Global Learning Semesters

Course Syllabus

Course: DES-493 Internship in Interior Design

Department: Design

Host Institution: University of Nicosia, Nicosia, Cyprus



Course Summary		
Course Code	Course Title	Recommended Credit Hours
DES-493	Internship in Interior Design	3
Semester Offered	Contact Hours	Prerequisites
Fall, Spring		Senior
Department	Level of Course	Language of Instruction
Design	Upper Division	English

Course Description

Students are expected to produce a written report of their experience and activities and make a brief presentation. In addition placement companies will be asked to submit report on students' progress.

Instructor

Nadia Charalambous

Course Aims and Objectives

Internship aims to give students the opportunity of gaining further experience of working within either a design group, interior design agency or appropriate production house. It will enable students to appreciate the requirements of the industry and to apply classroom theory into practice.

Teaching Methods

The course is delivered through a mixture of lectures, studio presentations, studio tutorials and practical exercises and assignments.

Course Teaching Hours

The course is delivered during the spring and fall semester in 14-weeks.

Evaluation and Grading

Students are asked to keep a daily journal of his/her work experience as well as collect publishing material; copies of brochures, examples of designs and any other relevant material.

In the first instance students will need to provide basic information, name and location, how large, number of employees, type of work etc. Following this as analysis of the experience and what the student believe have

gained as a result of the placement period. What have they found out? What additional elements? How their thinking abilities developed? Do they need to concentrated on specific skills?

This should be handed in to the advisor after the completion of the placement. Throughout his/her experience and for Internship report preparation the student-intern is encouraged to seek assistance and guidance from personnel in the organization, faculty members, advisors, the library and any other sources.

Finally the company will also receive a questionnaire/report to respond to. Certain responses will relate to the Intern's personality and progress.

Readings and Resources

Required Textbook

There is no required textbook for this course