# Quarterly Curriculum Sequence

## Interior Design Certificate | Foundation Level

The **Certificate of Interior Design** consists of 18 classes (82 units) and provides a basic foundation level of education in Interior Design. The Certificate program is the only one in the nation leading to a Master of Interior Architecture degree that is offered on a continuing education basis.

### 1st Quarter

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<tr>
<th><strong>Fundamentals of Interior Architecture</strong></th>
<th><strong>Color Theory &amp; Application</strong></th>
<th><strong>Digital Presentation I: Photoshop/Illustrator</strong></th>
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<tr>
<td>X 438 (4 units)</td>
<td>X 452 (4 units)</td>
<td>X 468.20 (4 units)</td>
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<td>No Prereq.</td>
<td>Prereq.: Elements of Design I</td>
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### 2nd Quarter

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<th><strong>Design Communication I</strong></th>
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<th><strong>Design Communication III</strong></th>
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<tr>
<td>X 467.17A (6 units)</td>
<td>X 466E (6 units)</td>
<td>X 466F (6 units)</td>
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<td>No Prerequisites</td>
<td>Prerequisite: Design Communication I</td>
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### 3rd Quarter

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<th><strong>Elements of Design I</strong></th>
<th><strong>Elements of Design II</strong></th>
<th><strong>History of Environmental Arts: Part I</strong></th>
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<td>X 454A (4 units)</td>
<td>X 454B (4 units)</td>
<td>X 427.8A (4 units)</td>
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<td>No Prereq.</td>
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### 4th Quarter

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<th><strong>Choose one:</strong></th>
<th><strong>Surface Materials</strong></th>
<th><strong>Studio Design: II: Revit I</strong></th>
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<td>Digital Presentation II: 2D AutoCAD</td>
<td>X 427.7 (4 units)</td>
<td>X 468.13A (4 units)</td>
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<td>Prereq.: Digital Presentation I</td>
<td>Prereq.: All courses through 3rd Quarter</td>
<td>Prerequisite: Digital Presentation I</td>
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<td>or Digital Presentation II: Revit I</td>
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<td>X 468.13A (4 units)</td>
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<td>Prerequisite: Digital Presentation I</td>
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### 5th Quarter

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<th><strong>Surface Materials</strong></th>
<th><strong>Interior Architecture Studio I</strong></th>
<th><strong>Interior Architecture Studio II</strong></th>
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<td>X 427.7 (4 units)</td>
<td>X 433 (6 units)</td>
<td>X 430A (6 units)</td>
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<td>Prereq.: All courses through 3rd Quarter</td>
<td>Space Planning/Human Factors</td>
<td>Residential Design</td>
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<td>Prereq.: All courses through 4th Quarter</td>
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### 6th Quarter

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<th><strong>History of Environmental Arts: Part II</strong></th>
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<tr>
<td>X 427.8B (4 units)</td>
<td>X 427.8C (4 units)</td>
<td>X 427.8D (4 units)</td>
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### Additional Information

Students may begin the Certificate Program at any quarter of the year. A full-time student enrolls in 3 courses per quarter and can complete the program in 1.5 years (6 quarters). International Students are required to take a minimum of 12 units per quarter and must establish Candidacy before beginning classes. When the quarterly schedules become available, students can register online, in-person, or by calling the UCLA Extension Enrollment Office at (310) 825-9971.

Students who complete the Certificate with a grade point average of 3.0 or better and have a bachelor’s degree are eligible for the Master of Interior Architecture degree. All courses must be taken for “Credit-Letter Grade” and must be completed with a grade of “B” or better to count toward the Master’s Program.

### Certificate Program Requirements

Establishing Candidacy in the Certificate Program is required in order to receive a Certificate of Completion. Students must establish Candidacy prior to enrolling in their sixth course in the program. As a Candidate, students will have exclusive access to a set of resources & benefits including:

- Full-Time Counselor dedicated to working individually with each student.
- Priority spot on waitlists over non-candidate students.
- Access to the Job + Internship listings as a benefit just for Certificate students.
- Resource Library featuring reference books, product samples, literature, and periodicals.
- Tuition Credit available in exchange for duties performed as a Teaching Assistant or Librarian.
- BruinCard available for a $10 fee, for the duration of the program.

