Student Achievement Data

University of Arkansas at Fayetteville Bachelor of Interior Architecture and Design BIAD

The program typically takes a full-time student taking 14-16 credits per semester four years to complete the degree. Additionally, study abroad is required in the one summer (typically between 2nd and 3rd year) and internship is typically completed in the following summer.

The following data was collected using institution records, UA Connect – the University of Arkansas Student Records Software System, and internet tracking of students 8 months after the class of 2022 graduated.

Student Attrition and Retention

Attrition is highest in the first and second years of the program. For example, 74% of students admitted in Design I Fall 2021 and Summer 2022 advanced to the second year of the program. 77% of students admitted to Design III in Fall 2021 advanced the third year of the program.

Graduation Rates:

54% of students who graduated in 2022 completed their degree in four years. This reflects the fact that a significant number of students do not discover the discipline until after pursuing other majors at the University first. For students who enter the program in their first semester of college almost all complete the degree in four years.

Acceptance into Graduate Programs:

4% of students who graduated in 2022 applied for graduate school, and 100% were accepted.

Job Placement Rates:

100% of students who graduated in 2022 are employed in interior design or a related profession.