

Building Dreams: A Look at One of San Francisco's Top Residential Builders, Christopher Gate Construction



Christopher Gate discovered his love of building at an early age while watching his carpenter grandfather restore and transform their family home in England. He'd always loved working with his hands and it didn't take long before he too began building and fixing things around the house. By the time he moved to San Francisco, Gate's passion for building was solidified. After honing his skills apprenticing under one of the city's master builders, he founded his own firm, [Christopher Gate Construction](#) in 2005.

With nearly three decades of industry experience, Gate's team is known for their exceptional craftsmanship, integrity and dedication to their clients. From concept to completion, the firm specializes in all aspects of residential building from historic renovations and remodels to complex ground-up construction. Collaborating with architects, designers and homeowners, Gate's team builds beautiful spaces that deliver on each of their client's unique needs.

Honored by *San Francisco Magazine* as one of San Francisco's top construction firms and featured in a number of design publications, Gate places great emphasis on respecting each client's construction investment, offering full transparency at every stage of the project. "We like to get involved early in the process -- the earlier, the better," he says. "This allows us to problem solve with the design team and offer insights into the cost and feasibility of different construction options before the plans are even submitted."





One of their recent projects involved a complex ground-up renovation to transform a San Francisco Victorian into a more contemporary and functional family home. On this particular project, the Victorian facade needed to be fully preserved which required rebuilding the entire home around the historic exterior. The team exceeded the homeowner's expectations and what was once was a dark and outdated home is now a modern, light-filled space that still honors its historic roots.

"For me, our work is not just about building houses – it's about the people who live in it," says Gate. "Seeing a client enjoy their home once a project is complete and knowing that we had a part in creating that is one of the most rewarding aspects of the job."

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