

## Meet Tamika Slone

“Women working in my field is kind of uncommon, but becoming normal. There is always going to be a minority group no matter where you go. I still expect to be treated like everyone else.”

*Tamika Slone*

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*Tamika* works for CDI Design Group located in Grove City, Ohio. She designs a variety of buildings but primarily churches. She is versatile, working on both big and small projects. With CDI Design Group, she assists in the design of dentist and doctor offices, workspaces, fire stations, warehouses, and more.

*Tamika* is a 2006 graduate of Technology Education College where she received her Associates Degree in Applied Science. She plans on returning to school for her Bachelors Degree in her areas of interest, Electrical Engineering and Architectural Design.

*Tamika* married her high school sweetheart in late June and now she is weeks away from giving birth to her daughter.

**What advice do you have for anyone thinking about entering the CAD Design field?**

“Make sure you enjoy going to school because the design industry is constantly changing and you need continuing education to keep you up-to-date. Ensure you enjoy what your doing because this is not one of those jobs you can just tolerate, it has to excite you.”

