CORE CURRICULUM – 40-44 Semester Hours

UNIVERSITY CORE

A. Core Foundations (9-12)

CORE 101	_____	3
CORE 102	_____	3
HNRS 103	_____	3

(HNRS 103 will replace CORE 101 & 102 for students in the RU Honors College)

CRITICAL INQUIRY (3)

_____ _____ _____   **3**

One of the following: **CORE** 201 **HNRS** 201 **ANSC** 203 **MKTG** 201 **POSC** 201 **PHIL** 111

ETHICAL INQUIRY (3)

_____ _____ _____   **3**

One of the following: **CORE** 202 **HNRS** 202 **POSC** 202 **ENGL** 307 **PHIL** 112 **ART** 202

NOTE: Courses listed in multiple areas can only be used to fulfill a single area requirement.

B. Core Skills & Knowledge (16)

MATHEMATICAL SCIENCES (3)
MATH _____ _____   **3**
One of the following: **MATH** 114, 116, 119, 121, 122, 125, 126, 132, 137, 138, 168:169, 171: 172

NATURAL SCIENCES (4)

_____ _____ _____   **4**

One of the following: **ASTR** 111, 112 **BIOL** 103, 104, 105 **CHEM** 111:112, 120 **GEOL** 100, 105:106 **PHYS** 111:112, 221:222

HUMANITIES (3)

_____ _____ _____   **3**

One of the following: **CLSS** 110 **CCST** 110 **ENGL** 200 **HIST** 101, 102 **PHIL** 111, 112, 200 **POSC** 110 **RELN** 111, 112, 203, 206

SOCIAL/BEHAV. SCIENCES (3)
SOCY 110 _____   **3**

VISUAL & PERFORMING ARTS (3)
ART 215 _____   **3**

COLLEGE CORE

A. National & International Perspectives (6)

U. S. PERSPECTIVES (3)

_____ _____ _____   **3**

One of the following: **ECON** 205, 206

GLOBAL PERSPECTIVES (3)

_____ _____ _____   **3**

One of the following: **CVPA** 266 **CCST** 103 **ENGL** 201, 202 **GEOG** 101, 102, 140, 280 **HIST** 101, 102 **INST** 101 **ITEC** 112 **PEAC** 200 **RELN** 112, 205 **SOCY** 121 **THEA** 180 **WGST** 200

B. Supporting Skills & Knowledge (9-10)

NATURAL SCIENCES OR MATHEMATICAL SCIENCES (3-4)

_____ _____ _____   **3-4**

One of the following: **ASTR** 111, 112 **BIOL** 103, 104, 105 **CHEM** 111:112, 120 **GEOL** 100, 105:106 **PHYS** 111:112, 221:222 **MATH** 114, 116, 119, 121, 122, 125, 126, 132, 137, 138, 168:169, 171:172 **STAT** 130, 200, 219

HUMANITIES, VISUAL & PERFORMING ARTS OR FOREIGN LANGUAGES (3-4)
ART 216 _____   **3**

SOCIAL & BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES OR HEALTH & WELLNESS (3)
PSYC 121 _____   **3**

B.F.A. INTERIOR DESIGN REQUIREMENTS
82 – 86 Semester Hours

DESIGN CORE (12)

DSN 100	____	3
DSN 110	____	3
DSN 143	____	3
DSN 173	____	2
DSN 340	____	1

A minimum grade of C or higher is required in all 100 level Design courses (DSN, DSNF, DSNI, & DSNM)

50% of hours within the DSN major must be earned at Radford University. In addition, no fewer than 45 hours of the total hours required for graduation must be earned at Radford University.

To graduate with honors, 60 hours must be completed at RU

INTERIOR DESIGN CONCENTRATION (53)

DSNI 103	____	3
DSNI 125	____	3
DSNI 200	____	3
DSNI 202	____	3
DSNI 205	____	3
DSNI 300	____	4
DSNI 305	____	4
DSNI 320	____	2
DSNI 322	____	3
DSNI 325	____	2
DSNI 341	____	2
DSNI 350	____	3
DSNI 355	____	3
DSNI 375	____	3
DSNI 400	____	4
DSNI 405	____	4
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DSNI 407	____	2
DSNI 445	____	2

DESIGN SUPPORT COURSES (8)

