BACHELOR OF VOCATION (Interior Design)

Name of the Course : B. Voc. (Interior Design)

Type of the Course : Bachelor of Vocation

Discipline : Interior Design

Duration: Three Years (With multiple exit point)

Eligibility : Entry Level – 12th pass with Min. of 50% in any discipline

Admission :

Depending on the number of applications at the time of admission, merit based decision that provides equal opportunity to all will be taken by the admissions committee of the School duly approved by the competent authority of the University. The broad criterion shall be 50% weight to marks of qualifying exam (12th Class) and 50% to aptitude assessment / interview conducted under direction of the admission committee

No of Seats : 40

Affiliation : UGC-NSQF and Mizoram University

Course Intent

With the economic growth the demands for housing and commercial spaces has increased manifold. This has given steep rise to demand for competent professionals and skilled technical associates in building and interior industry. Increased awareness about quality of interior spaces in all spheres of activity has enhanced the demand for Interior Design Professionals. Private practices of Architects and Interior Designers, construction and interior decoration firms, furniture and furnishing houses, manufacturers and vendors of interior and building products all look for competent persons who can work at the cutting edge level in a professional manner. Currently, India needs more than 100000 interior designers, however this enormous demand for interior designers is heavily undersupplied as there are very few students who are taking up the interior design as a career and very few interior designers who are capable of meeting the industry standards and satisfying all their clients, each with a different mindset and taste.

This programme is designed to cater to demands of professionally trained human resource in the field of Interior Design. The programme is highly relevant for all those who want to pursue a professional career in Interior Design practice, or in building industry, or in the field of marketing etc

Course Content and Structure

The course titled as B. Voc. (Interior Design) is proposed with a modular structure that gives exit option after every year with employable skill at the end of each module. This three years course spans over total of six semesters having two semesters in each year. The whole course has been allocated total of 180 credits consisting of Foundation courses, Core subjects and electives. There will be a project (Interior Design Dissertation) in fifth semester and 16-18 weeks internship in sixth semester aiming professional exposure with industry.

In the syllabus course 60% weight is given to skill development components and 40% weight to general education component. Each credit value for theory, tutorial and practical component shall be as defined in CBCS regulations (2012) of Mizoram University.

NSQF Level	Skill component Credits	General Education Credits	Total Credits for Award	Duration	Award
NSQF Level-5	34	26	60	1 Years	Diploma in Interior Design
NSQF Level-6	73 (Includes credits of previous year)	47 (Includes credits of previous year)	120	2 Years	Advance Diploma in Interior Design
NSQF Level-7	109 (Includes credits of previous year)	71 (Includes credits of previous year)	180	3 Years	B. Voc. (Interior Design)

Learning Outcome

The programme aims to build individual capacities and train persons with adequate employability and entrepreneurship skills. Graduates are equipped to begin their own practice or further their education by applying to study in post-graduate programs. The programme structure attempts to blend appropriate technical knowledge and skills, personal and professional skills and substantive 'hands-on' and field / site experience required in the trade.

The course having multiple exit option after every year with employable skill at the end of each module is aiming at following outcome;

Diploma in Interior Design (One Year)

Outcome:

A person having adequate skills to work as an Assistant to a professional Interior designer

Advance Diploma in Interior Design (Two Year)

Outcome: A person having adequate skills to work as 'Technical Assistant' to a Professional Interior designer

B. Voc. (Interior Design) (Three Year)

Outcome: A person having skills to work as a Technical Associate to a professional Interior designer or work as a 'multi tasking' technical person in an organization serving interior design trade. .