 leading manufacturers and suppliers.

HomeWork Design Studio is a full-service interior design studio founded by Randall Waddell. Its portfolio consists of home and property remodeling, interiors, kitchens and baths, pools and landscapes and exteriors. Along with conceptual design, the studio offers project management, for both local and regional clientele.