UW **ARCHITECTURE** →

BA IN ARCHITECTURAL DESIGN
PRE-PROFESSIONAL DEGREE PROGRAM

2017 APPLICATION

Application into the Undergraduate Bachelor of Arts in Architectural Design requires the following materials, submitted in the order listed, to be considered for entry into the program. All students must complete the five pre-requisite courses prior to the Autumn Quarter they are applying for entry. These courses are Architecture 200, 201, 350, 351 and 352 and are typically taken in the sophomore year. All application materials must be uploaded to the Catalyst dropbox by 4 p.m. Monday, the first day of Spring Quarter.

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APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS

1. This departmental application, typewritten (not handwritten).
2. Transcripts of all college-level work. Official or unofficial transcripts are accepted.
3. Composition of ONE of the two following essay questions in approximately 500-750 words (single spaced). Use your choice of either of the questions to help direct and compose a narrative that addresses the general question and helps the committee understand your interest and motivation in applying to the architectural design major.
Essay Question #1: "Describe a place or building you have visited, worked in, or lived that has inspired your interest in architecture, and explain why."
or
Essay Question #2: "Describe a place or building that you have read about or studied and explain how and why it inspired your interest in architecture."

4. Personal Resume - A typewritten summary of your education, employment history, recreational interests, hobbies, skills, travel, and personal interests.
5. Portfolio of Creative Work-This important part of the application process illustrates your ability to draw, communicate and represent ideas creatively. Please see the portfolio examples in Gould Hall 208 in the Department of Architecture or attend one of our workshops for more information.

APPLICATION SUGGESTIONS
• Plan ahead! At least a month before the application deadline, start organizing your application.
• Make sure you have up-to-date copies of your transcripts to submit with your application by the deadline, MyUW copies are fine. If you transferred to the University of Washington, you must order a transcript from your prior school(s).
• Fill out application completely with the course category listing. If you are unclear about placement of courses to the various categories, consult with an advisor in Undergraduate Advising for pre-architecture majors. Your course category listing must be signed by you.

PORTFOLIO REQUIREMENTS and WORK ORDER

1. Your portfolio should be a single pdf file (30MG max) uploaded to the Catalyst dropbox:
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2. Portfolio order:
    1. Cover with name clearly legible. Keep images and design simple.
    2. Table of contents, (if desired)
    3. Two page application form
    4. Transcripts, UW first, other colleges or universities second
    5. Essay question
    6. Personal resume, one page
    7. Creative work pages (12-11"x17" or 24-8.5"x11")

3. Please do not exceed 12-11"x17" or 24-8.5"x11" for your creative work. Maximum file size: 30MB.
4. Keep layout simple, but identify work that is presented with title, media, date and your participation if group work. Choose work that represents a breadth of work, and show your best work. Quality over quantity usually is a good rule of thumb. Work can be ordered in a way you feel best represents your work in themes, by date, or by type of work.

SUGGESTED TYPES OF CREATIVE WORK
art and architectural design studio work
interior and industrial design
applied design, or other design-related disciplins related field experience
artwork/sculpture
painting/watercolor
photography (work should demostrate intention, lighting and composition and critical point of view)
fine woodworking
graphics/illustration
model building
set design
building construction
apparel design / construction
textile design

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Telephone: 206 543-4180

APPLICATION FOR ADMISSION to the Undergraduate BA in Architectural Studies for Autumn Quarter
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Type or print in ink. This application form goes first in your portfolio.

1. Name_____   _____   _____
             Last   First   Middle Initial

2. Address_____   _____
            Street and Number   Home phone number

       _____   _____
            City   Work phone number

       _____   _____   _____
            State   Zip   E – mail
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3. List names of all post secondary schools attended including the University of Washington, in order of attendance.

   College or University   Location   Dates   Major, Degree, and date received or expected

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4. List honors, awards, publications, professional organizations, principal extra class activities and offices held, if any:

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5. Have you previously applied to the Department of Architecture?_____   Quarter(s)_____   Year(s)_____

6. What is your current status at this University?   ☐ Freshman   ☐ Sophomore   ☐ Junior   ☐ Senior

7. Are you an international student? _____ If yes, what is your nationality?_____

8. Statistical Information (optional):

      Age _____   Gender: ☐ Female   ☐ Male

Dominant Ethnic origin:
      ☐ Black/African-American   ☐ Asian-American (Specify) _____   ☐ Caucasian
      ☐ Chicano/Latino-American   ☐ Filipino-American   ☐ Native-American   ☐ Other_____

9. Are you currently in the UW College Honors Program? Are you interested in Departmental Honors? _____

10. Are you also applying to the Bachelor of Arts in Architecture program? _____

This application is complete only when accompanied by an all college-level transcript. Failure to submit complete and accurate information may result in denial of the application or dismissal from the undergraduate degree program in the College.

Signature:_____   Date:_____

Please list courses which fulfill the admission requirements for the Architectural Design major.

A - PROFICIENCY:
    1. English composition
    5 credits_____

B - DISTRIBUTION:

1. Visual, Literary & Performing Arts (VLPA):
    20 credits

course	quarter	year	credits
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	total	_____

2. Individual & Societies (I&S):
    20 credits

course	quarter	year	credits
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
		total	_____

3. Natural World (NW):
    20 credits

course	quarter	year	credits
Math 112 / 124 / 127 or 145 _____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
		total	_____

4. Arch / CBE:
    17 credits

course	qtr	year	credits
ARCH 350_____	AUT _____		(3)
ARCH 351_____	WIN _____		(3)
ARCH 352_____	SPR _____		(3)
ARCH 200_____	AUT _____		(5)
ARCH 201_____	WIN _____		(5)
		total	_____

5. Additional Areas of Knowledge (AoK: VLPA, I&S, NW):
    5 credits

course	quarter	year	credits
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
		total	_____

6. Electives:
    3 credits
    not required for admission, but necessary for graduation

course	quarter	year	credits
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
		total	_____

W Credits (7)_____

C - CREDITS NOT COMPLETED YET (*to be completed by Fall Quarter of Admission into the program*)

	credits
Vis, Lit, & Perf Arts (VLPA)_____	_____
Individual & Societies (IS)_____	_____
Natural World (NW)_____	_____
Math 112/124/127 or 145 (QSR)_____	_____
Areas of Knowledge_____	_____
ARCH_____	_____
total contingent credits	_____

TOTAL CREDITS EARNED TO DATE ☐

Signature: _____

Date: _____