

REQUIREMENTS FOR THE BACHELOR OF INTERIOR DESIGN
CHRISTOPHER C. GIBBS COLLEGE OF ARCHITECTURE
THE UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA

Academic Year
For Students Entering the Oklahoma State System for Higher Education Summer 2023 through Spring 2024

General Requirements	
Minimum Total Credit Hours	125
Minimum Upper-Division Hours	48
Major Hours	72
Minimum Retention/Graduation Grade Point Averages:	
Overall - Combined and OU	2.50
All Required Professional Courses	2.50

Program
Interior Design
B585
Bachelor of Interior Design

OU encourages students to complete at least 32 hours of applicable coursework each year to have the opportunity to graduate in 4 years.

GENERAL EDUCATION AND COLLEGE REQUIREMENTS

Courses designated as Core I, II, III, IV, or V are part of the General Education curriculum. Students must complete a minimum of 40 hours of General Education courses, chosen from the approved list, including at least one upper-division Gen. Ed. course outside of the student's major. **Courses graded S/U or P/NP will not apply.**

UNIVERSITY-WIDE GENERAL EDUCATION (MINIMUM 40 HOURS) AND COLLEGE REQUIREMENTS

Code	Title	Credit Hours
Core Area I: Symbolic and Oral Communication		
<i>English Composition</i>		
ENGL 1113	Principles of English Composition	3
ENGL 1213	Principles of English Composition	3
or EXPO 1213	Expository Writing	
<i>Language (0-10 hours in the same language)</i>		
This requirement can be met by two years of the same language in high school:		0-10
	Beginning Course (0-5 hours)	
	Beginning Course, continued (0-5 hours)	
<i>Mathematics</i>		
Choose one course		3
Core Area II: Natural Science (including one laboratory)		
<i>Natural Science</i>		
PHYS 1114	General Physics for Non-Science Majors	4
<i>Natural Science with lab</i>		
Choose one course from a different topic than natural science		4
Core Area III: Social Science		
P SC 1113	American Federal Government	3
Choose one course		3
Core Area IV: Arts & Humanities		
<i>Artistic Forms</i>		
Choose one course		3
<i>Western Culture</i>		
HIST 1483	United States to 1865	3
or HIST 1493	United States, 1865 to the Present	
ARCH 2243	History of the Built Environment I	3
<i>World Culture</i>		
Choose one general education course at the upper division (3000-4000) level and outside of the major		3
Core Area V: First-Year Experience		
Choose one course		3
Total Credit Hours		38-48

FREE ELECTIVES

Electives to bring total applicable hours to 125 including 48 upper-division hours.

MAJOR REQUIREMENTS

- A minimum grade of C is required in all I D and ARCH courses.
- A minimum 2.50 OU and combined retention GPA is required for admission to the third and fourth years of the BID program. Admission is limited to students meeting the GPA and portfolio review requirement. All first and second year courses must be completed before applying for admission.

Code	Title	Credit Hours
Required Courses		
I D 1134	Interior Design Communication Studio I	4
I D 1164	Interior Design Studio I	4
I D 1173	Foundations of Interior Design	3
I D 1234	Interior Design Communication Studio II	4
I D 1264	Interior Design Studio II	4
I D 2334	Interior Design Communication Studio III	4
I D 2364	Interior Design Studio III	4
I D 2773	Interior Construction	3
I D 2464	Interior Design Studio IV	4
I D 3433	Interior Design Portfolio I	3
I D 3473	History of Interior Design	3
I D 3573	Interior Materials and Specifications	3
I D 3564	Interior Design Studio V	4
I D 4573	Interior Lighting and Building Systems	3
I D 3664	Interior Design Studio VI	4
I D 4633	Interior Design Portfolio II	3
I D 4463	Interior Design Office Professional Practice	3
I D 4764	Furniture Design	4
I D 4773	Interior Design Capstone: Pre-Design Phase	3
I D 4865	Interior Design Capstone: Design Phase	5
Total Credit Hours		72

MAJOR SUPPORT REQUIREMENTS

Code	Title	Credit Hours
Professional Elective		
Choose 9 upper-division hours from any of the following course designators: A HI, ARCH, I D, CNS, L A, or RCPL		9
Business Elective		
Consult advisor to choose a 3 hour Business elective		3
Communication Elective (Core I)		
Consult advisor to choose a 3 hour Core I Communication elective		3
Total Credit Hours		15

More information in the catalog: (<http://ou-public.courseleaf.com/gibbs-architecture/interior-design/interior-design-bachelor-interior-design/>).

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Year	FIRST SEMESTER		Hours	SECOND SEMESTER		Hours
FRESHMAN	ENGL 1113	Principles of English Composition (Core I)	3	ENGL 1213 or EXPO 1213	Principles of English Composition (Core I) or Expository Writing	3
		Any Gen. Ed. approved MATH course (Core I)	3		First-Year Experience (Core V)	3
	I D 1134	Interior Design Communication Studio I	4	I D 1234	Interior Design Communication Studio II	4
	I D 1164	Interior Design Studio I	4	I D 1264	Interior Design Studio II	4
	I D 1173	Foundations of Interior Design	3			
	CREDIT HOURS		17	CREDIT HOURS		14
SOPHOMORE	ARCH 2243	History of the Built Environment I (Core IV-Western Culture)	3	I D 2464	Interior Design Studio IV	4
	I D 2334	Interior Design Communication Studio III	4	I D 3433	Interior Design Portfolio I	3
	I D 2364	Interior Design Studio III	4	I D 3473	History of Interior Design	3
	I D 2773	Interior Construction	3	I D 3573	Interior Materials and Specifications	3
		Social Science Elective - Advised Elective (Core III)	3	PHYS 1114	General Physics for Non-Science Majors (Core II)	4
	CREDIT HOURS		17	CREDIT HOURS		17
JUNIOR	HIST 1483 or HIST 1493	United States to 1865 (Core IV) or United States, 1865 to the Present	3	P SC 1113	American Federal Government (Core III)	3
	I D 3564	Interior Design Studio V	4	I D 3664	Interior Design Studio VI	4
	I D 4573	Interior Lighting and Building Systems	3	I D 4463	Interior Design Office Professional Practice	3
		Art History Elective - Advised Elective (Core IV Artistic Forms)	3	I D 4633	Interior Design Portfolio II	3
		Professional Elective - upper-division ¹	3		World Culture—Advised Elective — (Core IV)	3
	CREDIT HOURS		16	CREDIT HOURS		16
SENIOR	I D 4764	Furniture Design	4	I D 4865	Interior Design Capstone: Design Phase	5
	I D 4773	Interior Design Capstone: Pre-Design Phase	3		Choose one:	3
		Natural Science with lab - Advised Elective (Core II)	4		Business Elective - Advised Elective	
		Professional Elective - upper-division ¹	3		Communication Elective - Advised Elective (Core I)	
					Professional Elective—upper-division ¹	3
				General Education Elective—upper-division (outside major)	3	
	CREDIT HOURS		14	CREDIT HOURS		14

¹ Professional Elective — Any upper-division course with the following designator: A HI (Art History), ARCH (Architecture), I D (Interior Design), CNS (Construction Science), L A (Landscape Architecture), or RCPL (Regional and City Planning).