Computer Aided Design Drafting Technology

(1 to 2 Years)

Two Intermediate Technical Certificates, one Advanced Technical Certificate, one Associate of Applied Science degree, and one Bachelor of Applied Science degree are available.

Objectives

1. The Computer Aided Design Drafting (CADD) Program at the Idaho State University College of Technology will address the interests and requirements of both current and potential participants in career opportunities within engineering and architectural firms, machinery manufacturers, structural steel fabricators, and construction companies.

2. The program will provide skills, knowledge, and training in current Computer Aided Design Drafting Technology theory utilizing various software programs to produce high-precision graphics required by architecture, engineering, construction, and other industries. Such industries use these graphics to manufacture goods and machinery and assemble structures, both for end consumers and other businesses.

3. Students will learn how to solve practical problems applying applications of mathematics and descriptive geometry. They will understand and demonstrate proper use of national standards in the creation and revision of technical drawings.

For a Program Information Packet showing descriptions of each option, course descriptions, lists of course sequences, and the cost of books, tools, uniforms, fees, and other expenses, go online to https://www.isu.edu/cadd/.

Successful completion (D- or better) of each course is required before the student can progress in the program.

Faculty

Coordinator and Senior Instructor


Instructor


Intermediate Technical Certificate: Mechanical Drafting

(1 Year)

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Intermediate Technical Certificate: Architectural Drafting

(1 Year)

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Total Credits 34

1. Contributes to a General Education requirement.

Advanced Technical Certificate: Computer Aided Design Drafting

(2 Years)

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TGE 0158  Employment Strategies  2
COMM 1101  Principles of Speech  3
ENGL 1101  English Composition  3
or ENGL 1101P  English Composition Plus  3

Total Credits  56

1  Contributes to a General Education requirement.

### Associate of Applied Science Degree:
**Computer Aided Design Drafting Technology**

**(2 Years)**

#### Required Courses:

- **CADD 0101**  Drafting Technology Theory I  2
- **CADD 0108**  Introduction to CAD  4
- **CADD 0109**  Drafting Applied Algebra  2
- **CADD 0111**  Drafting Technology Theory II  2
- **CADD 0119**  Drafting Applied Descriptive Geometry  2
- **CADD 0121**  Mechanical Drafting Technology Theory I  2
- **CADD 0122**  Mechanical Drafting Technology Lab I  3
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- **TGE 0158**  Employment Strategies  2

#### General Education courses 1

- **COMM 1101**  Principles of Speech  3

One four-credit physical science course that includes a lab and partially satisfies a General Education requirement.

Additional General Education courses  9

Total Credits  66

1  See General Education Requirements (minimum 15 credits) for A.A.S. Degree at the start of the College of Technology section of the catalog.

2  Contributes to a General Education requirement.

### Courses

**CADD 0101 Drafting Technology Theory I: 2 semester hours.**
Basic drafting fundamentals and theory. Includes lettering, line work, spatial visualization, multiview drawings, sections, auxiliaries, dimensioning, and notation. COREQ: CADD 0108 and CADD 0109. F

**CADD 0108 Introduction to CAD: 4 semester hours.**
Basic CAD skills taught in the 2-D AutoCAD environment to include computer skills, drawing environment, annotation, shape creation and manipulation, and plotting. COREQ: CADD 0101. F

**CADD 0109 Drafting Applied Algebra: 2 semester hours.**
Algebraic solutions, word problems, equations and graphing concepts, ratio and proportion, and metric system relating to design drafting applications. PREREQ: TGE 0100A, MATH 0025, or equivalent. F

**CADD 0111 Drafting Technology Theory II: 2 semester hours.**
Additional drafting fundamentals and theory to include size tolerancing, isometric projection, welding symbology, gearing, threads and fasteners, manufacturing processes, and axonometric projection. PREREQ: CADD 0101. COREQ: CADD 0108. F

**CADD 0119 Drafting Applied Descriptive Geometry: 2 semester hours.**
Descriptive geometry applications related to design drafting explored. PREREQ: CADD 0109 or CADD 0209. F

**CADD 0121 Mechanical Drafting Technology Theory I: 2 semester hours.**
Drafting theory of welding symbology, geometric dimensioning and tolerancing, working drawings, assemblies, piping concepts, advanced dimensioning and tolerancing principles. Introduction to fundamentals of flat pattern layouts and 3D modeling. PREREQ: CADD 0111. COREQ: CADD 0122. PREREQ or COREQ: CADD 0129. S

