

Certificate: Kitchen & Bathroom Design
Total Number of Credits: 30

Program Description: The Kitchen & Bath Design (KBD) certificate program prepares individuals for entry level and advanced positions in the Kitchen & Bath Design Industry. Classroom and online options are available. This program includes the knowledge, skills, and attributes necessary for working in this specialized design area. Course content includes presentation standards (hand-drafting techniques), computer-aided drafting, construction and mechanical systems, basics of kitchen and bath design, materials and estimation, lighting, universal design and theme application, and business practices for the kitchen and bathroom industry. As a culmination of all of these courses, an internship within a kitchen and/or bath-related firm is required. This Kitchen & Bath Design program is accredited by NKBA (National Kitchen & Bath Association). Basic competencies of this program are based on the specifications encouraged by NKBA, and are supported by the use of their reference and resource materials.

Application Requirements: Assessment score placement in MATH 0030 or completion of MATH 0010 with a grade of C or higher; assessment score placement in ENGL 1021 or completion of ENGL 0090 with a grade of C or higher for those without prior higher education. Those individuals with prior higher education/college credits may be exempt with proof of course completion; official transcripts from all prior colleges must be sent to the college for exemption evaluation.

Additional Requirements:

- **Admission** to the Kitchen and Bath Design program requires a student to attend an information session (also available on-line). Pre-register for this session on the program website. Instructor Arlynn Wolf must review and sign your program enrollment form.
- Wireless laptop computer is required for the classroom section; specifications for minimum requirements are listed on the Kitchen and Bath program link of the Century website. www.century.edu

Career/Occupational Requirements: 27 credits

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| KBD | 1010 | Presentation Standards | 3 |
| KBD | 1020 | Construction & Mechanical Systems | 3 |
| KBD | 1030 | Basic Kitchen & Bath Design | 3 |
| KBD | 1040 | Materials & Estimating | 2 |
| KBD | 1050 | Lighting for Kitchen and Bath Design | 1 |
| KBD | 2010 | Advanced Kitchen & Bath Design | 3 |
| KBD | 2020 | CAD for Kitchen & Bath | 3 |
| KBD | 2030 | Business Practices for Kitchen & Bath Designers | 1 |
| KBD | 2080 | Customized Consulting & Presentation | 3 |
| KBD | 2781 | Internship in Kitchen & Bath Design I | 2 |
| KBD | 2782 | Internship in Kitchen & Bath Design II | 3 |

Additional Requirements: 3 credits (select **ONE** of the following)

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| ECAD | 1070 | Introduction to AutoCAD | 3 |
| INTD | 2040 | Dimensional Design Drawing | 3 |
| KBD | 2060 | Advanced CAD for Kitchen and Bath Design | 3 |

OR other instructor approved courses by academic petition such as:

INTD 1060, Furniture Styles & Periods, 3 credits, by academic petition. These credits may also be fulfilled with courses from prior higher education/college coursework. See program instructors for more information and assistance.

General Requirements:

1. Certificates: Up to 30 earned college-level credits; one third must be earned at Century College.
2. Century college-level GPA of 2.0; Required career and occupational courses GPA of 2.0; MnTC GPA of 2.0.

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Assessment: *Assessments are required for all students* before registering for classes. Students may be required to take developmental courses in English, Reading and Mathematics based upon their assessment scores. Students with previous college credits may be exempt from all or some of the Assessments. To receive any exemption you must send an official transcript from all your previous educational institutions for evaluation. For important assessment information see www.century.edu/futurestudents/assessment. The READi assessment for online learning is also required for Kitchen & Bath students. READi is a web-based assessment for determining students' level of readiness for taking online courses. The assessment takes about 20 minutes. After completion, you'll receive a report with customized feedback and targeted resources itemizing your strengths and weaknesses in preparation for online learning. See: <http://www.century.edu/currentstudents/onlinelearning/default.aspx#a3>

Career Information: Counselors are available in the Counseling and Career Center, Room 2400 West, to assist with educational and career planning. Resources available include career interest and personality inventories and print and web-based occupational and educational information, e.g., occupational descriptions, employment outlook, earnings, education/training requirements and sources. Consult the **GPS LifePlan** link on the Century website for information on these and more resources for your career, work, and educational planning!

Transfer: Some programs are intended primarily for employment preparation rather than transfer to a four-year institution. Some courses may not transfer to a number of four-year colleges. If you are considering the possibility of transfer, you may wish to talk with a counselor or the program instructor before registering to discuss your goals and look at programs designed for transfer.

Time Limit for Meeting Graduation Requirements: See Century College catalog "Graduation" for information.

Academic Petitions: Any exceptions to the program requirements must be petitioned through the Vice President of Academic Affairs.

Costs: In addition to tuition and books, supplies and meetings for the program will cost approximately \$800. Students are also required to have a wireless lap top computer meeting minimum specifications listed on the program website-cost of approximately \$2000 or less. Costs are subject to change. On-line students pay approx. \$9.00 more per credit.

New students are accepted for Fall starts only due to course sequencing. Consult with the program instructor for signature before you register for courses. The program may be completed in one year. Kitchen and Bath Design courses are offered at an off-site location (often International Market Square) or on-line. Enrollment limited to full-time status (14-18 credits). Completion of CAPL 1010 or equivalent prior to the start of the program is recommended if computer experience is not significant.

Required full-time sequence of courses:

| Fall Semester | | |
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| KBD 1010 | Presentation Standards | 3 |
| KBD 1020 | Construction & Mechanical Systems | 3 |
| KBD 1030 | Kitchen & Bath Design | 3 |
| KBD 1040 | Materials & Estimating | 2 |
| KBD 1050 | Lighting for Kitchen & Bath | 1 |
| KBD 2781 | Internship in Kitchen & Bath Design I | 2 |
| | | 14 credits |
| Spring Semester | | |
| KBD 2010 | Advanced Kitchen & Bath | 3 |
| KBD 2020 | CAD for Kitchen & Bath | 3 |
| KBD 2030 | Business Practices for Kitchen & Bath Designers | 1 |
| KBD 2080 | Customized Consulting & Presentation | 3 |
| KBD 2781/2782 | Internship in Kitchen & Bath Design I and/or II (If not completed in Fall Semester) | 2/3/5 |
| And Choice of: | | |
| ECAD 1070 | Introduction to AutoCAD | 3 |
| INTD 2040 | Dimensional Design Drawing | 3 |
| KBD 2060 | Advanced CAD for Kitchen and Bath Design | 3 |
| (Or other course by academic petition) | | |
| | | 15 - 18 credits |

Important Telephone Numbers: (651 Area Code)

Admission Office 773-1700
 Counseling Office 779-3285
 Financial Aid Office 779-3305

Program Instructor:

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