



# INTERIOR DESIGN

PUBLIC & PROFESSIONAL SERVICES CAREER PATHWAY



## TURNING SPACES INTO INVITING LIVING AREAS.

Tidewater Community College's interior design program provides a foundation in both commercial and residential design. And it is one of two programs offered within Virginia's Community Colleges, providing an affordable option to private design schools.

TCC interior design students work on the latest industry software and gain skills in many areas, including visual presentation, space planning, color theory and selection, material selection, estimating and construction documentation.

## PROGRAMS

### ASSOCIATE OF APPLIED SCIENCE IN INTERIOR DESIGN

*Complete in as few as 4 semesters / 66 credits*

Design a future in both commercial and residential spaces by developing skills in visual presentation, spatial and lighting design, color coordination, material selection, estimating, and contract planning. You'll also work with state-of-the-art technology that incorporates interior design with the latest versions of computer-aided design software.

### CAREER STUDIES CERTIFICATES

Want to start—or advance—your career as quickly as possible? Focus your professional competency in a single subject with a career studies certificate. You can apply all the credits from these certificates toward the associate degree.

#### CAREER STUDIES CERTIFICATE IN ASSOCIATE DESIGNER

*Complete in just 2 semesters / 24 credits*

#### CAREER STUDIES CERTIFICATE IN GREEN DESIGN FOR INTERIORS

*Complete in just 2 semesters / 18 credits*

#### CAREER STUDIES CERTIFICATE IN KITCHEN AND BATH DESIGN

*Complete in as few as 4 semesters / 27 credits*



## TCC FAST FACT

**TCC is the only community college in Virginia to offer an associate degree in interior design.**

## POSSIBLE CAREER PATHS

- Residential, commercial or hospitality designer
- Design specialist for furniture stores
- Staging professionals
- Product line designer
- Freelance interior designer

## IS THIS PROGRAM FOR YOU?

Yes, if you:

- are creative
- are detail-oriented
- enjoy working with people

## PROGRAM AVAILABILITY

- Chesapeake

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