

Units of study

Diploma of Interior Design (MSF50218)

No	Unit Name	Descriptor	Competencies
MSF1	Introduction to Design and the Decoration Industry	Embrace core skills from concept development and drawing to the elements and principles of design and composition. Develop an understanding of the design industry, work practices and opportunities.	BSBDES304 Source and apply design industry knowledge BSBDES305 Source and apply information on the history and theory of design BSBDES302 Explore and apply the creative design process to 2D forms CUAACD301 Produce drawings to communicate ideas
MSF2	Introduction to Design and Colour	Be introduced to colour theory, colour schemes and the psychology and manipulation of colour. Explore the technicalities of paint and develop paint specifications.	BSBDES301 Explore the use of colour MSFID4016 Design colour schemes for interior and exterior spaces
MSF3	Interior Planning and Design	Learn the fundamentals of interior design, site evaluation, space planning and lighting for a range of residential environments.	CUAACD303 Produce technical drawings MSFID4013 Design residential interior lighting
MSF4	Design Practice	Visualise interior spaces in 2 & 3 dimensions through sketching, model making and perspective drawing techniques.	BSBDES303 Explore and apply the creative design process to 3D forms CUADES403 Research and apply techniques in spatial design
MSF5	Interior Design and Decoration	Explore all aspects of interior decoration including furniture, furnishing, upholstery and window treatments. Learn how to construct an interior scheme and present professional sample boards and specifications.	MSFID4015 Prepare materials and finishes boards for client presentation MSFID4021 Design soft furnishing solutions for interior spaces MSFID4017 Research and recommend furniture and accessories
MSF6	Residential Design	Develop your own style working on a real residential project for a real client. Start with an initial briefing and work your way through the design stages to a final client presentation.	MSFGN4001 Research and meet ethical and compliance requirements MSFID4012 Decorate residential interiors BSBDES502 Establish, negotiate and refine a design brief BSBDES403 Develop and extend design skills and practice
MSF7	SketchUp	Create realistic floor plans and interior models using SketchUp then render your work in SU Podium. These user-friendly programs enable you to create photorealistic visuals that will enhance your portfolio.	MSFID4014 Produce digital models and documentation for interior design projects

MSF8	AutoCAD and Interior Construction	Learn the fundamentals of interior building construction and extend your drawing skills with AutoCAD. Create an impressive collection of precise residential floorplans and elevations to add to your portfolio.	MSFID5025 Develop residential interior design project documentation
MSF9	Revit	Learn how to navigate this essential industry modelling software. Design and build sophisticated interior spaces and create realistic 3D presentations of your working model.	MSFID6011 Resolve complex spatial design problems through modelling
MSF10	Residential Planning	Design, plan and model residential spaces by manipulating 3D space using extensions, voids and stairs. You'll present your ideas using a range of 2D and 3D media.	MSFID5021 Evaluate site structure and services for interior design briefs MSFID5020 Design residential interiors MSFID4019 Research interior decoration and design influences
MSF11	Small Commercial Design	Extend your research, conceptualisation and design skills by completing a range of small commercial design projects including cafes and exhibition spaces. Create dynamic interior, exterior and commercial colour schemes and learn what drives colour trends and forecasting.	MSFID5022 Explore and apply creative design methodology to interior space MSFID5027 Research and recommend colour applications and finishes
MSF12	Workplace Design	Explore the exciting and fast moving world of workplace design including office and retail spaces. Create a joinery package to showcase your documentation skills to potential employers.	MSFID5024 Design workplace interiors
MSF13	Hospitality Design	Develop and apply your conceptual design skills to a range of hospitality spaces. Prepare a professional resume, portfolio and exhibition space for graduation.	MSFID6013 Design interiors for hospitality environments