

INTERIOR DESIGN

Curriculum Guide for Academic Year 2011-2012

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Students planning to **transfer** to a four-year college or university should refer to the ASSIST web site at www.assist.org and **consult a counselor** before beginning a program of study. To meet with a counselor call 562-938-4561 for the LAC, or (562) 938-3920 for PCC. Students may also wish to visit the Transfer Center on either campus.

Program of study leading to: Associate in Arts (A.A.) Degree

<u>REQUIRED COURSES</u>		UNITS	In Progress	Completed Grade
ID 1	Fundamentals of Interior Design	3		
ID 5	Interior Design Studio 1	2		
ID 10	Beginning Drafting: Interior Design	3		
ID 20	Interior Design Careers	2		
ID 30	Applied Color & Design Theory	4		
ID 50	Interior Materials/Products	4		
ID 70	Space Planning	3		
ID 272	Residential Furnishings	1		
ARCHT 61	Architectural Design	4		
TOTAL UNITS		26		

For graduation with an **Associate in Arts (A.A.) Degree with a major in Interior Design:**

- Units:** Complete a minimum of 60 units, distributed as follows:

Interior Design Major:	26 units
General Education/A.A.	25 units
<u>Electives/Other courses:</u>	9 units
TOTAL:	60 units

- Scholarship:** Maintain an **overall grade point average (GPA) of 2.0** ("C" average) based on all accredited college work applied to the degree, no matter where completed. For this **field of concentration, complete each course above with a grade of "C" or better**, or "P" if course is graded on a P/NP basis.
- Residence for the Degree:** Complete at least 30 units of the required 60 in residence at LBCC, or complete in residence at LBCC at least 20 units within the last 30 units of work applied to the degree.
- Residence for the Field of Concentration:** Complete fifty percent (50%) or more of the unit requirements for this field of concentration in residence; this means at **least 13 units** of the required 26 must be **completed at Long Beach City College**. Credit earned by exam, where applicable, may be included.
- General Education and Proficiency Requirements:** Complete the required A.A./A.S. General Education and Proficiency requirements*, otherwise known as "Plan A". For Plan A requirements, refer to the general catalog or view it online at <http://osca.lbcc.edu>.
- Complete and submit the degree application form to the Admissions and Records office during your final semester of course work. These forms are available in the Admissions and Records office, or online at <http://admissions.lbcc.edu/>. Refer to the Schedule of Classes (<http://schedule.lbcc.edu>) and click the "Important Dates" link to view the actual deadline for each semester.

*The requirements for general education/proficiency and the field of concentration (major) need to be from the same catalog year. This catalog year may be any year between the year of initial enrollment to the present, provided continuous enrollment is maintained throughout. See the catalog for definition of "continuous enrollment". Unless otherwise noted, "double-counting" is not allowed. That is, one course may not be used to fulfill both a field of concentration requirement and to fulfill a general education requirement.

**Program of study leading to:
Certificate of Achievement**

REQUIRED COURSES		UNITS	In Progress	Completed Grade
ID 1	Fundamentals of Interior Design	3		
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ID 10	Beginning Drafting: Interior Design	3		
ID 20	Interior Design Careers	2		
ID 30	Applied Color & Design Theory	4		
ID 50	Interior Materials/Products	4		
ID 70	Space Planning	3		
ID 272	Residential Furnishings	1		
ARCHT 61	Architectural Design	4		
ID 80	History of Interior & Furnishings 1	3		
ID 90	History of Interior & Furnishings 2	3		
ID 200	Interior Illustration	2		
ID 210	Fundamentals of Lighting	3		
† ID 215	Interior Design Studio II	2		
ID 230	Business & Professional Practices	3		
♦ ID 70AD	Work Experience Issues – Interior Design	1		
♦ ID 71AD OR 72AD OR 73AD	Work Experience – Interior Design	1 OR 2 OR 3		
ID 240	Intro to Green Design	3		
ID 241	Intro to LEED	3		
TOTAL UNITS		50 – 54		

For graduation with a Certificate of Achievement:

1. Complete each of the **REQUIRED COURSES** listed above with a **minimum grade of “C”**, or better, or “P” if course is graded on a P/NP basis.
2. Complete fifty percent (50%) or more of the unit requirements for this field of concentration in residence; this means at **least 25 – 27 units** of the required 50 – 54 must be **completed at Long Beach City College**. Credit earned by exam, where applicable, may be included.
3. Complete and submit the certificate application form to the Admissions and Records office during your final semester of course work. These forms are available in the Admissions and Records office, or online at <http://admissions.lbcc.edu/>. Refer to the Schedule of Classes (<http://schedule.lbcc.edu>) and click the “Important Dates” link to view the actual deadline for each semester.

For both the **Associate in Arts** and the **Certificate of Achievement**, the following courses are recommended, **BUT ARE NOT REQUIRED** to earn either.

RECOMMENDED but not required courses:

SP 10	Elements of Public Speaking	3		
TEC 60AD	Computer Aided Design	3		

Suggested Sequence of Classes

This is not an educational plan, as course offerings, student schedules, and circumstances vary. Students must meet all the prerequisites in order to be eligible for the sequence of courses.

A suggested full-time sample sequence of courses to reach a Certificate of Achievement includes:

<u>First Semester</u>	<u>Units</u>	<u>Second Semester</u>	<u>Units</u>
ID 1	3	ID 10	3
ID 5	2	ID 50	4
ID 20	2	ID 70	3
ID 30	4	ARCHT 61	4
Total	11	Total	14
<u>Third Semester</u>		<u>Fourth Semester</u>	
ID 80	3	♦ ID 70AD	1
ID 200	2	♦ ID 71AD, 72AD, or 73AD	1 – 3
ID 230	3	ID 90	3
ID 272	1	ID 210	3
ID 240	3	† ID 215	2
		ID 241	3
Total	12	Total	13 – 15

Career Opportunities

Students prepare for employment in Interior Design and related design specializations including residential, hospitality, model home design, and contract design. See the Interior Design: “Technical Skills Emphasis” curriculum guide for preparation in the area of drafting and computer aided design.

Program Mission and Outcomes

Interior Design education prepares students to become professionals within the Interior Design field. Academic and technical preparation essential to the profession include analysis, synthesis of user needs, industry, technical and communication skills, as well as creative expression and development.

- Synthesis of theory and principles of various components of interior design.
- Analyze and communicate interior design vision.

Legend

† This course has a prerequisite. Prerequisite courses must be complete with at least a “C” or “P” grade. Refer to the General Catalog (<http://www.lbcc.edu/cat/index.html>), the Schedule of Classes (<http://schedule.lbcc.edu/>), or the online Credit Course Outline (<http://wdb-asir.lbcc.edu/coursecurriculum/course/details/>) for specific prerequisite information.

- ♦ ID 70AD must be taken concurrently with ID 71AD, 72AD, or 73AD.