Dale Potts, Interior Design Instructor, Interior Design Program
Department of Family & Consumer Sciences, Ball State University, Muncie IN

Areas of teaching: Interior Design (ID). Courses taught (on campus and online)
Undergraduate subjects: Design History, Design Theory, Interior Finishes, Two-dimensional Digital Graphic Communication, Three-dimensional Digital Graphic Communication, Materials/Finishes for Interior Design, Portfolio Development, Construction Documentation, and Design Studios One, Two, Three, and Five.
One online graduate course: Design with Digital Media.

Areas of expertise: Rehabilitation of historic structures for alternative uses; Two and Three-dimensional Digital Graphic Communication (focusing on creative incorporation of Photoshop, InDesign, Revit, and AutoCAD into a design solution); Portfolio Development (graphic design of the final portfolio that encourages students to use aforementioned software programs); Early Studio Pedagogy (a holistic approach that fosters creativity early in the interior design program); Interior Design History.

Education:
B.A., In-Progress, Ball State University, Architecture
M.A., 2005 Ball State University, Major- Interior Design
B.A., 1988 Ball State University, Major- Music Education

Employment History:
2003–current Contract Faculty Instructor of Interior Design Courses: Design History, Design Theory, Design Fundamentals, Two-dimensional Digital Graphic Communication, Three-dimensional Digital Graphic Communication, Design Fundamentals, Studio 1, 2, 3, 5, Finishes 2, Portfolio, Family & Consumer Sciences (FCS), Ball State University, Muncie, IN
☐ 2005 Intern for the Interior Design Department, KRMontgomery Associates-Architectural Firm, Anderson IN
☐ 2000, 2001 Facilitator for "Connected Learning Assures Successful Students" (CLASS): Instructor/Facilitator for Summer Workshops for Special Area Instructors, Indianapolis, Indiana
☐ 1998-2000 Facilitator for Brainworks Institute: Brain-based Research Related to Musical Intelligences, Indianapolis, IN
☐ 1988-2001 Faculty Member at Frontier School Corporation: Music Educator for Band, Choir and General Music (K-12), Brookston and Chalmers IN

Mentor Students in Projects/Presentations/Publications/Professional Development Activities
☐ 4 Independent Honors Projects

SCHOLARLY PRODUCTIVITY
Publication:
☐ Publication: As a Graduate Assistant, assisted Reza Ahmadi with research pertaining to an article on Alzheimer's patients and aging in place of the elderly, (2003).

Creative Projects:
☐ Developed online graduate course: FCSID 513 (2010)
☐ Potts, D. (2005) Interior rehabilitation of Alley-type Structures: Sensitivity to Americans with Disabilities Act and Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design.

Grantsmanship:
☐ Collaborated with Dr. Thelma Lazo Flores: Discovery Grant: Design ConneXity: Experiential Avenues for Teaching and Learning Creativity (2009)

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☐ Collaborated with Dr. Thelma Lazo-Flores, Dr. Jinhee Nam, and Valerie Birk, on Lilly V grant for a laser cutter for Fashion and Interior Design (2009)

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Development of Subject Matter Expertise:

Professional Development Activity	Location	Year
Revit Architecture 2012 Fundamentals; passed final exam and received certificate	DCCADD.com- 4 week Intensive Online course	2012
Sustainable Health Care Architecture: How Health Care Is Responding to Ideas about Buildings and Health Both Nationally and Globally"	Ball State University	2010
Speaker: Speaker: Louis Sullivan: The struggle for American Architecture	Ball State University	2010
"Developing Pedagogies to Enhance Excellence and Diversity"	Ball State University	2008
3 part workshop "What Questions Should I Answer to Develop Innovative Teaching?"	Ball State University	2007
Eight hours of in-class work. Revit (Building Information Modeling)	Ball State University	2007
Teaching Women in the Classroom	Ball State University	2006
Rhino Workshop (3-D Digital Graphics)	Ball State University	2006
Form Z Workshop (3-D Digital Graphics)	Ball State University	2006
Macromedia Flash (3-D Digital Animation)	Ball State University	2006
Macromedia DreamWeaver (Web Development)	Ball State University	2006
Adobe Photoshop Workshop	Ball State University	2004
Adobe InDesign Workshop	Ball State University	2003
Adobe Illustrator Workshop	Ball State University	2003
	Ball State University	2003

Development of Research and Teaching Skills:

☐ Collaborated with Interior Design Instructor Janet Fick and Architecture Instructor Steven Kendall in a combined studio project involving residential infill units in the urban fabric 2007.

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

Ball State University – Department Service

☐ CIDA Accreditation Contributing ID faculty team member 2012-present
☐ ID Curriculum Contributing ID faculty member 2006-present

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☐ Academic Advisor to ID Majors 2006-present
☐ Contract Salary Committee: 2008-present; Secretary 2010
☐ Interior Design Admissions Committee: 2006-2010, Secretary 2009
☐ Departmental Curriculum Committee: 2007-2009

HONORS/AWARDS:
☐ Institute of Store Planner's National Student Competition: 1st Place Winner, 2005.
☐ Indiana Chapter of the National Kitchen and Bath Association College Competition: 1st Place Winner, 2004.