



Kitchen Planning

About the course

This course is designed for:

- > sales consultants looking for design skills to assist them to sell their products
- > kitchen consultants planning residential kitchens
- > product specifiers and industry sales representatives
- > renovators planning their own kitchen

Using a range of predetermined cabinets, fixtures, fittings and finishes, you will gain skills and knowledge to plan a kitchen to suit the space within a home.

Course duration and delivery

Duration: Self paced – 12 weeks is recommended, allowing 3-4 hours per week.

(Once you are registered you have 6 months to complete the course.)

Delivery: Distance learning

Resources

Learner Resources: Upon course commencement you will receive access to electronic learner resources that have been developed by leading design professionals to provide a stimulating learning process. You will be provided with module 1 resources on commencement, and each subsequent module is made available to you after the completion of the previous module project.

Other Resources You will need to have access to a computer with Microsoft Office or equivalent and a high speed internet connection. General stationary items including pens, pencils, notebook, ruler and tape measure are recommended.

Trainers

All trainers are experienced and qualified kitchen designers with broad skills and knowledge in design and the home improvement sector.

Projects and feedback

At the conclusion of each module, you complete a project and submit to your trainer for review. Your trainer will provide you with feedback to give guidance on aspects that are well executed and/or opportunities for development.

Support and advice

Our Student Support team offer a range of options for assistance. You can make contact during business hours via phone, or email to log a request for assistance, guidance and feedback.

Dates

Enrolment for this course is available on a monthly basis and you can elect to start your training at the beginning of any month. Enrolments finalised by the end of the month can commence training the following month (usually the first Monday of the month).

How to register

You need to complete a registration form. Please contact us to receive via email or go to our website.

Email: info@designertraining.edu.au

Web: www.designertraining.edu.au

Need more information

If you require any further information regarding this course, please give us a call on **1300 850 725** and we would be happy to assist you and answer any questions you may have.

Cost

\$890 (Inc GST)

OR Register for Bathroom Planning and Kitchen Planning at the same time for \$1290 (Inc GST)



Course Outline

Module 1: Kitchen styles and trends

- > The evolution of the kitchen layout
- > Influences from a global market
- > Architecture and the influence on kitchens
- > How to complement architectural features in homes
- > How to incorporate current styles and trends into modular kitchens



Module 2: Colour, lighting and finishes

- > Basic colour psychology
- > The impact of light and colour
- > Adequately lighting a space
- > Traditional, classic and contemporary colour schemes and finishes
- > Eclectic styling – integrating alternate finishes in a modular system



Module 3: Design communication

- > Identifying product and lifestyle requirements of the kitchen
- > Prioritising the project goals
- > Problem solving and analytical skills
- > Presentation skills to communicate the kitchen plan



Module 4: Cabinet construction

- > Materials and joining techniques
- > Cabinetry terminology
- > Appliances and the implication on cabinet construction
- > Modular cabinets



Module 5: Kitchen planning

- > Site analysis including accurate measuring and reviewing existing services
- > The 5 most popular kitchen shapes
- > Pro forma kitchen layouts highlighting advantages and disadvantages
- > Clearances and safety requirements in the planning process
- > Kitchen function zones
- > Space planning and ergonomics

