

ARC

Interior Planning and Design A.A. Degree

This program roadmap represents one possible pathway to complete the program. Please see a counselor to create an education plan that is customized to meet your needs. This roadmap is not a guarantee of course availability or financial aid applicability.

Catalog: 2024-25

Total Units: 60

Start Term: Fall

First Year

Semester 1 (Fall)

15 Units

CAT.	COURSE	TITLE	UNIT	GE AREA
Req	IDES 300	Fundamentals of Interior Design	3	
Req	IDES 310	History of Interior Architecture and Furnishings I	3	
Req	IDES 330	Beginning Interior Design Studio	3	
RE	ART 300	Drawing and Composition I	3	I
GE	MATH 300	Introduction to Mathematical Ideas	3	IIb MC

Semester 2 (Spring)

15 Units

CAT.	COURSE	TITLE	UNIT	GE AREA
RE	DESGN 301	Introduction to Computer Aided Drafting and Design (CADD)	3	
Req	IDES 312	History of Interior Architecture and Furnishings II	3	
Req	IDES 322	Materials of Interior Design	3	
Req	IDES 326	Interior Design Sales	3	
GE	ENGWR 300 / 480 ^H	College Composition	3	Ila WC

Second Year

Semester 3 (Fall)

15 Units

CAT.	COURSE	TITLE	UNIT	GE AREA
Req	IDES 324	Interior Design Business Practices	3	
Req	IDES 332	Portfolio and Presentation in Interior Design	3	
RE	DESGN 320	Three Dimensional Graphics and Design	3	
GE		any Area IV (Natural Sciences) course	3	IV
GE		any Area Va (American Institutions) course	3	Va

Semester 4 (Spring)

15 Units

CAT.	COURSE	TITLE	UNIT	GE AREA
Req	IDES 334	Interior Environment and Space Planning	3	
Req	IDES 350	Codes and Universal Access for Interior Design	2	
Req	IDES 351	Codes and Universal Access Lab	1	

CAREER PATH

Career Options:

The field of interior design offers a variety of career options, including residential design by itself, or with a specialty such as universal design, green/sustainable, smart-home, home office, and home theater design.

It also offers commercial design, which can include ADA compliance, hospitality design, set design, and contract space planning.

Advising Notes:

• Students can substitute ESLW 340 for ENGWR 300/480.

Scheduling Notes:

- IDES 310, 324, and 332 are offered in the fall.
- IDES 312, 334, 350, and 351 are offered in the spring.

Other Notes:

- This degree can be started in the spring as well. <u>See a counselor</u> to adjust the course work.
- An internship (WEXP 498) is required as it opens up potential employment opportunities.
 Students can earn at least 1 unit for related paid or unpaid work experience including volunteer and internship positions through WEXP 498. This course also works toward satisfying GE Area IIIb. See the Work Experience website for more information.
- By the end of the third semester, students qualify for the Interior Retail Merchandising certificate.

CAT.	COURSE	TITLE	UNIT	GE AREA
Req	WEXP 498 ¹	Work Experience in (Subject)	2	IIIb
GE		any Area IIIa (PE Activity) course	1	IIIa
GE		any Area Vb (Social & Behavioral Sciences) course	3	Vb
GE		any Area VI (Ethnic/Multicultural Studies) course	3	VI

¹ Only 1 unit of WEXP 498 is required in the major, but 2 units are required to fulfill GE area IIIb.

^H honors courses

	EXPLANATION OF CATEGORIES			
Req	Required Core	A course that is required for this program		
RE	Restricted Elective	A course selected from a list of elective courses specified for this program in the course list in the catalog, which can be replaced with another course from the same list		
GE	General Education	A course that fulfills a specific general education requirement for a degree, which can be replaced with another course that meets the same requirement		

Graduation Requirement

A course that fulfills a specific graduation requirement which can be replaced by another course that meets the same graduation requirement.

MC = Math Competency

wc = Writing Competency

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