Do you dream about the perfect room?

Interior designers use colour palettes, furniture, and intelligent construction methods to create spaces that are aesthetically pleasing and functional.

As an interior designer you will therefore work within buildings to make spaces that are comfortable and functional by using appropriate building elements.

YOUR SUBJECTS

FIRST YEAR
- Interior Design
- Interior Practice
- Interior Literacy
- Environmental Design
- Interior Technology

SECOND YEAR
- Interior Design
- Interior Practice
- Interior Literacy
- Environmental Design
- Interior Technology

THIRD YEAR
- Interior Design
- Interior Practice
- Interior Literacy
- Environmental Design
- Interior Technology

ECP is an Extended Curriculum Program for prospective students who meet the minimum admission requirements but may fall short of meeting the additional admission requirements for this programme. It is an enriched full program bringing students up to speed to confidently succeed in the mainstream years. The subjects are as per the first year listed here.

Your on-the-job training will be completed during your third year of study at a reputable Interior Design Company, that is preferably registered with the African Institute for the Interior Design Professions (IID).

WHAT YOU NEED

Minimum Admission Requirements

National Senior Certificate (Grade 12) with:
• English Home Language or First Additional Language (4)
• Mathematics (4) or Mathematical Literacy (8)

Recommended Senior Certificate subjects:
• Design (5)

The department utilises an Admission Point Score (APS) as selection criteria once your minimum admission requirements are satisfied. You also have to score a minimum of 30 with Mathematics and 32 with Mathematical Literacy on the APS.

Additional Admission Requirements

You are also required to submit a prescribed portfolio of artwork, in accordance with the specifications of the department, and to write an aptitude, language and mathematics proficiency test, as compiled by the department’s selection committee.

HOW TO APPLY

ONLINE APPLICATIONS

Do you qualify to apply online?

Please note: a non-refundable application fee will apply. Manual applications are only available to the following persons:
- South African citizens with HEQSF L3 and above qualifications
- Non-South African citizens

Application fees for the following categories are subject to change.
- South African citizens with South African qualifications
- International applicants
- Refugees

Fee:
- Application fee for national registrations: R100
- Application fee for international registrations: R200

1. Choose your qualification
2. Complete an application form
3. Gather your documents (i.e. certified copies less than three months old)
4. Fill in the application form
5. Pay the application fee

Your online application tracking system by visiting www.cput.ac.za/study/track

MANUAL APPLICATIONS

Do you qualify to apply manually?

The following persons may only apply online:
- Refugees
- International applicants
- Applicants with permanent residence in South Africa
- Applicants applying for RPL (Recognition of Prior Learning)
- Returning students with a break in studies (more than 1-year break)
- South African citizens with international qualifications
- South African citizens with South African qualifications
- Applicants with permanent residence in South Africa
- Refugees

1. Choose your qualification by consulting this brochure or the website
2. Gather your documents (i.e. certified copies less than three months old)
3. Pay the application fee
4. Hand deliver or post your form and certified copies of documents to our District Six, Bellville, Mowbray, or Wellington Campuses (Admin buildings)
5. Follow-up and get your admission status via the online application tracking system by visiting www.cput.ac.za/study/track

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4. Complete your application online by visiting www.cput.ac.za/study/apply
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CLOSING DATES

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- South African citizens
- International applicants

DISCLAIMER

Meeting the minimum requirements does not guarantee admission. This information is subject to change based on approval and accreditation of HEQSF aligned qualifications during 2018/2019. Admission requirements may therefore differ between the existing qualification and the HEQSF aligned qualification. Please consult the CPUT website or faculty for updated information. Every effort has been made to ensure the accuracy of the information in this pamphlet; however, the University reserves the right at any time, if circumstances require to make changes to any of the published details.

YOUR FUTURE SELF

Future studies
- BTech: Interior Design
- MTech: Interior Design
- DTech: Design

Future industries
- Self-employment
- Interior design firms
- Shop-fitting firms
- Retail groups
- Large corporate companies, such as banks, which have their own in-house design departments.
- Furniture manufacturers
- Interior design shops
- Manufacturers and suppliers of products to the industry
- Architectural practices

Future career

Once you graduate you may register with the South African Institute for the Interior Design Professions (IID) as a candidate Junior Interior Designer, Interior Designer or Senior Interior Designer.