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A well-planned interior design has a concrete impact on a room's functionality, as well as the wellness and safety of the people who use that room. That's why interior design isn't limited to decor. It's a career that requires both technical and creative knowledge.

In addition to becoming an expert in technical and architectural drawings, 3D models and working drawings, students will develop their own style and expand their creativity. They will then be able to:

- Select materials, finishes and colors that are best suited to a project's requirements
- Design unique, custom, ergonomic furniture
- Create the desired ambiance using lighting tailored to the room they are designing

Trends are always evolving in the interior design industry. That's why the three-year DEC in Interior Design is taught by well-known professionals who still work in the field. At the end of their training, students will know how to:

- Create visually appealing, functional and safe interior design concepts for residential, commercial, cultural and industrial projects
- Use popular industry software like SketchUp, AutoCAD, Autodesk 3ds Max, Autodesk Revit, etc.
- Complete interior design projects that comply with current regulations and industry standards

During their training, students will be able to present their final project to industry professionals, complete an internship and build their portfolio. They will arrive on the job market with concrete experience to show their employer or clients.

This program is offered on our Montréal and Laval campus.

Methods of Instruction

On-campus : At the Montréal and Laval campus

Career Prospects

- Interior Designer
- Interior design technician (create 2D plans)
- Kitchen and bathroom designer
- Luxury home interior designer
- Functional office design planner
- Sales associate or design associate in a store
- 3D designer

Admission Criteria

Have earned a high school diploma (DES) or

Have earned a Diploma of Vocational Studies (DEP) and successfully completed the following courses:

- Language of Instruction from Secondary V
- Second Language from Secondary V
- Mathematics from Secondary IV or

Have completed an equivalent education or have a sufficient level of education as evaluated by LaSalle College. All of these cases will be reviewed in detail.

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Concentration Courses

- Materials and Finishes (45 h)
- Execution Plan 1: CAD (45 h)
- Applied Color (45 h)
- Artistic Trends (60 h)
- Technical Drawing Standards (45 h)
- Sketching (45 h)
- Creativity 1 (45 h)
- Color and Drawing (60 h)
- Workshop 1: Residential Design (75 h)
- Furniture and Accessories (45 h)
- Business Communication (45 h)
- History of Styles 1 (45 h)
- Workshop 2: Commercial, Industrial and Public Design (90 h)
- Lighting Concepts (45 h)
- 3D Modeling 1 (45 h)
- Execution Plan 2: CAD (45 h)
- Architectural Drawing 1 (45 h)
- Furniture Design 1 (45 h)
- Workshop 3: Commercial, Industrial and Public Design (120 h)
- Creativity 2 (60 h)
- Execution Plan 3: BIM (45 h)
- Architectural Drawing 2 (45 h)
- Furniture Design 2 (45 h)
- Workshop 4: Commercial, Industrial and Public Design (150 h)
- History of Styles 2 (45 h)
- 3D Modeling 2 (45 h)
- Architectural Drawing 3 (45 h)
- Certification and Innovation (45 h)
- Workshop 5: Commercial, Industrial and Public Design (150 h)
- 3D Modeling 3 (60 h)
- Portfolio (45 h)
- Internship (60 h)
- Final Project (45 h)

*The College reserves the right to substitute some courses.

General Education Courses

- 3 physical education courses (90 h)
- 3 philosophy courses (150 h)
- 4 language and literature courses (140 h)
- 2 second language courses (90 h)
- 2 complementary courses (90 h)

Diploma

- This program leads to a Diploma of College Studies (DEC).
- If they want, students with a diploma of college studies can pursue university studies.
- Digital skills are part of this program through the ICT Profile for College Students.
Incorporating information technology and communications enables the student to think critically and constructively about social media and communications tools.

Target Clientele

The program is designed for students who show:

- Creativity
- An interest in design innovation, especially in spatial development
- An interest in interior design trends, as well as current and past architectural trends.

Bring Your Own Device

Students are required to use a laptop computer (learn more). You must purchase a laptop if you don't already have one before beginning your studies. Standard or student license software must be installed when requested by teachers.

The following features are required for Macs or PCs:

- Windows 10 operating system (PC) in the language of instruction (English or French) The iOS operating system (Mac) is acceptable, but not recommended as the student version of certain software isn't available on Macs
- Processor: Intel 5 minimum (PC) or equivalent on a Mac with virtualization support
- Memory: 16GB
- Hard drive: 500GB minimum
- Screen: 14 in. minimum
- Connectivity: WIFI and LAN
- Ports: Minimum of one USB 3.0 port
- Wired or wireless mouse

Mandatory software: Suite Adobe Creative Cloud, AutoCAD, Autodesk 3ds Max, Autodesk Revit, SketchUp and Microsoft Office Suite (or Mac equivalent).