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 standing enter 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 & Building Systems)	(3)	524 Design Technology V (Advanced Environmental Systems)	(3)	591 Architecture & Landscape	(3)
562 Contemporary Arch Theory	(3)	570 Design Development	(3)	592 Research Methods	(3)
590 Urban & Preservation Issues	(3)	571 Professional Practice	(3)	*Professional Practice Selective* Offered Aut, Wtr, Spr	(3)
15 credits		15 credits		15 credits	

Year 3 – Research Studio Track

Autumn		Winter		Spring	
506 Arch Exploration Studio II	(6)	507 Arch Exploration Studio III	(6)	508 Arch Research Studio I	(6)
History/Theory Selective Offered Aut, Wtr, Spr	(3)	593 or 594 Research Seminar I or II (3) If ARCH 508 instructor offers Research Seminar in winter, students register for ARCH 593. If research seminar is offered in spring, students register for ARCH 594.			
Architecture Elective or Degree Option Elective	(3)	*Architecture Elective or Degree Option Elective*	(3)	*Architecture Elective or Degree Option Elective*	(3)
Elective	(3)	*Elective*	(3)	*Elective*	(3)
		Elective	(3)		
15 credits		15 credits		15 credits	

Year 3 –Thesis Track

Autumn		Winter		Spring	
506 Arch Exploration Studio II	(6)	700 Master's Thesis	(3)	700 Master's Thesis	(9)
History/Theory Selective Offered Aut, Wtr, Spr	(3)	599 Thesis Research Preparation	(3)		
Architecture Elective or Degree Option Elective	(3)	*Architecture Elective or Degree Option Elective*	(3)	*Architecture Elective or Degree Option Elective*	(3)
Elective	(3)	*Elective*	(3)	*Elective*	(3)
		Elective	(3)		
15 credits		15 credits		15 credits	

Notes:

- Courses in *italics* can be taken in any quarter.
- Architecture Electives are any graduate level course (400 level and higher) course offer by the Architecture Department.
- Electives are any graduate level course (400 level and higher) offered by UW including additional Architecture courses.

- ARCH 505 & ARCH 506 Exploration Studio requirement may be satisfied by a 6 credit graduate level studio offered in the CBE during 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).