

CA Kitchen and Bath Design (Affiliated with NKBA, National Kitchen & Bath Association)

The Interior Design Department offers courses designed for individuals interested in preparing for careers in the professional fields of interior design. Included in the program are a transfer program, an AS degree, and three certificate programs. The Kitchen & Bath Design Certificate is affiliated with the NKBA (National Kitchen & Bath Association). The AS degree and Interior Design Certificate of Achievement meet the minimum education qualifying requirements for ASID (American Society of Interior Designers) allied membership. These, as well as the Kitchen & Bath Design Certificate and the Residential & Commercial Design Certificate fulfill the educational requirement for the IDEX exam to become a Certified Interior Designer (CID) in California. Completion of the Kitchen and Bath Design Certificate prepares students for the AKBD (Associate Kitchen & Bath Design) exam, and along with sufficient work experience in the field, the CKD (Certified Kitchen Designer) and the CBD (Certified Bath Designer) exams. If a student has an earned Bachelor's Degree, he/she needs to see a counselor regarding courses completed during the first two years of college that may be substituted for core requirement courses.

Career Opportunities

Options for career paths include residential design, kitchen and bath space planning and design, retail sales and design, showroom or product manufacturer's representative.

Program Learning Outcomes

Students completing this program will be able to:

1. Communicate design concepts clearly and concisely (i.e. visual, oral, and written).
2. Develop competitive industry standard skills in the respective fields.
3. Understand the elements and principles of design through discipline-specific implementation.

Major: Core and Selective Requirements

Complete Core Courses, 33 units		Units
ARCH 110	Interior Architectural Drafting	3 units
INTD 115	Introduction to Interior Design	3 units
INTD 128	Presentation Techniques	3 units
INTD 148	Color and Design	3 units
INTD 175	Space Planning and Design	3 units
INTD 250	Professional Practices for Interior Designers	3 units

INTD 272	Kitchen and Bath Design	3 units
INTD 276	Advanced Kitchen and Bath Design	2 units
INTD 301	Portfolio Development	1 unit
INTD 357	Kitchen and Bath Systems	3 units
INTD 450	Materials and Finishes	3 units
INTD 672	Work Experience Education: Internship	3 units

Selective Courses, choose a minimum of 9 units from the following:

List A, complete 6 units from the following: Units

INTD 150	History of Interiors I	3 units
INTD 151	History of Interiors II	3 units
INTD 260	Overview of Lighting Design	3 units
INTD 367	3D Modeling SketchUp for Interior Designers	3 units

List B, complete 3 units from the following: Units

INTD 360	CAD Applications for Interior Designers	3 units
INTD 361	Chief Architect for Interior Designers	3 units

