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The following link will bring you to one web page that describes the intention and professional responsibilities required by the Americans with Disabilities Act.

While both architects and contractors play crucial roles in ensuring ADA compliance, **the architect is responsible for designing ADA-compliant signage, while the contractor is responsible for installing it according to those plans.**

Here's a more detailed breakdown:

- **Architect's Responsibility**
 - The architect is responsible for understanding and incorporating ADA standards into the design of the building, including signage.
 - This includes specifying the type, size, and placement of all required ADA signage.
 - The architect's plans should clearly indicate the location and characteristics of all ADA-compliant signage.
- **Contractor's Responsibility**
 - The contractor is responsible for ensuring that all signage is installed correctly and in accordance with the architectural plans.
 - This includes procuring the signage from a qualified supplier and ensuring that it meets all ADA requirements.
 - The contractor is responsible for ensuring that the signage is installed at the correct height, with the appropriate spacing, and using the correct materials.
- <https://www.ada.gov/law-and-regs/design-standards/>

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