

PROFESSIONAL CERTIFICATE IN INNOVATIVE FURNITURE DESIGN

創新傢具設計專業證書 (DE424502C / intake 10)

Vplus Creative Industries



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Photo Credit:
"Me & Meow" by "But Yet"
"Me & Meow" Rest-Nest Coffee Tables (front)
"Me & Meow" Shelf-Shield Modular Shelving (back)

Supporting Organisations


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Hong Kong Design Centre
香港設計中心

HKF&DA
香港傢俬裝飾廠商總會

POSH

To design and produce a contemporary furniture by yourself. Suitable for those who are interested in furniture design.

Course Strength

- QF Level 4 course is widely recognised by HK Government and employers
- **Vplus Creative Industries** Subsidy available, eligible applicants can claim 60% of the course fee paid up to max of HK\$36,000
- CEF course , eligible applicants can claim the course fees paid up to max HK\$20,000
- Issuance of Certificate upon successful completion of the course
- Students will work in HKDI professional workshop and produce their furniture prototype

Introduction to Furniture Design (PID4007Y / 30 hours)



MODULE 1

- Understand furniture design history from classical, industrialization to contemporary, in various cultural, regional, artistic, economic and technological contexts
- Identify and differentiate various design criteria of furniture design, include functionality, aesthetic, ergonomics, market needs, sustainability and creativity
- Research on dimensions, materials, production process, target customers and other related contexts
- Present the findings of criteria in furniture design through design case studies

Date: 2020 Sep 19, 26, Oct 10, 17, 24, 31

Creative Approach to Furniture Design (PID4008Y / 30 hours)



MODULE 2

- Generate innovative ideas in furniture design through creative thinking processes and methodologies
- Identify global trends and approaches in furniture design development
- Evaluate common practices in specific furniture design and generate alternative design solutions
- Communicate new idea effectively by visual presentation and prototyping

Date: 2020 Nov 14, 21, 28, Dec 5, 12, 19

Furniture Design Project (PID4009Y / 30 hours)



MODULE 3

- Present the findings of problems and requirements, in terms of individual needs and global concerns by applying appropriate research methodologies
- Communicate conceptual ideas effectively through freehand sketches by means of orthographic projection drawings
- Design a piece of furniture with appropriate choice of materials and production process with the application of ergonomics principles
- Produce a full size prototype of furniture according to production drawings and specifications

Date: 2021 Jan 9, 16, 23, 30, Feb 20, 27

Additional Workshop: 2021 March 6, 13



資歷架構
Qualifications
Framework

The programme below is recognized under the Qualifications Framework (QF):

PC in Innovative Furniture Design

QF Level: 4

QR Registration No.: 14/003626/L4

Validity Period: 01/09/2014 - 31/08/2021



Lecturer

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Principal Designer

Graduated from The Bartlett School of Architecture, UCL. He worked for renowned architects Zaha Hadid and Future Systems before founding Eravolution in 2010. The studio makes "Design-Art", specialising in innovative furniture and products. Its debut collection won the Shell LiveWIRE Grand Ideas Award in 2010 followed shortly by the One Good Chair International Design Competition Grand Prize in 2011. In 2014 he received the Perspective "A&D Trophy" Awards in Best Furniture and Best Green Product. In 2015 he was celebrated as one of the most influential designers of today and tomorrow with the Perspective "40 Under 40" Award.

Time	Sat (2-7pm)
Venue	HKDI
Fee	
Full PC	HK\$19,300
Early bird 10% off	HK\$17,370 (Deadline: 2020 Aug 7)
Module 1	HK\$5,400
Module 2	HK\$5,900
Module 3	HK\$8,000

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