

ASU Bachelor of Science in Design Interior Design Program Information

Program Mission

To educate the interior design thinkers of tomorrow by instilling creative, technical, and communication skills, as well as impressing values of integrity and social responsibility in promoting a sustainable and diverse world.

Program Goals

1. To provide a comprehensive interior design educational experience within the largest university in North America.
2. To provide a foundation of essential design and communication skills, that includes a culture of theory and research
3. To inform students of the discipline's significant impact on the health, safety and welfare of the end user.
4. To afford opportunities for exploration and creativity in formulating design concepts and solutions.
5. To provide a culture of research in all design studios that is grounded in essential design and communication skills.
6. To have students understand the link between historical precedent, user needs and behavior, and today's technology and production methods.
7. To integrate sustainable practices in the curriculum for creating design that enhances the geo-physical environment.
8. To promote an understanding of social responsibility and service to the community and the profession.
9. To provide opportunities to experience professional aspects of the profession through field trips, internships, and 'real world' project scenarios.
10. To prepare students to succeed beyond the degree program through professional practice and registration.

Program Educational Philosophy

We value excellence in providing the best, most comprehensive interior design education in North America. We support the creation of new knowledge by maintaining a faculty of recognized scholars and leaders in the practice of architecture and interior design. Our curriculum is grounded in essential design and communication skills, and includes a culture of theory and research in all design studios. We recognize and inform students of the discipline's significant impact on the health, safety and welfare of the end user. We are committed to both the importance of historical precedent and user needs and behavior throughout the curriculum. We value social responsibility and serve others through our involvement in the community and maintain a strong connection to our alumni.