

2020 UF IND Selective Admission Criteria and Procedures

What is Selective Admissions?

Selective admissions is the process by which we determine if you are ready to take on the more complex studies of our upper division program. We want all of our students to succeed no matter what they do in life so we use our selective admissions as a process to make sure that your skills are up to par, your grades will allow you to succeed and you will have the best chance possible to excel.

Who is Eligible?

Application to the upper division of University of Florida's Department of Interior Design is open to students who meet the following requirements:

- Students must have completed Architectural Design III (ARC 2303) at the University of Florida or its equivalent
- Students must have completed prior to the close of Fall Semester while taking IND 2214, all lower division Interior Design and University requirements listed on the curriculum outline located at the end Interior Design Advising packet
- Students must have a minimum overall GPA of 2.8 by the end of Fall Semester prior to PIN UP
- Transfer students must make certain that transcripts for all of their transfer course work completed prior to January 1 of the year Pinning Up has been recorded in the Registrar's Office

Application Materials

At this point no application materials are needed. We will be using your UFL email account for all correspondence.

Selection Process

The Interior Design Department has a limited number of upper division vacancies. The number of applicants always outnumbers the spaces available. Therefore, the UF Department of Interior Design uses a selection process developed to determine which candidates show the most potential for success in this particular interior design program.

Pin up Submission

All applicants must submit a portfolio for evaluation by Interior Design faculty members. This portfolio should include each student's best work from ARC 1301, ARC 1302, ARC 2303, and IND 2214. It can also include work from IND 2313 and IND 2460. **Portfolios should be uploaded to the IND Selective Admissions Canvas site by Monday, April 13 8:30am.**

Your exhibit must conform at minimum to the following specifications:

- No more than twenty (20) 11 x 17 pages
- Files should be submitted as one (1) PDF no larger than 100MB
- Students must cover or conceal their names on all displayed work
- 2D and 3D work must be included
- Imagery of two (2) models, at least one (1) model from D1, D2, or D3
- Two (2) rendered perspective drawings using any medium
- One (1) project with entire design: concept/design ideation, process, final design drawings
- Non-UF design training may be included, however this is limited to 2 pages

Notification

The department will notify all applicants of admission status via email on Monday, April 20.

Please note that ALL ADMISSIONS are 'CONDITIONAL'.

Students' spring semester grades must reflect continuing academic progress. Receiving a D or lower grade in any spring semester course will result in a review of the student's admission status. In addition, students must complete all lower division critical tracking requirements prior to the start of the fall semester.

Interviews

Occasionally we have applicants for whom the faculty members have questions regarding admission. An email will be sent to students requiring interviews. All interviews will be held via Zoom and will last approximately 20 minutes. No additional work will be required, rather clarifying questions will be asked.