



# ARCHITECTURE

## Transfer Requirements

The following requirements for the major are subject to change without notice. To assure accuracy of the information on this sheet, you should consult with a counselor, the articulation officer, or review articulation agreements via the internet at [www.assist.org](http://www.assist.org).

### ★ IMPACTED MAJOR ★

#### CAREER OPPORTUNITIES:

Architecture applies art and science to the design of the environment. Landscape architecture is concerned with land management, park design, and regional planning.

Certification as an architect requires passing an examination. To be eligible for the license, 7 1/2 years of acceptable education and/or experience must be obtained. Completion of the A.A. degree in architectural technology combined with about five years of experience under the direct supervision of an architect enables a person to qualify for the examination. With a Bachelor's in architecture, experience is reduced to 3 1/2 years. A five-year professional degree of architecture from an accredited school reduces the experience to 2 1/2 years; following a non-accredited program, 3 1/2 years would be required. A Master's degree holder would need only about 2 years of qualifying experience. Before choosing a transfer school, find out how much credit toward the license can be obtained by attending that school.

**Admission is highly competitive and is not assured by completion of recommended requirements. Supplementary admission requirements may include test results, a portfolio and an interview.**

#### ASSOCIATE IN SCIENCE DEGREE REQUIREMENTS

At least 50% of the major requirements for the Associate in Science Degree must be completed at El Camino College with a C grade or higher.

Architecture 100, 104, 119, 150A, 150B, 170, 171, 199; plus 12-14 units from the following: Architecture 121, 125, 158, 172, 179, Environmental Technology 165

#### CALIFORNIA STATE POLYTECHNIC UNIVERSITY, POMONA [www.csupomona.edu/~arc](http://www.csupomona.edu/~arc)

**Architecture:** English 1C; Architecture 150A, 150B, 199 (architecture course credit are subject to portfolio review); Math 170; Physics 2A or 3A (3A has a prerequisite of Math 160 or 190); Communication Studies 4.  
**Highly recommended:** Architecture 104, 170, 171,

**Landscape:** Art 102A or 102B or 102C or 205A or 205B; Art 110;

**Urban and Regional Planning:** Economics 2 or 5; English 1C ; Communication Studies 4

**Note:** Students must apply during the month of November for admission to the following fall quarter. The architecture program is impacted. Please view the following website for impactation information [http://dsa.csupomona.edu/admissions/major\\_impaction.asp](http://dsa.csupomona.edu/admissions/major_impaction.asp). G.P.A. (3.2 minimum) and completion of IGETC or the CSU GE Breadth are important factors. To be eligible the student must have completed a minimum of 8 quarter (or 6 semester) units of ARCHITECTURAL DESIGN COURSES. Students who are accepted into the program and who, based upon transcript review, are eligible for advanced placement are then asked to submit an 8 1/2" by 11" portfolio of their work so that the Department can determine in which year of study each student should be placed. This program admits approximately 20 students; therefore, GPA plays a critical part in the admission process.

#### CALIFORNIA STATE POLYTECHNIC UNIVERSITY, SAN LUIS OBISPO

**Architecture:** Math 190 and 191; Physics 2A and 2B or 3A and 3B; **Highly Recommended:** Architecture 104, 150A, 150B, 171, 172, 199

**Architectural Engineering:** Chemistry 1A; Geology 1; Math 190, 191, 220, 270; Physics 1A, 1B, 1C, 1D

**City and Regional Planning:** Math 130 or 180 and Math 150 or Psychology 9A or Sociology 109; Chemistry 1A or 20; Recommended courses: Art 110, Economics 1 or 5, Law 5, Photography 1, 2, Psychology 8, perspective drawing, architectural graphics, architectural design fundamentals

### **CALIFORNIA STATE POLYTECHNIC UNIVERSITY, SAN LUIS OBISPO (CONTINUED)**

**Construction Management:** **Recommended:** Economics 1, 2; Geology 1; Law 5; Math 150 and 190 and 191; Physics 1A; Business 1B; Chemistry 1A; Engineering 9

**Landscape Architecture:** **Recommended:** Biology 8; Math 150 or Psychology 9A or Sociology 109 and Math 180 or Math 130 and 170

**Note:** The School of Architecture and Environmental Design offers a 5-year Bachelor of Architecture and 4-year programs in other specializations. Students may apply for fall or winter quarter and must complete a supplementary application. Admission is based on a point system with 75% of the points based on academic criteria and 25% based on participation in organizations, athletics, part-time employment, etc. Minimum G.P.A. 3.25 recommended. Credit for Architecture classes granted based upon portfolio review. IGETC and/or CSU Certification highly recommended.

