

B.F.A., Interior Design

College of Visual Arts and Design Suggested Four-Year Curriculum

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Key: ■ UNT Core Requirement □ Art Core Requirement

Freshman Fall Semester: 15 credits
□ ART 1700: FNDN-Space (req. for entry review)
□ ART 1800: FNDN-N & R (req. for entry review)
□■ ART 2350: Art History Survey I
ADES 1625: Intro to Interior Design (req. for entry review)
■ ENGL 1310: College Writing I (1311: Honors)

Freshman Spring Semester: 15 credits
□ ART 1600: FNDN-P & T (req. for entry review)
□ ART 1900: FNDN- S & T (req. for entry review)
ADES 2630: Draw. For Interior Design (req. for entry review)
■ ENGL 1320: College Writing II (1312: Honors)
■ College Math
Entry Portfolio Review

Sophomore Fall Semester: 15 credits
□■ ART 2370: Art History Survey III
ADES 2640: INTD: Space Planning I
Elective
■ HIST 2610: U.S. History from 1865 (2675: Honors)
■ Life/Physical Science
Sophomore Summer Semester: 3 credits
■ PSCI 2305: U.S. Pol. Behavior and Policy (2315: Honors)

Sophomore Spring Semester: 15 credits
□■ ART 2360: Art History Survey II
Elective/Study Abroad
■ Social & Behavioral Sciences
■ HIST 2620: U.S. History since 1865 (2685: Honors)
■ Life/Physical Science
Sophomore Summer Semester: 3 credits
■ PSCI 2306: US and Texas Const. and Inst. (2316: Honors)

Junior Fall Semester: 15 credits
ADES 3630: INTD: Space Planning II
ADES 3610: INTD: Presentation Techniques
AEAH 4841: History of Interiors and Furniture I
ADES 3620: INTD: AutoCAD
HFMD 2655: Textiles for Home Furnishings

Junior Spring Semester: 15 credits
ADES 3640: INTD: Space Planning III
ADES 3635: INTD: Detailing
AEAH 4815: History of Interiors and Furniture II
ADES 3645: INTD: Building Systems
■ MKTG 2650: Culture and Consumption

Senior Fall Semester: 12 credits
ADES 4630: INTD: Space Planning IV
ADES 4700: INTD: Professional Internship
ADES 4615 Topics in INTD: 3 credits*
MGMT 3820: Management Concepts

Senior Spring Semester: 15 credits
ADES 4640: INTD: Space Planning V
ADES 4625: INTD: Professional Practice
ADES 4615 Topics in INTD*
■ Core Course (See Academic Advisor)
Total Required Credit Hours: 120

Note: 36 hours of art including 12 advanced hours must be completed at UNT. 42 hours must be advanced; 24 of the 42 advanced hours must be completed at UNT.

ADES 1625 is offered in both fall and spring semesters.

All other ADES courses are offered only in the semesters shown and must be taken in sequence (prerequisites apply).

*ADES 4615 or approved substitution (EX: ART 4120, ART 4614, ANTH 3301, MDSE 3750, MGMT 4210, PSYC 3480, see advisor for details).

Pre-Interior Design majors must meet the following criteria for admission to the Interior Design major.

Admission to the Interior Design Major

Complete at least 24 hours of college courses (including those listed below) and:

- a. Complete ART 1600, 1700, 1800, 1900, and ADES 1625 and 2630 with a grade of C or better and a minimum GPA of 2.5 in these courses;
- b. Submit a portfolio and pass the entry review in the spring semester in order to gain admittance into ADES 2640;
- c. Have at least a 2.25 UNT GPA;

Once admitted through review, students will move to major status with the creation of a degree plan.

The Interior Design curriculum is structured to enable students to develop the following competencies:

- Technical Knowledge: building systems, lighting design, interior construction details
- Technical Skills: architectural drafting, perspective drawing, 3D modeling, color rendering, architectural lettering, presentation craftsmanship, collaboration skills, verbal and visual communication skills
- Space Planning: residential design, contract design, programming
- Design History: art history, architectural history, interior design history, furniture design history
- Design Theory: color theory, design process, evidence-based sourcing

Portfolio Reviews for Interior Design Majors

Entry Portfolio Review

Students enrolled in ADES 2630: Drawing for Interior Design may participate in the portfolio review if they have met all other pre-major requirements listed above. No portfolio will be considered if the above requirements have not been met.

Top ranking students who have acquired the prerequisite skills will be invited to complete degree plans and permitted to enroll in ADES 2640: Space Planning I and upper division courses in the Interior Design program. Students who do not pass the review may re-submit one additional time the following spring semester. Students who successfully pass the portfolio review will be required to have a laptop that meets program specifications by the start of their junior level courses.

All students, including new, continuing, and transfer students are required to participate in the Entry Portfolio Review in order to achieve major status and continue in coursework within the major.

The review is conducted in the spring semester only.

Senior Review

As part of the course requirements for ADES 4625: Interior Design Professional Practices, students are required to present work representative of their progress since the entry portfolio review for approval by the entire Interior Design faculty. Students will be provided with an evaluation that identifies strengths and weaknesses of the submitted work. This review is not offered at any other time in the academic year and is a course requirement.

Transfer Credit

Students must submit official transcripts of all prior collegiate-level coursework as part of the UNT admissions process. Transfer information is reviewed with the student at Orientation. All students, regardless of academic status, must be admitted to the Interior Design Program through the Interior Design Entry Portfolio Review.

Important Note: Students who do not have an official degree plan on file before the semester they plan to graduate may not apply for graduation.

For more information, visit the CVAD Interior Design web page.