

## Interior Design

Interior Designers are creative, imaginative and artistic. They are also disciplined, organized and skilled business people. Combining knowledge with aesthetic vision, interior designers work with clients and other design professionals in developing design solutions that are safe, functional, attractive and meet the needs of the people using the space.

### Program Information

Students interested in pursuing a career in Interior Design can choose between a Certificate of Achievement or Associate of Science degree with a major in Interior Design. The program also affiliates with the American Society of Interior Designers Los Angeles chapter (ASIDLA) and actively pursues internship opportunities with local industry professionals.

### Career Options

Many Interior Designers find themselves providing residential or commercial (public space) design services. Others develop expertise in areas of specialty such as hospitality, health care, lighting design, set design and space planning. In jurisdictions where the profession is regulated, designers must meet broad qualifications and show competency in the entire scope of the profession, not only in a specialty.

The outlook for graduates is very promising. Jobs for interior designers are expected to increase by 21 to 35 percent through the end of the 2010.

### Salary Range

Earnings for practicing interior designers are expected to range from \$27,000 to \$52,000, depending on geographical location.

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### Degree and Certificates

Earn a Certificate of Achievement, made up of key interior design, art and drafting courses or an AS Degree in Interior Design with the completion of general education courses.

### Admission Requirements

No specific admission requirements.

### Program Course Description

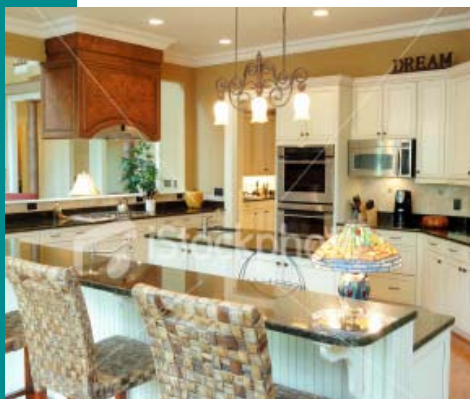
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### Graduation requirements

AS degree comprises a minimum of 60 units in general education and major specific courses in Interior Design. See catalog for programs of study at: [www.moorparkcollege.edu](http://www.moorparkcollege.edu) under Apply & Enroll.

### Estimated Cost of Education

An AS degree in Interior Design costs approximately \$1,200 in tuition plus books and fees.



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