



## BACHELOR OF ARTS IN ARCHITECTURAL STUDIES

**Four year, Mon-professional, liberal arts Degree with a Major in Architectural Studies**

The School of Architecture and Planning offers a Bachelor of Arts in Architectural Studies degree. This program combines a liberal arts education with a general study of architecture and design. Student may choose to select the elective requirements across a broad range of architectural topics or concentrate them within a particular area of focus such as architectural history / theory, design or technology. This four-year degree program requires a minimum of 120 credit hours.

Students considering the B.A. in Architectural Studies must understand that this is not the professional degree for architecture practice. It is not designed to prepare the student either for architectural registration or for entry into the architecture profession. It is specifically designed for students seeking exposure to the conceptual content of architecture within a liberal arts framework. The curriculum is a powerful platform from which to pursue graduate education.

### **Bachelor of Science in Architecture: Total Credit Hours**

**126 cr**

### **Major Requirements in the School of Architecture and Planning**

**36 cr**

#### **Required Core Courses**

**15 cr**

ARPL 101 Architectural Foundations 1, Introduction to Architecture	3 cr
ARPL 102 Architectural Foundations 2, Design Tools	3 cr
ARPL 201 Architectural Foundations 3, Design Analysis and Synthesis	3 cr
ARPL 211 History of Architecture 1	3 cr
ARPL 231 Introduction to Sustainability	3 cr

#### **Program Electives**

**21 cr**

*Choose from the following (or any other approved ARPL elective)*

ARPL 202 Introduction to Architecture Design 1	6 cr
ARPL 212 History of Architecture 2	3 cr
ARPL 232 Environmental Design 1	3 cr
ARPL 311 History of Architecture 3	3 cr
ARPL 314 Architectural Theory	3 cr
ARPL 333 Construction 1: Assemblies and Detailing	3 cr

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ARPL 583 History of American City Planning	3 cr
ARPL 504 Spirit of Place	3 cr
ARPL 506 Portfolio Design	3 cr
ARPL 515 Beauty and Brains	3 cr
ARPL 516 Oriental Western Landscapes	3 cr
ARPL 524 Practice Law, Real Estate and Planning	3 cr
ARPL 558 Animation in Architecture and Design	3 cr
ARPL 559 Emerging Technologies Modules	3 cr

**Liberal Arts and Sciences Distribution Requirements** **54 cr**

ENG 101 Rhetoric and Composition	3 cr
PHIL 201 Classical Mind	3 cr
PHIL 202 Modern Mind	3 cr
TRS 201 Faith Seeking Understanding	3 cr
HUM 101 The Classics in Conversation	3 cr
MATH 108 Pre-calculus	3 cr
MATH 111 Calculus	3 cr
PHYS 101 20th Century Concepts	3 cr
3 additional TRS courses	9 cr
2 additional Philosophy courses	6 cr
3 approved Liberal Studies electives	9 cr
1 approved Social Science elective	3 cr
1 LS Language Requirement	3 cr

**Electives in the student's Approved Interest Area** (outside of architecture) **30 cr**

**120 cr**