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Rolls-Royce head of design steps down

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Rolls-Royce Zenith Ghost vehicles. Image courtesy of Rolls-Royce

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British automaker Rolls-Royce's head of design is exiting the position after about six months in the role.

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Jozef Kaba was appointed head of design in late March, and came to Rolls-Royce from within the marque's parent company BMW Group. As of press time, Rolls-Royce has not named a successor, but says it will make an announcement "in due course."

Moving on

Prior to Rolls-Royce, Mr. Kaba was BMW's head of design studio. The design expert also maintained roles at brands Bugatti, Audi and then Skoda Auto.

The executive succeeded former Rolls-Royce head of design Giles Taylor, who left the company in 2018.

Mr. Kaba is said to be leaving to pursue opportunities outside of BMW Group.



Jozef Kaba joined Rolls-Royce as head of design earlier this year. Image credit: Rolls-Royce

"Although Jozef has been with Rolls-Royce for a very short period we thank him for his input during his tenure," said Torsten Mller-tvs, CEO of Rolls-Royce Motor Cars, in a statement. "We wish him the best for the future."

During his time at Rolls-Royce, the company rolled out a limited collector's edition of the Ghost with heightened bespoke touches to celebrate the model's 10-year anniversary.

Only 50 Ghost Zenith vehicles will be produced, making them highly covetable for Rolls-Royce fans. Rolls-Royce has announced that this is the end of the Ghost's lifecycle, as the marque bids farewell to what it says have been its most successful model ([see story](#)).