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Biography

Rina Shebaby is an assistant professor of Interior design at the Faculty of architecture and design (NDU). Both her Ph.D. and Master 2 Degree from the Lebanese University (LU) are in the field of Arts and Fine Arts, after earning a master degree in Interior Design from Notre Dame University (NDU). She established her professional interior design practice at H.E.A.D, her own interior design firm, founded in 1996. She started her teaching career in 2002 at different universities in Beirut. Her teaching is based on the combination of her professional experiences and educational background from multiple disciplines including interior design and facility management. Rina Shebaby joined Notre Dame University (NDU) in 2012 as a faculty member in the Interior Design Department. She has been involved with student teams who participated in various competitions winning distinctive prizes. Rina's interest in research is associated with her professional practice experience in interior design. Her research work focuses on public spaces as well as public artworks that take an interdisciplinary approach to new forms of social creativity within the context of environmental change and its impact on flourishing the spaces.