

ACADEMIC ROADMAP

Art & Design, BFA in Interior Design (INT)

BFA-AS-INT

Fall 2022

Freshman Year (30 credits)

FIRST SEMESTER

Course Title	Catalog Number	Prerequisite(s)
College Writing I	CWP 101	
Art History I or II	AAD 251 or AAD 252	
Introduction to Interior Design	IDE 101	
Digital Presentation Methods	IDE 103	
Elements & Principles of Interior Design	IDE 104	Co-requisites: IDE 103
Mathematics & Quantitative Reasoning	Math *	

SECOND SEMESTER

Course Title	Catalog Number	Prerequisite(s)
College Writing II	CWP 102	
Art History I or II	AAD 251 or AAD 252	
Mechanical & Perspective Drawing	IDE 151	Co-requisites: IDE 152 and IDE 153 Pre-requisites: IDE 101, IDE 103, IDE 104
Color Rendering & Rapid Ideation	IDE 152	Co-requisites: IDE 151 and IDE 153 Pre-requisites: IDE 101, IDE 103, IDE 104
Spatial Explorations, Model Building & Digital Fabrication	IDE 153	Co-requisites: IDE 151 and IDE 152 Pre-requisites: IDE 101, IDE 103, IDE 104

Notes and recommendations:

Attend at least one faculty office hour; visit Academic Commons (Math & Writing Centers, tutoring); view your degree audit sheet in Degree Works

Sophomore Year (60 credits)

THIRD SEMESTER

Course Title	Catalog Number	Prerequisite(s)
Interior Design I Spatial Experiments	IDE 201	IDE 151, IDE 152, IDE 153 successful completion of the skills competency exam and minimum cumulative GPA of 2.6.
Construction Fundamentals	IDE 202	
Materials, Spec.s, and Estimating	IDE 204	IDE 151
Color & Light	IDE306	IDE 101
	Nat. Sci. *	

FOURTH SEMESTER

Course Title	Catalog Number	Prerequisite(s)
Interior Design II Residential Design	IDE 251	IDE 201
Computer Applications for Interior Design I	IDE 302	
Basic Oral Communication	SPC 205	
	Arts *	

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	Soc Sci *	

Notes and recommendations:

Form a study group

Junior Year (90 credits)

FIFTH SEMESTER

Course Title	Catalog Number	Prerequisite(s)
Interior Design III Retail Design	IDE 301	Co-requisites: IDE 303 Pre-requisites: IDE 251
Construction Documentation & Interior Detailing	IDE 303	IDE 202
Computer Applications for Interior Design II	IDE 352	
History of Interior Design & Architecture I	IDE 205 & IF WEST. CIV.	
	Humanities *	

SIXTH SEMESTER

Course Title	Catalog Number	Prerequisite(s)
History of Interior Design & Architecture II	IDE 254 (WI/IM/CT)	IDE 205
Interior Design IV Public Buildings	IDE 351	IDE 301
Lighting Design	IDE 355	
Advanced Parametric Design	IDE 356	IDE 352
At the 102-level	Global engagement *	

Notes and recommendations:

Visit the Career Development Center; talk to your faculty advisor about graduate school options

Senior Year (120 credits)

SEVENTH SEMESTER

Course Title	Catalog Number	Prerequisite(s)
Interior Design V Office Planning	IDE 401	IDE 351
Interior Design Professional Practice	IDE 403 (WI/IM/CT)	
Interior Design Thesis Research	IDE 404	IDE 401
Internship	IDE 488	

EIGHTH SEMESTER

Course Title	Catalog Number	Prerequisite(s)
Interior Design VI Thesis Studio	IDE 451	IDE 401
American Diversity and Design or equivalent	IDE357	
	Non-Western Civ *	
	Am. Hist. *	

Notes and recommendations:

Apply for graduation; apply to graduate school, if applicable; visit the Career Development Center to have your resume reviewed

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