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Interior Design.



IIE Bachelor of Arts in Interior Design

DEGREE

FULL-TIME



The IIE BA Degree in Interior Design has specifically been designed to meet the requirements of the challenging and expanding fields of Interior Design such as corporate, retail, hospitality, exhibition and residential design. This qualification provides students with a clear understanding of three-dimensional design analysis, scale/proportion, spatial sequence and other architectural components. Students are encouraged to develop a thorough and imaginative approach to creative problem solving in the context of any human environment. Lateral design approaches are developed in which briefs are solved at a variety of levels and with an integrated experimental approach to problem solving. Design briefs encourage students to engage with design influences such as: economics, ergonomics, anthropometrics, sustainability, inclusivity, cultural influences, social context and location. Students will also be introduced to ideation and visualization techniques, the interior design process, research, theories, perspectives and history of interior design, interior design construction and detailing, material studies, professional practice and computer-aided draughting and building information management tools presently used in design practice.

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BA in Interior Design (IIE)

3 YEARS FULL-TIME | NQF LEVEL 7 | 360 CREDITS | SAQA ID: 87306

Career opportunities

Corporate Designer | Retail Designer | Hospitality Designer | Residential Designer | Exhibition Designer

Modules

Year 1

Creative Development 1
Design Studies 1
History of Architecture and Design 1
Ideation and Visualisation 1A & 1B
Interior Design 1A & 1B
Interior Design Construction 1

Year 2

Contextual Studies for Interior Design 2
Design Studies 2
Interior Design 2A & 2B
Interior Design Construction 2A & 2B
Interior Design Technology 2A & 2B

Year 3

Contextual Studies for Interior Design 3
Interior Design 3A & 3B
Interior Design Construction 3A & 3B
Interior Design Professional Practice 3A & 3B
Introduction to Research

Please note

IIE-Vega does not require a portfolio as part of the application process to study design. That's because our primary focus is on how our students think and how collaborative they are as creative solution seekers. The development of an industry-ready portfolio becomes a core focus once you enrol and engage hands-on with any one of our design programmes. You are welcome to make an appointment with your campus Contact Navigator if you are not sure which design course would suit you best. Ideally you should attend one of our GenV workshops at any of our IIE-Vega campuses to explore the different programmes on offer.

Admission requirements

Minimum Admission Requirements		English	Maths/HG	Math Lit/SG/ Technical Maths	Notes
	NSC: Degree admission with	30%	40% or	60%	
	NC(V): Degree admission with	50%	50% or	60%	
	SC: Endorsement with	33.3%	40% or	60%	
	SC(a): Degree admission with		40% or	60%	A minimum of 30% in LOLT in NSC/SC(a) OR with a min. of 33.3% in SC.
	International	An USAf Exemption Certificate is required and meeting the relevant Maths and English requirements.			
	Alternatively, a cognate Higher Certificate or cognate 240 credit Diploma OR an Advanced Certificate OR 360 credit Diploma may satisfy the minimum admission requirements to degree studies.			If discipline not cognate at least 20% of credits must be academic literacy or numeracy related.	
Senate Discretionary Admission	Mature Age Exemption	Candidates having attained the age of 23 before or during the first year of registration with a Senior Certificate with a minimum of 40% in at least four higher or standard grade subjects, at least three of which shall have been passed simultaneously and one of which shall be a recognised higher grade subject; OR Candidates must have attained the age of 45 before or during the first year of registration. An USAf exemption Certificate is required.			
	Senate Discretionary Mature Age Admission for students with a Senior Certificate with endorsement	Candidates 23 years and older at point of registration, with an endorsed Senior Certificate can be accepted on a senate discretionary mature age admission. Their academic progress will be tracked and reported at Senate. An USAf Exemption Certificate is not required.			
	Recognition of Prior Learning (RPL)	Where candidates do not satisfy the formal admission requirements for this qualification The IIE may consider an admission application in terms of the Credit Accumulation and Transfer, Recognition of Prior Learning and Qualification Completion Policy (IIE010).			
	USAf approved cognate foundation programme	Candidates who have completed an USAf approved cognate foundation programme from a registered and accredited provider may be admitted. An USAf Exemption Certificate is required - the Office of the Registrar will facilitate, on behalf of the student, an application for degree admission to USAf, once the student has provided proof of payment to USAf.			
	Transfer students	Candidates who have successfully completed at least 120 credits on the first year of a cognate degree may be admitted. The additional Maths/Math Lit criteria falls away. However, if a student completed less than 120 credits, the admission criteria on the NSC or equivalent apply.			
	OQSF qualifications	Candidates with an OQSF Level 5 cognate qualification may be admitted, provided the OQSF qualification has at least 120 credits at NQF Level 5. An USAf Exemption Certificate is required - the Office of the Registrar will facilitate, on behalf of the student, an application for degree admission to USAf, once the student has provided proof of payment to USAf.			

THE IIE IS ACCREDITED AS AN INDEPENDENT HIGHER EDUCATION INSTITUTION BY THE BRITISH ACCREDITATION COUNCIL.