

INTERIOR DESIGN

Associate of Applied Science Degree

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Purpose: The Interior Design program prepares students to become assistant designers or interior design technicians. The curriculum provides a foundation education covering a broad range of topics in interior design, art history, furniture history, and basic design. Computer-aided drafting, rendering and business practices round out the curriculum. Students become knowledgeable in both residential and contract design. Career opportunities exist not only in the retail marketing of furniture, fabrics, and accessories but also in commercial design firms as space planners, drafters, and technical support staff.

The curriculum can be completed in two years; however, students may enroll on a part-time basis. There are no entry requirements but many IDS courses have prerequisites to insure that students are properly prepared for advanced course work.

Two Years		Credits
1st Semester		
ART	101 Hist. & Appreciation of Art I	3
ART	131 Fund. of Design I	4
ENG	111 College Composition I	3
IDS	100 Theory & Tech. of Int. Design	3
¹ PED	116 Lifetime Fitness & Wellness	1
PSY	100 Prin. of Applied Psychology	3
SDV	Elective	<u>1</u>
Total		18
2nd Semester		
ART	102 Hist. & Appreciation of Art II	3
² ART	132 Fund. of Design II or Elective	3-4
IDS	105 Architectural Drafting for Interior Design	3
IDS	109 Styles of Furniture & Interiors	3
¹ PED/RPK		1
SPD	110 Intro. to Speech Communication	<u>3</u>
Total		16-17
3rd Semester		
IDS	106 Three Dimen. Drawing/Rendering	3
IDS	206 Lighting & Furnishings	3
IDS	225 Business Procedures	3
MTH	151 Math for the Liberal Arts I	3
³ —	Social Science Elective	<u>3</u>
Total		15
4th Semester		
IDS	205 Materials and Sources	3
IDS	215 Theory/Research Commercial Design	3
IDS	221 Designing Commercial Interiors I	4
IDS	245 Computer-Aided Drafting for Interior Designers	3
⁴ IDS	290 Coordinated Internship	<u>3</u>
Total		16

Total credits for the A.A.S. Degree in Interior Design = 65-66.

¹ The PED requirement may be met by one of the following options: PED 116, 2 cr.; PED 116, 1 cr. plus a PED activities course, 1 cr.; or PED 116, 1 cr. plus RPK activities course. PED 116 is offered as both a 1-credit and a 2-credit course.

² Electives may be selected from Interior Design and curricula that offer complementary areas to Interior Design: Architecture Technology, Business Administration, Communication Design, Horticulture Technology, Art History, and Marketing.

³ The social science elective may be selected from the economics, geography, history, political science, psychology, or sociology (includes anthropology) courses listed on page 54.

⁴ For those students interested in transfer, an IDS elective may be substituted (with division approval) for the internship.