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Master of Architecture Curriculum

(3-year, 2-year M Arch)

135 credits for 3-year program

90 credits for 2-year (advanced standing) program

Year 1					
Autumn		Winter		Spring	
500 Arch Foundation Studio I	(6)	501 Arch Foundation Studio II	(6)	502 Arch Integration Studio I	(6)
510 Representation I	(3)	511 Representation II	(3)	532 Materials & Assemblies I	(3)
520 Design Technology I	(3)	521 Design Technology II	(3)	522 Design Technology III	(3)
550 History + Theory I	(3)	551 History + Theory II	(3)	Elective	(3)
15 credits		15 credits		15 credits	

Year 2 (students with advanced stand	ding ei	nter here)			
Autumn		Winter		Spring	
503 Arch Integration Studio II	(6)	504 Arch Integration Studio III	(6)	505 Arch Exploration Studio I	(6)
523 Design Technology IV (Advanced Structures)	(3)	524 Design Technology V (Advanced Environmental Systems)	(3)	571 Professional Practice offered spring and autumn	(3)
562 Contemporary Arch Theory	(3)	570 Design Development	(3)	591 Architecture & Landscape	(3)
590 Urban & Preservation Issues	(3)	Elective	(3)	592 Research Methods offered spring and autumn	(3)
15 credits		15 credits		15 credits	

Year 3 – Research Studio					
Autumn		Winter		Spring	
506 Arch Exploration Studio II	(6)	507 Arch Research Studio I	(6)	508 Arch Research Studio II	(6)
History & Theory Selective	(3)	593 Research Seminar I	(3)	594 Research Seminar II	(3)
Professional Practice Selective	(3)	Architecture Elective	(3)	Architecture Elective	(3)
Architecture Elective	(3)	Elective	(3)	Elective	(3)
15 credits		15 credits		15 credits	

Year 3 – Independent Thesis					
Autumn		Winter		Spring	
506 Arch Exploration Studio II	(6)	700 Master's Thesis	(6)	700 Master's Thesis	(9)
History & Theory Selective	(3)	599 Thesis Research Preparation	(3)		
Professional Practice Selective	(3)	Architecture Elective	(3)	Architecture Elective	(3)
Architecture Elective	(3)	Elective	(3)	Elective	(3)
15 credits		15 credits		15 credits	

Notes:

ARCH 571 & ARCH 592 are sized to take half of the cohort in spring of Year 2 and the other half in autumn of Year 3. Students planning to pursue the Independent Thesis track are encouraged to take ARCH 592 in spring before Year 3.

Either ARCH 505 & ARCH 506 Exploration Studio requirement may be satisfied by a 6 credit graduate level studio offered in the CBE in those quarters. The ARCH 506 studio may be satisfied by a 6 credit graduate level studio offered in the CBE in summer quarter (if any are offered).