# the interior design course

Tomris Tangaz



# contents

Introduction 6

How to use this book 8



# Chapter 1

#### CONCEPT DEVELOPMENT 10

Unit 01: Site research and building study 12

Unit 02: Building a sketchbook 16

Unit 03: Making a sketch model 20

Unit 04: Developing an idea 24

Case study 01: Modern

restaurant 28

Case study 02: Interior to exterior 30



# Chapter 2

### **DESIGN REALIZATION 32**

Unit 05: Drawing materials 34

Unit 06: Human dimensions 36

Unit 07: Architectural drawing

conventions 40

Unit 08: Survey and freehand

drawing 44

Unit 09: Technical drawing 46

Unit 10: Making presentation

models 48

Unit 11: Axonometric and perspective drawing 54

Unit 12: Computer-aided design 60

Case study 03: Flexible space 62

Case study D4: Updating the dated 66



Chapter 3

**DESIGN PROJECTS 68** 

Unit 13: Creating a brief 70
Unit 14: Writing a client profile 72
Unit 15: Writing a design proposal 74
Unit 16: Planning your design 76

Case study 05: Retail shop 78
Case study 06: Coffee house 80



Chapter 4

#### **BUILDING CONSTRUCTION 82**

Unit 17: Building components 84
Unit 18: Building materials 90
Unit 19: Services 94
Unit 20: Lighting 96
Unit 21: Colour and interiors 100
Unit 22: Textiles and fabrics 104
Unit 23: Creating a directory 108
Unit 24: Writing a specification 110
Unit 25: Creating a sample
board 112

Case study 07: Large-scale residence 114 Case study 08: Living as event 118



## Chapter 5

#### PROFESSIONAL PRACTICE 122

Unit 26: Preparing your portfolio 124
Unit 27: Writing a c.v. and covering
letter 126
Unit 28: Design roles 128
Unit 29: The design industry 130

Unit 30: Setting up on your own 134

Glossary 136 Resources 138 Bibliography 139 Index 140

Credits 144