

# Interior Design

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## Department Information

- **Department Web Site:**  
[https://www.ndsu.edu/adhm/interior\\_design/overview/](https://www.ndsu.edu/adhm/interior_design/overview/)
- **Credential Offered:**  
B.A.; B.S.
- **Official Program Curriculum:**  
[catalog.ndsu.edu/programs-study/undergraduate/interior-design/#planofstudytext](http://catalog.ndsu.edu/programs-study/undergraduate/interior-design/#planofstudytext) (<http://catalog.ndsu.edu/programs-study/undergraduate/interior-design/#planofstudytext>)

## Major Requirements

### Major: Interior Design

**Degree Type:** B.A. or B.S.

**Minimum Degree Credits to Graduate:** 122

### University Degree Requirements

1. Satisfactory completion of all requirements of the curriculum in which one is enrolled.
2. Earn a minimum total of 120 credits in approved coursework. Some academic programs exceed this minimum.
3. Satisfactory completion of the general education requirements as specified by the university.
4. A minimum institutional GPA of 2.00 based on work taken at NDSU.
5. At least 30 credits must be NDSU resident credits. Resident credits include credits registered and paid for at NDSU.
6. At least 36 credits presented for graduation must be in courses numbered 300 or higher.
7. Students presenting transfer credit must meet the NDSU residence credits and the minimum upper level credit. Of the 30 credits earned in residence, a minimum of 15 semester credits must be in courses numbered 300 or above, and 15 semester credits must be in the student's curricula for their declared major.

For complete information, please refer to the Degree and Graduation Requirements (<http://catalog.ndsu.edu/past-bulletin-archive/2023-24/academic-policies/undergraduate-policies/degree-and-graduation/>) section of this Bulletin.

### University General Education Requirements

Code	Title	Credits
<b>Communication (C)</b>		<b>12</b>
ENGL 110	College Composition I	
ENGL 120	College Composition II	
COMM 110	Fundamentals of Public Speaking	
Upper Division Writing <sup>†</sup>		
<b>Quantitative Reasoning (R) <sup>†</sup></b>		<b>3</b>
<b>Science and Technology (S) <sup>†</sup></b>		<b>10</b>
<b>Humanities and Fine Arts (A) <sup>†</sup></b>		<b>6</b>
<b>Social and Behavioral Sciences (B) <sup>†</sup></b>		<b>6</b>
<b>Wellness (W) <sup>†</sup></b>		<b>2</b>
<b>Cultural Diversity (D) <sup>**†</sup></b>		
<b>Global Perspectives (G) <sup>**†</sup></b>		
<b>Total Credits</b>		<b>39</b>

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May be satisfied by completing courses in another General Education category.

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General education courses may be used to satisfy requirements for both general education and the major, minor, and program emphases, where applicable. Students should carefully review major requirements to determine if specific courses can also satisfy these general education categories.

- A list of university approved general education courses and administrative policies are available here (<http://catalog.ndsu.edu/past-bulletin-archive/2023-24/academic-policies/undergraduate-policies/general-education/#genedcoursestext>).

## Major Requirements

Students must maintain a 3.00 cumulative GPA and a minimum grade of 'C' in all major core requirements.

Code	Title	Credits
<b>Interior Design Core Requirements</b>		
ADHM 151	Design Fundamentals	3
ADHM 160	Interior Design Careers	1
ADHM 161	Introduction to Manual Drafting	3
ADHM 261	Visual Communications	3
ADHM 251	Interior Design Studio I-Residential	3
ADHM 253	Interior Design Studio II-Small Scale Contract	3
ADHM 264	Residential Systems	2
ADHM 315	History of Interiors I (May satisfy general education category A)	3
ADHM 316	History of Interiors II (May satisfy general education category A)	3
ADHM 351	Interior Design Studio III-Advanced Residential	3
ADHM 353	Interior Design Studio IV-Large Scale Contract Design	3
ADHM 363	Commercial Lighting Design and Building Systems	3
ADHM 365	CADD for Interiors	3
ADHM 368	Interior Materials	4
ADHM 450	Research and Project Development in Interior Design	3
ADHM 451	Professional Interior Design Seminar	2
ADHM 452	Comprehensive Interior Design Project	6
ADHM 460	Career Development and Professional Practice	3
ADHM 461	Building Information Modeling	3
ADHM 462	Pre-Internship Development	1
ADHM 496	Field Experience	3
CSCI 114	Computer Applications	3
or TL 116	Business Software Applications	
Select one of the following:		3
ART 111	Introduction to Art History	
ART 210	Art History I	
ART 211	Art History II	
<b>Minor Program of Study Required</b>		
One of the following minors is required: Art; Business; Hospitality and Tourism Management; Apparel, Retail Merchandising and Design; Foreign Language (French, German, Spanish); History; Gerontology; Emergency Management; Natural Resource Management; other minor options may be approved by interior design faculty. (Total credits required to complete minors will vary).		16
<b>Total Credits</b>		<b>83</b>

## Degree Requirements and Notes

- Course taken *Pass/Fail* will not be used to satisfy any requirements other than total credits.