

B.A. in Architecture Four Year Academic Plan

Year 1	Fall	Spring
Benchmark 1 Requirements		
ARCH170 or ARCH171	ARCH170 (DSHU) or ARCH171 (DSSP)	ARCH225 (DSHU)
ARCH200	MATH120 or 140 (FSMA, FSAR)	ARCH200
ARCH225	ENGL101 (FSAW)	PHYS121 (DSNL)
<i>Must be completed by the end of two semesters</i>	Elective	History/Social Sciences (DSHS)*
	UNIV100	Scholarship in Practice (DSSP)*Non-Major
Year 2		
Benchmark 2 Requirements	ARCH201	ARCH400
ARCH226 ARCH201	ARCH226 (DSHU)	ARCH463
ARCH300 MATH120 or 140	ARCH300	Elective
ARCH462, ARCH463 PHYS121	ARCH462	Elective
<i>Must be completed by the end of four semesters</i>	Natural Science (DSNS)*	
	History/Social Sciences (DSHS)*	
Year 3		
	ARCH Elective	ARCH Elective
	ARCH Elective	ARCH Elective
	Directed Elective	Directed Elective
	ENGL39X (FSPW)	Elective
	Elective	Elective
Year 4		
	ARCH Elective	ARCH Elective
	ARCH Elective	ARCH Elective
	ARCH Elective	Directed Elective
	Oral Communication (FSOC)	Elective
	Elective	Elective
	Total Credits for Degree: 120; 45 credits must be upper level	

*All students must complete two Distributive Studies courses that are approved for I-series courses. The Understanding Plural Societies and Cultural Competence courses may also fulfill Distributive Studies categories.

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General Education Requirements				Benchmark Requirements		
Fundamental Studies				Year 1 - Benchmark Requirements		
<i>Requirements: 15 credits/5 courses</i>	Course	Credits	Grade	ARCH170 or ARCH171		
Academic Writing (FSAW)	ENGL 101			ARCH201, ARCH200, ARCH225		
Professional Writing (FSPW)				Year 2 - Benchmark Requirements		
Oral Comm. (FSOC)				ARCH226		
Math (FSMA)	_____			ARCH300		
Analytic Reasoning (FSAR)	MATH120 or 140			ARCH462, ARCH 463		
Distributive Studies				MATH120 or 140		
<i>Requirements: 25 credits/8 courses</i>	Course	Credits	Grade	PHYS121		
Natural Science Lab (DSNL)	PHYS121					
Natural Sciences (DSNS)						
History/Social Sciences (DSHS)						
History/Social Sciences (DSHS)						
Humanities (DSHU)	ARCH170					
Humanities (DSHU)	ARCH225, ARCH226					
Scholarship in Practice (DSSP)	ARCH171					
Scholarship in Practice (DSSP) non major						
I-Series				Major Requirements		
Normally double counted with Distributive Studies				<i>Students must earn a minimum grade of a C- in all major courses listed below</i>		
<i>Requirements: 6 credits/2 courses</i>	Course	Credits	Grade	Cumulative average of all major requirements must be at least a 2.0		
I-Series (SCIS)				<i>Requirements</i>	<i>Credits</i>	<i>Grade</i>
I-Series (SCIS)				ARCH170 (DSHU) or ARCH171 (DSSP)	3	
				ARCH200	3	
				ARCH201	1	
				ARCH225 (DSHU)	3	
				ARCH226 (DSHU)	3	
				ARCH300	3	
				ARCH462	3	
				ARCH400, ARCH463	9	
				ARCH Elective 3XX-4XX	3	
				ARCH Elective 3XX-4XX	3	
				ARCH Elective 3XX-4XX	3	
				ARCH Elective 3XX-4XX	3	
				ARCH Elective 3XX-4XX	3	
				ARCH Elective 3XX-4XX	3	
				ARCH Elective 3XX-4XX	3	
				ARCH Elective 3XX-4XX	3	
				Directed Elective 3XX-4XX	3	
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Diversity						
(overlap permitted with Distributive Studies and/or I-series)						
<i>Requirements: 4-6 credits/2 courses</i>	Course	Credits	Grade			
Understanding Plural Soc. (DVUP)						
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Cultural Competency (DVCC)						
Experiential Learning- optional						
(overlap permitted with other requirements/courses)						
<i>Requirements: 0-3 credits</i>	Course	Credits	Grade			
Students must earn a minimum of 120 credits to complete a degree.						
University Requirements for Graduation:						
<input type="checkbox"/> At least 30 credits must be earned at UMD						
<input type="checkbox"/> 15 of the final 30 credits must be earned at the 300-400 level						
<input type="checkbox"/> 12 upper level major credits must be earned at UMD						
ARCH Requirements for Graduation:						
<input type="checkbox"/> 45 upper level credits						
<input type="checkbox"/> UNIV100 or equivalent (if applicable)						