

Interior Design

Certificate Program in Interior Design

The Certificate Program in Interior Design is an overview of the basic elements of interior decoration through lectures and problem solving projects. Learn how to make the best decorating decisions for your home, friends and/or clients. Professional designers will show you how to create residential interiors that are both functional and beautiful, with knowledge and confidence. We will cover color, design elements and design principles, history, fabric and interior materials, window treatments, lighting, basic drawing and drafting, reading blueprints, and business practices. For the individual contemplating entry into the profession of interior design, the certificate program will be an introduction to the field.

To earn the Certificate, you must complete the four Core Courses and 45 classroom hours (4.5 CEU) of Electives.

Core Courses:

- Basic Interior Design
- Basic Drafting & Design Studio I
- Color Theory I
- Principles of Design

Elective Courses:

- Color Theory II (Spring 2010)
- Color & Lighting in Today's Interiors
- Furniture & Wall Arrangements
- Interior Design Business Practice
- Design Studio II (Spring 2010)
- Kitchen Design (Spring 2010)
- SketchUp Your Design
- Window Treatment
- History of Furniture
- Interior Finishes & Environmental Impact



Basic Interior Design

An overview of the interior design process with the emphasis on design concepts, furniture layouts, color schemes, design elements, history of furniture & interiors, window treatments, and accessories as they apply to residential interiors. Students will learn to create functional and beautiful interiors through lectures, class discussions and a design project.

1.75 CEU. Tuition and fees: \$195 (includes course material fee: \$20). **Textbook required.**

Available in college bookstore. (A list of materials required will be given on the first day of class. An additional estimated material cost to be paid by student: \$140)

XCP290-083420 **Sept 9-Oct 21**

7 sessions **W** **6:30-9pm**

Joyce Kelleher, Designer

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Basic Drafting & Design Studio I

An introduction to the fundamentals of drafting; surveying an existing room, creating a scaled drafted floor plan and elevations, and interior drafting conventions. You will apply the basic design principles to a project to create a furniture plan, elevations, and design for a residential space. 2.25 CEU. Tuition and fees: \$235 (A list of course materials will be available at the first class. An additional estimated material cost to be paid by student: \$120)

XCP291-083421

Sept 8-Nov 3

9 sessions Tu 6:30-9pm

Ryan McDonough, Designer



Principles of Design

This course is an overview of the basic principles of design – proportion, scale, balance, rhythm, harmony, and form. Students will undertake simple projects to illustrate each principle. 0.75 CEU. Tuition and fees: \$79 (An additional estimated material cost to be paid by student: \$30)

XCP293-083422 **Sept 10-Sept 24**
3 sessionsTh **6:30-9pm**
Anne Sax, Architect

Furniture and Wall Arrangements

Prerequisite: Basic Drafting & Design Studio I

Students will explore how furniture arrangements with creatively arranged decorative wall objects can affect and enhance the interior design of a room. 0.75 CEU. Tuition and fees: \$79

XCP289-083423 **Sept 14-Oct 5***
 3 sessions M 6:30-9pm
 *Class will not meet Sept 28
Carrie Schmierer, Designer

SketchUp Your Design

Prerequisite: Familiarity with Microsoft Office

Learn to use the software Google SketchUp Professional version 7.0 to create a computer generated 3D model for residential, landscape and interior design. At the completion of the course, you will have a PowerPoint electronic portfolio to showcase your design, 3D modeling and technology skills to show your supervisor or future employer. **Workbook required. Available in college bookstore.**

1.2 CEU. Tuition and fees: \$245 (tuition: \$114; lab fees: \$131)

XCP301-083437 **Sept 16-Oct 7**
 4 sessions W 6:30-9:30pm
Dominick Rodriguez, MCCC Instructor

Color Theory I

An introduction to color theory and its application to interior design. You will study the color wheel and color groups. Explore the effects of color on interiors, including their psychological and cultural impact. Students will submit color schemes as examples of the color groups.

0.75 CEU. Tuition and fees: \$79 (An additional estimated material cost to be paid by student: \$25)

XCP292-083454 **Oct 5-Oct 19**
 3 sessions M 6:30-9pm
Sabrina Teekah, Designer

Interior Finishes & Environmental Impact

This course will familiarize you with finish materials and their application in interior residential projects—materials such as textiles, wood, wall and flooring surfaces. You will develop a basic understanding of environmental issues and how they impact residential interiors.

0.75 CEU. Tuition and fees: \$79

XCP294-083513 **Oct 8-Oct 22**
 3 sessions Th 6:30-9pm
Jennifer Hyer, Designer



Interior Design Business Practice

This course will introduce types of business practice styles for residential interiors. Review typical business procedures from starting a business to completing a project.

0.75 CEU. Tuition and fees: \$91 (includes course material fee: \$12)

XCP298-083458 **Oct 28-Nov 11**
 3 sessions W 6:30-9pm
Joyce Kelleher, Designer

Window Treatment

Learn how to design and sell window treatments in this hands-on course. You will learn the features and benefits of hard and soft treatments and the wide assortment of custom window treatment options. We will discuss embellishments, decorative hardware, and the appropriate fabrics for your use. Learn how to measure, calculate yardage, the importance of proper installation, and more.

0.75 CEU. Tuition and fees: \$79 (An additional estimated material cost to be paid by student: \$30)

XCP302-083466 **Oct 29-Nov 12**
 3 sessions Th 6:30-9pm
Linda Principe, Designer

History of Furniture

We will cover the dominant periods in design through history and the evolution of furniture and accessories in America. You will learn architecture, furniture, furnishings, and ornamentation for each period.

0.75 CEU. Tuition and fees: \$91 (includes course material fee: \$25)

XCP296-083470 **Nov 2-Nov 16**
 3 sessions M 6:30-9pm

Color and Lighting in Today's Interiors

This course will cover the color trends for today and the relationship of colors under various light sources and how light affects the color of interiors. You will become familiar with a variety of lighting fixture types and the effect on interior colors.

0.75 CEU. Tuition and fees: \$79

XCP295-083473 **Nov 10-Nov 24**
 3 sessions Tu 6:30-9pm
Ryan McDonough, Designer