

MASTER OF SCIENCE IN ARCHITECTURE PROGRAM OUTLINE | 2020-2021

MASTER OF SCIENCE IN ARCHITECTURE

The Master of Science in Architecture program is intended for students who do not plan on becoming registered architects. Its emphasis is on research into problems in the built environment through a thesis or graduation project process. Admission to the program requires a baccalaureate degree. Students must complete a minimum of 45 quarter credits. It typically requires one to two academic years of full-time study.

AREA OF CONCENTRATION

Area of Concentration courses are comprised of two 3-quarter tracks. Students take one designated course from each track, each quarter for a total of three credits per quarter.

- Healthy Urbanism: AR5811 Urban Issues, AR582 Urban Design, AR5831 Livable Communities Design

REQUIRED STUDIOS - 18 CREDITS		
AR601	Design Studio	6
AR602	Design Studio	6
AR603	Design Studio	6
REQUIRED MAJOR COURSES - 18 CREDITS		
AR691	Research I	3
AR692	Research II	3
AR693	Thesis Research	3
	Area of Concentration (Choose One)	9
NEUROSCIENCE IN ARCHITECTURE AREA OF CONCENTRATION - 9 CREDITS		
AR5711	Environmental Psychology	3
AR5721	Neuroscience for Architecture	3
AR5731	Seminars in Neuroscience for Architecture	3
HEALTHY URBANISM AREA OF EMPHASIS - 9 CREDITS		
AR5811	Urban Issues	3
AR582	Urban Design	3
AR5831	Livable Communities Design	3

CREDIT BREAKDOWN		
Credits	% of Total	Area
18	40%	Studio Credits
18	40%	Required Major Course Credits
9	20%	Elective Professional Credits
0	0%	Required CRS5000 Course
45 Total Credits		

FALL	YEAR 1
	AR601 Design Studio (6)
	AR691 Research I (3)
	PE Professional Elective (3)
	CRS5000 Resume & Portfolio Development (0)
	Area of Concentration (3)
TOTAL CREDITS	15

WINTER	AR602 Design Studio (6)
	AR692 Research II (3)
	PE Professional Elective (3)
	Area of Concentration (3)
TOTAL CREDITS	15

SPRING	AR603 Design Studio (6)
	AR693 Thesis Research (3)
	PE Professional Elective (3)
	Area of Concentration (3)
TOTAL CREDITS	15

TOTAL ANNUAL CREDITS	45
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TOTAL PROGRAM CREDITS = 45