

MARIS CACKA

Poster: DESIGN IDEAS IN THE CONTEXT OF DESIGN TENDENCIES IN LATVIA OF DU STUDENTS



Abstract:

Latvian design trends are determined by the Latvian Designers Society (LDS) and since 2004 Latvian design education develops as well as a variety of different design activities take place in accordance with the Design Information Centre (DIC). DIC operates as an active centre of design information circulation providing informative support to professionals, young students and design-oriented public, as well as develops and coordinates cyclical thematic target programmes.

Daugavpils University (DU) takes an active participation in projects initiated by DIC since the moment it was founded, participating in conferences, seminars, exhibitions and design workshops, as a result – closing of the Design Days in October 29th and 30th, 2010 was held in Daugavpils, with interesting workshops on design, exhibitions and conferences.

During bachelor and masters study programs of art number of design ideas are fulfilled covering areas of graphic design, product design, web design, and animation.

Students' works from Daugavpils University fit into the overall Latvian design policy, demonstrating their works successfully in Latvian and in foreign countries.

When acquiring Arts study programs at DU, each student has the opportunity to express himself creatively and carry out his work from the idea to the result in material and this is a very important condition for each author's implementation of future ideas.

Topic: Design

Authors:

Maris Cacka

Daugavpils University,
Department of Art and
Design,
Latvia

www.du.lv

References:

[1] Laura Slack, "What is Product Design", Roto Vision, United Kingdom, 2006

[2] Alice Twemlow, "What is Graphic Design for?", Roto Vision, United Kingdom, 2006

[3] www.dic.lv

[4] www.design.lv

[5] www.designlv.lv



Images of Design works of DU students

Contact:

maris.cacka@du.lv

Keywords:

Design, graphic design, product design, Daugavpils University students, Design Information Centre