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# DIPLOMAIN INTERIOI

INSCAPE

# **COURSE INTRODUCTION**



The Diploma in Interior Design prepares students for working in the interior design industry. The knowledge and skills students acquire emphasise fundamental interior design principles and their practical application. As a result, graduates are well-prepared to create beautiful and functional spaces and be successful within the interior design industry. Practical technical skills and focused knowledge are coupled with experiential learning and workplace experience.

# COURSE OVERVIEW

- Understand the theory and practices of creating both desirable and functional spaces for clients and work with technology to plan, design and implement their designs.
- Integrate education on materials and services in the built environment, construction
  methods and installation techniques to develop solutions that are memorable,
  sustainable, ethical, and socially responsible.
- Develop a broad understanding of creative design techniques, technical drawing, project management, business and regulations and an understanding of the teamwork required in interior design projects.
- Graduates confidently showcase visually appealing design solutions while utilising cutting-edge industry software for a diverse array of projects, such as corporate, residential, restaurant, installations, services, retail and specialised interior designs.

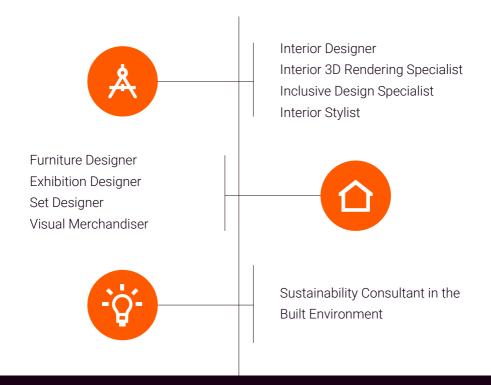
# FOCUS AREAS

- Interior Applications
- Technical Drawings
- Skills Applications
- Business Practice and Technology

- Design Drawings
- Interior Influences
- Materials and Manufacturing



# CAREER OPPORTUNITIES



# **ARTICULATION OPTIONS**

Students who have graduated with the Diploma in Interior Design may apply for the Advanced Diploma in User Experience at Inscape. Graduates may qualify for an Advanced Diploma in a related Design field. Institutional minimum requirements will apply.







YEAR 1

- Interior Applications 1
- Interior Portfolio 1
- Technical Drawing 1
- Materials and Manufacturing
- Interior Influences 1
- Design Drawing

- Interior Design: Skills and Application 1
- Interior Design Computer Applications 1
- Design Praxis
- Leadership Programme

- Interior Application 2
- Interior Portfolio 2
- Building Technology
- Technical Drawing 2
- Interior: Influences 2
- Design Praxis 2

- Project Management
- Interior Design: Skills application 2
- Interior Design Computer applications 2

YEAR 2

YEAR 3

- Interior applications 3
- Interior Portfolio 3
- Technical Drawing 3
- Business Management
- Experiential Training
- Interior Computer applications

(Software training includes AutoCAD, Photoshop, Revit and 3Ds Max)

# COURSE STRUCTURE



- 3 years full time
- ✓ NQF Level 6
- 8 x 1h 45 min sessions per week
- Approximately 2.5 hours additional independent study per session
- 40 hours of Job shadowing to be completed in the second year
- 240 hours of Experiential Training to be completed in the third year
- Continuous project-based assessment with final portfolio submission

### **ENTRY REQUIREMENTS**

#### South Africa

Candidates must have completed a National Senior Certificate (NSC) stipulating entrance to a Diploma or Degree.

Or

Candidates who have completed a NQF level 5 qualification in a related field.

If you have any queries regarding the process, please email - applications@inscape.co.za

# Special Admissions

#### Mature age exemption

Candidates over the age of 23 who have completed Matric may qualify for mature age exemption.

Please contact the Registrar for additional information registrar@inscape.co.za

#### $\mathsf{RPL}$

If the candidate has a NQF level 3 qualification, but has design industry experience, they may qualify for entry via Recognition of Prior Learning (RPL).

In order to be considered for entry via RPL the candidate should have a minimum of two years industry experience.

The RPL process is used to evaluate the learning that candidates with existing industry experience may have gained and would need to be substantiated with relevant supporting documents.

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#### **International Students**

If the candidate has a foreign qualification, for admissions to a Diploma, they must apply to South African Qualifications Authority (SAQA) for a National Senior Certificate NQF level 4 equivalence.

International candidates must be competent in English at and equivalent level to NQF 4.

All international students attending contact classes require a study permit in the name of Inscape Education Group valid for the duration of the chosen course.

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# LEARNING HUBS



# **CAPE TOWN**

5th Floor, 9 Somerset Road, De Waterkant Centre, DE WATERKANT



# **DURBAN**

Liberty Building, 4 Park Lane, Umhlanga Ridge, UMHLANGA



# **MIDRAND**

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# **PRETORIA**

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# **APPLICATIONS**

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