

How Much Should Countertops Overhang for Seating? The Golden Rule Kitchen Designers Swear by

Felix Milns, from HUX London, agrees with the 30cm minimum rule, saying: "This minimum works well for a busy kitchen island, perfect for family breakfasts and suppers. However, if you plan to use the space for more leisurely dinners and entertaining, it may be worth considering an increase in the depth for a more luxurious setting, allowing guests to relax and linger comfortably with the added overhang providing an extra layer of comfort."

How Far Can a Countertop Overhang?



Alternatively, Felix suggests, "this support could be in the form of waterfall stone sides, cabinetry support or a concealed steel structure."

Waterfall sides are a great way to add more support while also adding to the island's visual appeal.

Felix Milns

Managing Director at HUX London

Having begun his career as a travel journalist, Felix has a strong understanding on the finest of luxury designs. Over the course of 25 years, Felix has continued to develop this understanding, and now shares his knowledge with other through his joinery company, HUX London. HUX London specialises in bespoke, luxury kitchens and joinery, creating strikingly stunning designs catered to his clients tastes and desires.

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