Honours Bachelor of Interior Design

Meet our students

Our students learn in studios that are designed to look and feel like professional spaces rather than classrooms. They work with practicing interior design professionals who have extensive industry experience and keep pace with rising professional standards in the interior design industry. Our students get a hands-on interior design education that equips them with advanced knowledge of relevant design software and a set of skills that translate directly to the workplace.

Learn more about the classes these students take by visiting the program webpage.

Core competencies and skills

- Utilizing 2D and 3D computer software, including AutoCAD, Revit, Sketchup, Adobe Suite and other design programs.
- Collecting and analyzing data and research in the development of clients' requirements, needs and goals for residential and commercial projects.
- Preparing working drawings and details consisting of partition, furniture, lighting, power and finishes plans.
- Identifying life, safety, zoning and building code issues, utilizing programming to meet those guidelines and restrictions.
- Differentiating material/finish suitability by name, appearance, aesthetics, durability, abrasion resistance, visual and psychological impact.

Work term availability

- Summer work term (May – August), taken at the end of Year 3.

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Work term capabilities

- Creating 2D and 3D working and presentation drawings in a variety of design software.
- Formulating preliminary plans, programming, and design concepts.
- Recognizing and understanding various sustainability systems, such as LEED, WELL, etc.
- Preparing presentation media such as drawings, sketches, perspectives, renderings, colour and materials options, photographs, and models.
- Participating in site visits, field inspections and meetings.
- Communicating openly and reflectively with managers, consultants, clients, and team members.
- Formulating, proposing, and executing creative design solutions for the physical, social, and psychological needs of a changing society.

Note: This interior design program is CIDA (Council for Interior Design Education) accredited.

Employer resources

- Employer webpage
- Program information
- Program course schedule

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