



# Interior Design-Specialized Diploma (2020-21 Catalog)

Developmental Education Courses <i>(if required)</i>		
<input type="checkbox"/>	ACLS050	Introduction to Academic Literacy
<input type="checkbox"/>	ENGL027	Writing Skills Workshop

## SEMESTER-BY-SEMESTER PROGRAM MAP FOR FULL-TIME STUDENTS

Courses are listed in preferred order of completion

*Plans can be modified to fit student needs by adding more semesters*

**Choose your courses with your Advisor.**

Location: B= BETH, M= MROE, S=SBTH, E= ESTN, D= DIST *subject to change										
complete	Course #	Course Title	Credits	Gen Ed	Fall	Winter	Spring	Summer	Pre-requisites / Co-requisites	
Semester 1	<input type="checkbox"/>	COLS101	College Success	1		B, M, D	----	B, M, D	D	
	<input type="checkbox"/>	ARCH101	Architectural Graphics I	3		B	----	----	----	CO: ARCH110
	<input type="checkbox"/>	ARCH110	Architecture Design Studio I	3		B	----	----	----	CO: ARCH101
	<input type="checkbox"/>	IND1S05	Introduction to Interior Design	3		B	----	B	----	
	<input type="checkbox"/>	INDS165	Kitchen and Lighting Design	3		B	----	----	----	PRE: INDS121 with C or better
		Total Semester Credits:	13							
Semester 2	<input type="checkbox"/>	INDS130	Interior Materials & Structure	3		----	----	B	----	PRE: ARCH101 with C or better
	<input type="checkbox"/>	INDS121	Graphics & Presentation Techniques for Interior Designers	3		----	----	B	----	PRE: ARCH101 and ARCH110 with C or better CO: ARCH150
	<input type="checkbox"/>	ARCH265	Digital Production Drawing	3		----	----	B	----	PRE: ARCH101 with C or better
	<input type="checkbox"/>	INDS255	Commerical Interior Design Studio	3		----	----	B	----	PRE: INDS105, ARCH101, ARCH110 CO: ARCH265, INDS160
	<input type="checkbox"/>									
		Total Semester Credits:	12							
		Total Degree Credits								

### Notes:

Students can complete the program on a Full-time or Part-time basis.

Students will need an override for prerequisites that are not met.

**\*It is the student's responsibility to be knowledgeable of NCC graduation requirements and to verify transfer requirements with the 4-year institution. Courses listed on the program map are based upon the assumption that prerequisites and courses taken in previous semesters will be successfully completed**

**Program Information:**

-This program is designed for both full-time and part-time students. We've designed this program for those who already have a college degree or need an accelerated alternative career path in the Interior Design profession. Returning students with previously earned bachelor's degrees find this program especially appealing. By adding your general education credits previously earned to the 24 credit diploma, you're only a few part-time semesters to an AAS degree.

-Along with a broad introduction to the field of Interior Design, you will learn the fundamental principles of design and gain both hand and computer graphic skills in our design studio and graphics courses. The program also offers a focus on the popular specialty area of kitchen and bath design. Your learning experience is capped with an upper level interior design studio where you will complete projects under the guidance of professional architects and designers.

-Full-time students can complete the program in two twelve-credit semesters offered during the day and in the evening. Part-time students can complete the program in four six-credit semesters all offered at night.

**Program Outcomes:** Students who complete this program will be able to:

- Demonstrate a fundamental understanding of general principles, values and conventions of the Interior Design esthetic.
- Use abstract design ideas to interpret design information while investigating alternative outcomes based on research and analysis.
- Use a diverse range of media to think about and convey interior design ideas including writing, speaking, drawing and model making (both hand and digital media).
- Employ color presentation graphics and material selection boards to communicate Interior Design solutions.
- Identify parallel and divergent ideas and traditions of architecture and urban design influenced by the social, cultural, historical and philosophical determinants of a global society.
- Examine and comprehend history and precedent and make informed choices regarding the incorporation of same into kitchen, bath, residential and commercial design projects.
- Comprehend the technical aspects of design, systems, materials and fundamental principles of building structure and be able to apply that comprehension to interior spatial solutions.
- Employ principles and standards of accessibility, safety, lighting, building systems, and acoustic control to advanced spatial design projects.

**Transfer Information:**

NCC students have transferred to: Arcadia University, Moore School of Art, New York School of Interior Design

**Career Information:**

Sample of reported job titles: Interior Designer, Furniture Representative, Furniture Sales, Fabric Design