DSN 220	____	3
DSN 223	____	3
DSN 402	____	2

SUPPORT COURSES (6)

_____ ____   _____ ____
_____ ____   _____ ____

Selected from: **COMS** 114, 225, 230, 235, 240 **FINC** 251, 336 **PHIL** 310, 380 **MGNT** 250, 322, 350, 450 **MKTG** 343, 350 **SOCY** 339, 370 **PSYC** 282, 347, 381, 429 **THEA** 100, 180, 381, 330 **ART** ANY

ELECTIVES (3-7)

UNIV 100 (optional)	_____	1

_____ ____   _____ ____
_____ ____   _____ ____
_____ ____   _____ ____

____ **126 Hrs. Required for Graduation**
____ **Min. Overall GPA 2.0**
____ **Min. Major GPA 2.5**

NOTE: LAPTOP POLICY

All incoming students are required to have laptops. For additional details, please see the Division of Information Technology's website (Technology Purchases). All computer applications used for classes in this department operate in the Windows-based format. Windows based laptops are recommended. Macs need dual operating systems (Windows & Mac OS).
Software for first-year students is the Microsoft Office suite. Second through fourth year software requirements will be noted by the specific concentration at the beginning of each year. Department's website http://id-f.asp.radford.edu/

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Possible Four-Year Plan for B.F.A. in Design: Interior Design

Minimum Overall GPA: 2.0   126 total credit hours
Minimum In-Major GPA: 2.5   Required for Graduation
(All DSN, DSNF, DSNI, DSNM courses)

First Year – Fall Semester

UNIV 100	Intro to Higher Ed (Optional)	1
DSN 100	Design Fundamentals	3
DSN 110	Introduction to Design	3
CORE 101	Written & Oral Comm	3
MATH	Mathematical Science	3
ANY	Humanities	3
	Total Credits	15-16

First Year – Spring Semester

DSN 143	Business of Design	3
DSNI 103	Visual Thinking in Design	3
DSNI 125	Technical Drafting	3
CORE 102	Written and Oral Comm	3
SOCY 110	Social/Behav Science	3
	Total Credits	15

To proceed to 2nd year classes, one must pass Basic Skills Assessment (earn a "C" or higher in all 100 level major courses)

Second Year – Fall Semester

DSN 220	Media Presentation	3
DSNI 200	Sophomore Studio I	3
DSNI 202	Presentation Techniques	3
CORE 201	Topics in Critical Inquiry	3
ART 215	Visual & Performing Arts	3
	Total Credits	15

Second Year – Spring Semester

DSN 173	Design Psychology	2
DSN 223	Textiles	3
DSNI 205	Sophomore Studio II	3
CORE 202	Topics in Ethical Inquiry	3
ART 216	Humanities/VPA/Language	3
ANY	elective	3
	Total Credits	17

To proceed to 3rd year classes, one must pass Portfolio Review Assessment and have earned a minimum 2.5 in-major GPA

Third Year – Fall Semester

DSN 340	Pre-Internship Seminar	1
DSNI 300	Junior Studio I	3
DSNI 320	CAD I	3
DSNI 322	Building Systems & Codes	3
DSNI 350	History of Interior Design I	3
ANY	Global Perspective	3
	Total Credits	16

Third Year – Spring Semester

DSNI 305	Junior Studio II	3
DSNI 325	CAD II	3
DSNI 355	History of Interior Des II	3
DSNI 375	Design Theory & Research	3
ECON 205/6	U.S. Perspectives	3
	Total Credits	15

Third Year – Summer

DSNI 341	Internship	2

To proceed to 4th year classes, one must pass Internship Skills Assessment and have earned a minimum 2.5 in-major GPA

Fourth Year – Fall Semester

DSN 402	Global Studio	2-3
DSNI 400	Senior Studio I	4
ANY	Supporting Course	3
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SCI/MATH	Natural Science or Math	3-4
	Total Credits	15-17

Fourth Year – Spring Semester

DSNI 405	Senior Studio II	4
DSNI 407	Senior Show & Portfolio	2
DSNI 445	Professional Practice/Ethics	2
PSYC 121	Social/Behav or Health	3
SCIENCE	Natural Science	4
ANY	elective	1
	Total Credits	16

To proceed to graduation, students must have a minimum 2.5 in-major GPA & pass the Capstone Activity