The Arc-ID Candidacy Fee is $250, non-refundable and non-transferable. To establish Candidacy, click here and select “Apply Now” or call the Enrollment Office at (310) 825-9971.
Quarterly Curriculum Sequence
Master of Interior Architecture | Advanced Level

The primary goal of the Master of Interior Architecture program is to provide an opportunity for individuals with a minimum of a bachelor’s degree to pursue a rigorous program of part-time study that prepares them to enter the field of interior design incorporating the highest standards of professional practice. The program particularly serves career-change students seeking to fulfill a lifelong dream of becoming interior design professionals.

The curriculum for the Master of Interior Architecture degree program requires the completion of 11 Advanced Level courses (55 units) plus 8 units of elective credit (63 total units). Full-time students can complete the program in 1 year (4 quarters).

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| **Interior Architecture Studio III**  
X 430/INA 601 (6 units)  
Commercial Design  
Prereq.: Interior Architecture Studio II | **Interior Architecture Studio IV**  
X 471.19/INA 602 (6 units)  
Special Topics  
Prereq.: Interior Architecture Studio III | **Master’s Project: Interior Architecture Studio**  
X 498.1/INA 691 (8 units)  
Prereq.: Interior Architecture Studio IV, Research & Programming Methodologies | **Master’s Project: Interior Architecture Documents**  
X 498/INA 695 (8 units)  
Prereq.: Master’s Project: Interior Architecture Studio, Research & Programming Methodologies |
| **Understanding Building Codes**  
X 427.20/INA 542 (3 units)  
No Prereq. | **Research & Programming Methodologies**  
X 497/INA 590 (4 units)  
Prereq.: Interior Architecture Studio III, Understanding Building Codes | **Business Strategies**  
X 497.4/INA 671 (4 units)  
Prereq.: Interior Architecture Studio II or consent of program advisor | | |
| **Concept Driven Design: Visual Seminar and Studio**  
X 471.125 (4 units)  
No Prereq. | **Interior Detailing & Building Systems**  
X 467.27B/INA 622 (6 units)  
Prereq.: All courses through 5th Quarter of Foundation Level | **Ecology of Design**  
X 467.55/INA 531 (2 units)  
No Prereq.  
Offered in Spring & Fall Quarter only | Electives* |
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<th>Professional Development</th>
<th>Decorating &amp; Design</th>
<th>Internship &amp; Independent Study</th>
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| **Photographing Architecture & Interiors**  
X 467.11A/INA 560 (4 units) | **Residential Remodeling**  
X 406.6/INA 538 (3.25 units) | **Professional Internship**  
X 473/INA 615 (2 units) |
| **SketchUp**  
X 468.6A (2 units) | **A Survey of the Decorative Arts**  
X 443.16/INA 661 (4 units) | **Independent Study**  
INA 591 (1-4 units) |
| **Advanced SketchUp**  
X 468.6B (2 units) | **Accessories for Residential Interiors**  
X 443.40 (2 units) | |
| **Interior Design Law I**  
X 497.10 (2 units) | **Feng Shui for Designers and Architects**  
X 443.45 (2 units) | |
| **Interior Design Law II**  
X 497.11 (2 units) | **Furniture Design**  
X 461.4/INA 539 (4 units) | |
| **Advanced Portfolio and Presentation Techniques**  
X 498.10 (4 units) | | |
| **Interior Rendering Techniques using 3ds Max & V-Ray**  
X 498.12 (4 units) | | |
| **Interior Design in Films**  
X 498.22 (4 units) | | |

Programming Notes:
- Some Master’s Level courses, including the Master's Studio & Documents courses, are not offered every quarter. Class scheduling may not necessarily lead to completion in 1 year.
- Classes marked with ✷ are restricted to only MIA students. Registration through Cal Poly Pomona’s BroncoDirect System is required.
- *8 total elective units required for completion of Master’s Program. A maximum of 2 units for one internship can be used towards this requirement. Elective courses can be taken at any quarter. Check catalog for available Electives.*