**CADD 0122 Mechanical Drafting Technology Lab I: 3 semester hours.**
Apply Mechanical Drafting Technology Theory I including welding symbology, geometric dimensioning and tolerancing, working drawings and 3D modeling using CAD systems with emphasis on drawing details, assemblies, and subassemblies. Applications of advanced dimensioning and tolerancing principles, flat pattern layouts, revolutions, and piping. PREREQ: CADD 0108. COREQ: CADD 0121. S

**CADD 0129 Drafting Applied Analytic Geometry: 2 semester hours.**
Analytic geometry applications including intersections and revolutions. Solutions of problems relating to design drafting are emphasized. PREREQ: CADD 0119. S

**CADD 0137 Mechanical Drafting Technology Theory II: 2 semester hours.**
Instruction in drafting theory including advanced instruction in parametric 3D modeling using CAD systems. PREREQ: CADD 0121. COREQ: CADD 0138. PREREQ or COREQ CADD 0139. S

**CADD 0138 Mechanical Drafting Technology Laboratory II: 3 semester hours.**
Apply Mechanical Drafting Technology Theory II including application of Parametric Modeling Theory to create parametric 3D models using CAD systems. PREREQ: CADD 0122. COREQ: CADD 0137. S
CADD 0139 Drafting Applied Trigonometry: 2 semester hours.
Applications and solutions in trigonometry and vectors relating to design drafting. PREREQ: CADD 0129. S

CADD 0207 Architectural Design Theory I: 2 semester hours.
Fundamentals of residential architectural design, floor plans, elevations, room layout, aesthetic design, site plans, Universal Design, the National CAD Standard, and electrical symbology. COREQ: CADD 0208 and CADD 0209. F

CADD 0208 Architectural Design Laboratory I: 3 semester hours.
Apply Architectural Design Theory I including documentation and modeling of residences using CAD systems. COREQ: CADD 0207. F

CADD 0209 Estimation Concepts: 2 semester hours.
Introduction to statistics and probability and cost estimation concepts. Solutions of problems relating to design drafting are emphasized. F

CADD 0217 Architectural Design Theory II: 2 semester hours.
Commercial architectural concepts and design theory. Commercial building design relating to design drafting emphasized. PREREQ: CADD 0207. COREQ: CADD 0218. F

CADD 0218 Architectural Design Laboratory II: 3 semester hours.
Application of Architectural Design Theory II including documentation and 3D modeling of commercial buildings using current Building Information Modeling (BIM) software. PREREQ: CADD 0208. COREQ: CADD 0217. F

CADD 0227 Structural Steel Drafting Theory: 2 semester hours.
Concepts of structural steel drafting and detailing including erection drawings and detailing of steel members. PREREQ: CADD 0217. COREQ: CADD 0228. S

CADD 0228 Structural Steel Drafting Laboratory: 3 semester hours.
Apply Structural Steel Drafting Theory including preparing structural steel detailing drawings using CAD systems, and structural steel drafting and detailing using a 3D modeling system. PREREQ: CADD 0218. COREQ: CADD 0227. S

CADD 0247 Design Integration Theory: 2 semester hours.
Concepts including Mechanical, Electrical, and Plumbing (MEP) building systems and graphic presentation methods explored. PREREQ: CADD 0227. COREQ: CADD 0248. S

CADD 0248 Design Integration Laboratory: 3 semester hours.
Applications of MEP building systems and graphic presentation methods including rendering and animation using CAD systems. PREREQ: CADD 0228. COREQ: CADD 0247. S

CADD 0295 CADD Internship: 1-16 semester hours.
Industrial work experience via a cooperative program for selected students. PREREQ: CADD major or permission of coordinator. F, S, Su

CADD 0296 Independent Study: 1-8 semester hours.
Addresses specific learning needs of individuals for the enhancement of knowledge and skills within the program area under the guidance of an instructor. May be repeated. Graded S/U, or may be letter-graded. PREREQ: Permission of the instructor. D

CADD 0298 Special Topics: 1-8 semester hours.
Addresses specific needs of industry, enabling student to upgrade technical skills that are not included in the current program curriculum. May be repeated. Graded S/U, or may be letter-graded. PREREQ: Permission of the instructor. D