# Interior Design Four-Year Plan
For Students Officially Admitted to the Program in Fall 2020 or Spring 2021 Only  
(v. 9-9-20)

## Year One

### Fall Semester
- **Des 1101W: Introduction to Design Thinking**  
  (Arts/Humanities; Writing Intensive)  
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- **Freshman Writing**  
  You will be placed in one of the following:  
  Writ 1201: Writing Studio*  
  Writ 1301: University Writing  
  Writ 1401: Writing and Academic Inquiry  
  *If placed in Writ 1201, you must also complete Writ 1301 to fulfill the first-year writing requirement.  
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- **GDes 1311: Foundations: Drawing & Design in Two and Three Dimensions**  
  (may be swapped for GDes 1312 this term)  
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- **IDes 1601: Interior Design Studio I** (fall only)  
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### Spring Semester
- **Arth 1001: Introduction to Art History**  
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- **GDes 1312: Foundations: Color & Design in Two and Three Dimensions**  
  (may be swapped for GDes 1311 this term)  
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- **IDes 1602: Interior Design Studio II** (spring only)  
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- **Psy 1001: Introduction to Psychology**  
  (Social Sciences)  
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**PORTFOLIO REVIEW HELD DURING FINALS WEEK**

Semester Credits: 16

## Year Two

### Fall Semester
- **ADes 2213: Textile Analysis** (fall only)  
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- **Arch 3711W Environmental Design in the Socio-Cultural Context** (Writing Intensive) (fall only)  
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- **IDes 2603: Interior Design Studio III** (fall only)  
  4
- **IDes 2613: Structures, Systems, and Life Safety** (fall only)  
  4

### Spring Semester
- **Arch 3412: Architecture History Since 1750**  
  (Global Perspectives, Historical Perspectives) (spring only)  
  3
- **Des 3201: Career and Internship Preparation for Design**  
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- **IDes 2604: Interior Design Studio IV** (spring only)  
  4
- **IDes 2612: Interior Materials and Specifications** (spring only) (The Environment)  
  4
- **IDes 2622: CAD I** (spring only)  
  2

Semester Credits: 15

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# Year Three

## Fall Semester
- **Des 4165: Design and Globalization**  
  (fall only) (Diversity and Social Justice in the U.S.)  
  3
- **IDes 3161: History of Interiors and Furnishings: Ancient to 1750**  
  (fall only) (Global Perspectives)  
  4
- **IDes 4607: Interior Design Studio VII** (fall only)  
  4
- **IDes 3612: Lighting Design** (fall only)  
  3
- **IDes 3622: CAD II** (fall only)  
  2

## Spring Semester
- **Communication Course**  
  3-4  
  For course options, refer to your APAS report.
- **IDes 3162: History of Interiors and Furnishings: 1750 to Present**  
  (spring only) (Historical Perspectives)  
  4
- **IDes 3605: Interior Design Studio V** (spring only)  
  4
- **IDes 4196: Internship**  
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  You may do your Internship after successfully completing IDes 4607.
- **Liberal Education Requirement**  
  3-4

### Good Term to Study Abroad/Away

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## Year Four

## Fall Semester
- **IDes 3614: Interior Design Ethics and Professional Practice**  
  (fall only) (Civil Life and Ethics)  
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- **IDes 3606: Interior Design Studio VI** (fall only)  
  4
- **IDes 4615W: Interior Design Research** (fall only)  
  3
- **Liberal Education Requirements**  
  3-4

## Spring Semester
- **IDes 4608: Interior Design Thesis** (spring only)  
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- **Liberal Education Requirements**  
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### Liberal Education Requirements Not Met by Major Requirements

#### Diversified Core
- Biological Science
- Literature
- Mathematical Thinking
- Physical Science

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This is a sample plan subject to change prior to the start of Fall Term 2020.