### **UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, BERKELEY**

The College of Environmental Design administers two undergraduate degree programs: Architecture and Landscape Architecture. Both programs of study lead to a Bachelor of Arts degrees. The B.A. degree for Architecture is not a professional degree recognized by the National Architectural Accrediting Board. The Master of Architecture is the only accredited professional degree offered by the department. However, at present the B.A. degree is accepted for partial credit toward licensure in California by the State Board of Architecture Examiners. Students who wish to transfer to the College of Environmental Design are expected to complete extensive, very specific course work at the lower division. Complete 60 units including pre-requisites for the major and breadth requirements with a minimum 3.0 GPA. **Completion of pre-requisites to the major is critical to admission. All pre-requisite courses must be taken for a letter grade.**

**Architecture:** English 1A and 1B; Math 160 or 190; Physics 3A or Physics 1A and 1B

**Landscape Architecture:** English 1A and 1B; Biology 101, 102, 103 or Biology 10; Geology 1 and 3 or 2 and 4 or Physics 1A and 1B or Physics 3A

**Note:** At this time, El Camino College does not have courses comparable to Berkeley's ENV DES 1 or 011A and 011B. Completion of pre-requisites to the major are critical for admission, please consult with a counselor for a complete list of colleges that offer the courses (Cerritos, Orange Coast, and Pasadena are the closest community colleges to El Camino that offers approved prerequisite design courses). IGETC (students must be fully certified) will satisfy breadth requirements for the majors in Architecture, Landscape Architecture, or Urban Studies. Students who do not complete IGETC should refer to [www.assist.org](http://www.assist.org) for the non-design breadth requirements.

For additional information students should refer to the website: [www.ced.berkeley.edu](http://www.ced.berkeley.edu) .

### **UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, DAVIS**

Transfer students are advised to complete as many preparatory courses as possible before enrolling at UCD. Students who wish to major in Landscape Architecture must select "Landscape Architecture (pre-)" on the UC application. A separate portfolio application must be submitted directly to the landscape architecture program. If you are applying for fall term, you may submit your portfolio in February. Contact the Landscape Architecture Advising Office at (530) 754-8628 for details about the portfolio.

**Landscape Architecture:** Biology 101- 102; English 1A or 1B; Communication Studies 1; One course from: Math 150, Psychology 9A, Sociology 109, Math 160, Math 190; One course from: Chemistry 1A, Physics 11, Geology 1

### **UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, LOS ANGELES**

**B.A. Architectural Studies:** The B.A. in Architectural Studies is a two year major offered as a major of concentration of study within the larger liberal arts curriculum beginning with the junior year of residence. The sequence of courses is designed to meet two objectives. The first provides an understanding of architecture and urban design as a humanistic discipline, which includes culture, social studies, and the history of architecture and cities. The second provides at the same time preparation for graduate studies. Admission is highly competitive and only a limited number of students will be admitted each fall. Transfer students will be required to enroll in the full two year major sequence regardless of the number of years already spent in undergraduate studies prior to admission as an architectural studies major.

**Preparation for the major:** Two courses in the history of architecture (Prehistory-Mannerism and 1600-the Present), and one introduction to architectural studies course. Most transfer applicants will be required to complete these preparatory courses at UCLA.

**UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, LOS ANGELES (CONTINUED)**

**Admission requirements:** 1) Applicants must have a minimum cumulative GPA of 3.0 at the time of applying. 2) Submit a statement of interest detailing the student's reason for wishing to pursue a major in architectural studies. 3) Submit a portfolio of creative work by digital upload.

A 3-year first professional degree, (M. Arch. I) is offered for students who hold a bachelor's degree with no prior background in Architecture. (Many applicants, however, have had experience.) Academic transcripts, statement of purpose, and a "creative" portfolio are important.

**Options:** Urban Design; Policy Programming, and Evaluation; Technology; Design Theory and Methods; History, Analysis and Criticism of Architecture

**UNIVERSITY OF SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA** <http://arch.usc.edu/Admissions/UndergraduateAdmissions>

A 5-year Bachelor of Architecture degree program. Students may contact the School of Architecture to schedule an individual appointment (213) 740-2420 or campus tour (213) 740-6616.

**Architecture:** Complete the USC GE pattern, Math 180; Physics 2A-2B or 3A-3B

**Recommended Preparation for portfolio preparation:** Art 110, 130, 210, Architecture 199, 104, 170, 171

**Note:** Fall Admission only. Students must apply to the university and send in a supplemental application with the portfolio to the Architecture Department. February 1 is the deadline for application. Please view the School of Architecture's website about admission and portfolio submission and requirements.

**SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTURE** (SCIArc) [www.sciarc.edu](http://www.sciarc.edu)

A 5-year Bachelor of Architecture degree program. Must transfer a minimum 27 general education units to include English 1A; Math 170; History 140 or 141.

**For Advanced Standing:** 60 units including general education; **Recommended:** Architecture 150A, 150B, 170, 171, 172; Art 160

**Notes:** A transfer student's transcripts, portfolio and work experience will be evaluated to determine placement in studios and seminars. General education requirements can be satisfied at ECC: at least three courses in the Social Sciences and Humanities and at least two courses in the area of Natural Sciences and Mathematics.

**WOODBURY UNIVERSITY**

A 5-year Bachelor of Architecture degree program. GE requirements may be fulfilled by IGETC with the following exceptions 1) complete Communication Studies 1; 2) foreign language not required; 3) All students must demonstrate competency in basic computing skills by passing an examination offered at Woodbury.

**Architecture:** recommended courses: Architecture 104, 120, 125, 150A, 170, 171, 199; Art 110; Math 130 or 180 (students will need to take an additional math course at Woodbury for the majors); Physics 2A and 2B; Communication Studies 1