The Interior Design program integrates the study of functional, artistic and practical career components of the interior design profession and offers in-depth studio training in creative ideation, concept development, program analysis and space planning. Students are exposed to universal design, building codes, materials and finishes applications, architectural history, as well as design practice specialties such as retail, commercial, hospitality, lighting, furniture and residential design. Sketching and rendering, CAD, and 3-D visualization programs/methods are key elements of the program.

Named One of “America’s Best Colleges” by U.S. News & World Report

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This “one student at a time” approach to the educational experience is what sets Cazenovia apart from other colleges and universities.

At-A-Glance

Founded: 1824
Enrollment: 1,000 students
Average Class Size: 16
Student-Faculty Ratio: 12/1
Main Campus: 20 acres
Equine Education Center: 243 acres
Athletics: NCAA Division III
Students Receiving Financial Aid: 90%
Faculty with the highest degree in their field: 80%
Interior Design

Samples of Coursework
- Drawing & Perception
- Design & Color Theory
- Drafting
- Rendering
- Models & Drawings
- Digital Foundations
- Residential Design
- Universal Design
- Finishes & Materials
- Building Construction
- AutoCAD
- Furniture Design
- Professional Practice
- Contract Interiors
- Hospitality Design
- Lighting I
- Lighting II
- Building Codes
- 3-D Computer Modelling
- Retail & Exhibition Design
- Senior Thesis Project
- Interior Design Portfolio

Internship Opportunities
- The Barn in Caz
- CAB Fab
- Designer’s Library
- Design Matters
- Design Specialists, Inc.
- Empire Bath and Kitchen
- Ethan Allen
- Fran Springer Interiors
- King & King Architects
- The Leighton Design Group
- McClurg Associates
- Peterson, Geller, Spurge, Inc.
- PKB Design
- Plum and Crimson Fine Interior Design
- Roberts Office Furniture Concepts

Career Possibilities
Cazenovia prepares graduates with the educational background needed to sit for the National Council for Interior Design Qualification (NCIDQ) certification exam, and other emerging professional credentials.

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