ENTREPRENEURSHIP IN INTERIOR DESIGN

4106 Advanced Technical Certificate

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MISSION/PURPOSE

The mission of the Entrepreneurship in Interior Design program is to educate, train, and develop students for careers in the interior design industry related to running an interior design business. The purpose of the program is to educates students on the business side of design and prepare students for employment in the interior design, architecture or construction industry that leads to state licensing and registration as an interior designer. The program may also be used to provide supplemental or required training for persons previously or currently employed within the career cluster.
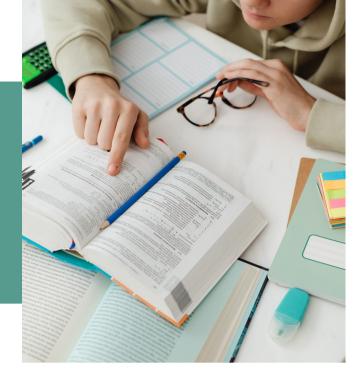
THE PROGRAM

The Advanced Technical Certificate (A.T.C.) is exclusively for students who have earned an associate's degree from an accredited institution and seek to further enhance their education and career training. The curriculum focuses on studying business concepts and their application to interior design entrepreneurs. The program focuses on financial accounting, computer applications for business and economics, principles of management and marketing, project management, as well as hands-on training and field experiences. This balanced approach enhances the educational experience and provides a sound foundation for distinctive success in the field of interior design.

THE CAREER

With an Entrepreneurship in Interior Design Advanced Technical Certificate, graduates may qualify for entry-level positions with interior design studios, architectural firms, furniture and design showrooms, and other businesses specializing in interior furnishings. Types of employment include interior designer (if a minimum A.S. in interior design is also completed), interior design office manager, interior design project manager, interior design expeditor and procurement.

CURRICULUM
CREDIT HOURS: 24

A minimum grade of C or higher is required in all Professional coursework.

- ACG 2021 - Financial Accounting Credit Hours: 3
- CGS 1100C - Microcomputer Applications for Business and Economics Credit Hours: 3
- GEB 1011 - Introduction to Business Credit Hours: 3
- MAN 2021 - Principles of Management Credit Hours: 3
- MAN 2582 - Introduction to Project Management Credit Hours: 3
- MAR 2011 - Principles of Marketing Credit Hours: 3
- IND 2934 - Special Topics in Interior Design Credit Hours: 3
- IND 2933C - Interior Design Capstone Credit Hours: 3

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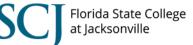- IND 2946 - Interior Design Internship and Seminar Credit Hours: 3

ARTICULATION

The credits earned for this certificate articulate directly into the Business Administration (2213) (A.S.) degree if you choose to pursue it.

This certificate also enhances the program 2389, A.S. Interior Design Technology.

THIS IS A SELECTIVE ACCESS PROGRAM.

Application Process: Only those who meet the criteria below are eligible to be admitted. Applicants must apply for admission into A.T.C. in Entrepreneurship in Interior Design program.
The following criteria apply:

- Applicants must have graduated with at least an associate's degree or higher from a regionally accredited college or university.
- Applicants must have a 2.0 overall grade point average.

FSCJ Florida State College at Jacksonville

INTERIOR DESIGN TECHNOLOGY

Program 2389 - Associate in Science

Based on the professional standards established by The Council of Interior Design Accreditation and industry partners, the A.S. in Interior Design Technology degree will help you develop competencies in all phases of design.

Your degree will culminate with a professional internship during your last term that will provide you with experience in the interior design industry. It will consist of a course component and a minimum 180 hours interning in the field. This program cannot be completed entirely online. Some courses are available as hybrid, a combination of online and traditional college courses.

Graduates of the A.S. in Interior Design Technology degree program fulfill the educational requirements needed for eligibility to take the National Council for Interior Design Qualification (NCIDQ) exam. Courses within the program may help students prepare to pursue optional certifications, including LEED Associate, Evidence-Based Design, Kitchen and Bath, and Certified Aging-in-Place Specialist.

GENERAL EDUCATION COURSEWORK.

CREDIT HOURS: 15
Each course is 3-credit hours

- ENC 1101 - English Composition I
- Humanities class
- Math class
- Natural Science class
- Social & Behavioral Science class

PROFESSIONAL COURSEWORK

CREDIT HOURS: 54
Each course is 3-credit hours

- IND 1020C - Principles of Interior Design
- IND 1100 - History of Interiors I
- IND 1130 - History of Interiors II
- IND 1229 - Interior Design Planning
- IND 1404C - Technical Design
- IND 1420 - Materials and Sources
- IND 1429C - Basic Textiles
- IND 1606C - Fundamentals of Interior Design
- IND 1935 - Building and Barrier-Free Codes
- IND 2210C - Residential Interiors
- IND 2222C - Commercial Interiors
- IND 2307C - Visual Communications
- IND 2318C - Interior Design Computer Graphics
- IND 2460C - Interior Design - Computer-Aided Drafting and Design
- IND 2462 - Revit for Interior Applications
- IND 2484 - Interior Design Construction Documents
- IND 2500 - Professional Principles and Practices of Interior Design
- IND 2946 - Interior Design Internship and Seminar

TASKS
1. Meet with your advisor each term.
2. Fulfill the Civic Literacy requirement.
3. Satisfy the associate in science degree graduation requirements.

PROFESSIONAL ELECTIVE COURSEWORK

CREDIT HOURS: 6
Each course is 3-credit hours

- BCN 2793 - Managing Building Construction
- IND 1932 - Selected Studies in Interior Design
- IND 1933C - Selected Topics in Interior Design
- IND 2224C - Residential and Commercial Design
- IND 2410C - Specialized Design: Kitchen Planning
- IND 2433 - Lighting Design
- IND 2463C - Computer-Aided Design for Interiors II
- IND 2608 - Sustainable Design for Interiors

This is an open access program
Students must maintain a C or above in all coursework

Total Credit Hours: 75

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