



# INTERIOR DESIGN BFA — CLASS OF 2026

The Interior Design profession provides services encompassing research, development and implementation of plans and designs of interior environments to improve the quality of life, increase productivity and protect health, safety and welfare of the public.

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FIRST YEAR			
FALL SEMESTER (2022)		SPRING SEMESTER (2023)	
<b>IDE 101</b>	<b>Introduction to Interior Design</b>	<b>IDE 151</b>	<b>Mechanical &amp; Perspective Drawing</b> Co-requisites: IDE 152 and IDE 153 Pre-requisites: IDE 101, IDE 103, IDE 104
<b>IDE 103</b>	<b>Digital Presentation Methods</b> Co-requisites: IDE 104	<b>IDE 152</b>	<b>Color Rendering &amp; Rapid Ideation</b> Co-requisites: IDE 151 and IDE 153 Pre-requisites: IDE 101, IDE 103, IDE 104
<b>IDE 104</b>	<b>Elements &amp; Principles of Interior Design</b> Co-requisites: IDE 103	<b>IDE 153</b>	<b>Spatial Explorations, Model Building &amp; Digital Fabrication</b> Co-requisites: IDE 151 and IDE 152 Pre-requisites: IDE 101, IDE 103, IDE 104
<b>AAD 251 or AAD 252</b>	<b>Art History I or II</b>	<b>AAD 251 or AAD 252</b>	<b>Art History I or II</b>
CWP 101 *	College Writing I	CWP 102 *	College Writing II Pre-requisite: Earn a C or better in CWP101
Math *	Mathematics & Quantitative Reasoning		

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SECOND YEAR			
FALL SEMESTER (2023)		SPRING SEMESTER (2024)	
<b>IDE 201</b>	<b>Interior Design I Spatial Experiments</b> Pre-requisites: Successful completion of IDE qualification Exam; Min. Cumulative GPA of 2.6	<b>IDE 251</b>	<b>Interior Design II Residential Design</b> Pre-requisites: IDE 201
<b>IDE 202</b>	<b>Construction Fundamentals</b>	<b>IDE 302</b>	<b>Computer Applications for Interior Design I</b>
<b>IDE 205 &amp; IF WEST. CIV.</b>	<b>History of Interior Design &amp; Architecture I</b>	<b>IDE 254 (WI/IM/CT)</b>	<b>History of Interior Design &amp; Architecture II</b> Pre-requisites: IDE 205
SPC 205	Basic Oral Communication	Arts *	
Nat. Sci. *		Soc Sci *	

THIRD YEAR			
FALL SEMESTER (2024)		SPRING SEMESTER (2025)	
<b>IDE 301</b>	<b>Interior Design III Retail Design</b> Co-requisites: IDE 303 Pre-requisites: IDE 251	<b>IDE 351</b>	<b>Interior Design IV Public Buildings</b> Pre-requisites: IDE 301
<b>IDE 303</b>	<b>Construction Documentation &amp; Interior Detailing</b> Co-requisites: IDE 301	<b>IDE 355</b>	<b>Lighting Design</b>
<b>IDE 352</b>	<b>Computer Applications for Interior Design II</b>	<b>IDE 356</b>	<b>Advanced Parametric Design</b>
<b>IDE 204</b>	<b>Materials, Specifications, and Estimating</b> Pre-requisites: IDE 103, IDE 151	Diversity *	IDE357 American Diversity and Design or equivalent
<b>IDE 306</b>	<b>Color &amp; Light</b>	Global engagement *	At the 102-level

FOURTH YEAR			
FALL SEMESTER (2025)		SPRING SEMESTER (2026)	
<b>IDE 401</b>	<b>Interior Design V Office Planning</b> Pre-requisites: IDE 351	<b>IDE 451</b>	<b>Interior Design VI Thesis Studio</b> Pre-requisites: IDE 401
<b>IDE 403 (WI/IM/CT)</b>	<b>Interior Design Professional Practice</b>	Humanities *	
<b>IDE 404</b>	<b>Interior Design Thesis Research</b>	Non-Western Civ *	
<b>IDE 488</b>	<b>Internship</b>	Am. Hist. *	

**Anticipated Graduation: May 2026**

## Additional Degree Requirements

In addition to the Interior Design major coursework and the general education coursework (Intellectual Foundations Program)\*, all undergraduate degree candidates must meet the following college wide graduation requirements:

- Successful completion of required coursework in the declared major
- Successful completion of at least 120 hours of which at least 45 must be upper division and 32 must be taken at Buffalo State, including the last 16
- Successful completion of all "I", "N", or "X" grades
- A minimum cumulative GPA of 2.6 in the major after the freshman year is required by the Interior Design Department as stated in the current Buffalo State Online Undergraduate Catalog.
- \*The general education courses do not have to be taken in the order in which they are listed on the front of this sheet. The scheduling and sequencing of the Intellectual Foundations coursework is the student's choice with guidance from her/his advisor. **These courses are marked with an asterisk - \***

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The course sequence and instructor designation are subject to change if needed.