ACCELERATED DEGREE REQUIREMENTS FOR THE BACHELOR SCIENCE IN ARCHTECTURAL STUDIES AND MASTER OF ARCHITECTURE DEGREES

COLLEGE OF ARCHITECTURE — THE UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA

For Students Entering the Oklahoma State System for Higher Education **Summer 2016 through Spring 2017**

Credit Hours and Grade Average Requirements

Total Credit Hours. **168**
Minimum Upper-Division Hours Required **48**
Minimum Retention/Graduation Grade Point Averages:
Minimum OU Retention GPA **2.50**
Minimum Combined Retention GPA **2.50**
Minimum GPA on all Required Professional Courses **2.50**

Architecture–3 ½ + 1½ Program
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Accelerated Bachelor of Science in Architectural Studies and Master of Architecture

OU encourages students to complete at least 34 hours of applicable coursework each year to have the opportunity to graduate in five years.

A minimum grade of C is required in all major coursework.
All first year courses are to be completed before advancing to the second year unless otherwise approved by the Architecture Division Director.

Year	FIRST SEMESTER	Hours	SECOND SEMESTER	Hours
FRESHMAN	**ARCH 1112**, Cultures of Collaborating, Creating, & Constructing	2	**ARCH 1263**, Methods II - Patterns of Architecture	3
	ARCH 1163, Methods I - Materiality of Place	3	**ARCH 1255,** Design II - Craft & Making	5
	ARCH 1153, Design I - Design Fundamentals	3	**ENGL 1213**, Principles of English Composition (Core I), **or**	3
	ENGL 1113, Principles of English Composition (Core I)	3	**EXPO 1213**, Expository Writing (Core I)	
	Natural Science, with lab-(Core II) from approved Gen. Ed. list	4	**PHYS 1114**, Physics for Non-Science Majors (Core II)	4
	TOTAL CREDIT HOURS	**15**	**TOTAL CREDIT HOURS**	**15**
SUMMER	**P SC 1113,** American Federal Government (Core III)	3		
	HIST 1483 or 1493, U.S. History (Core IV)	3		
	TOTAL CREDIT HOURS	**6**		
SOPHOMORE	**ARCH 2243**, History of the Built Environment I (Core IV)	3	**ARCH 2343**, History of the Built Environment II (Core IV)	3
	ARCH 2363, Methods III - Materials and Form	3	**ARCH 2463**, Methods IV - Sustainable and Resilient Systems I	3
	ARCH 2356, Design III - Crafting Place	6	**ARCH 2456**, Design IV - Materials & Making	6
	MATH 1523, Pre-calculus and Trigonometry (Core I)	3	**ARCH 4133**, Architectural Structures I	3
	TOTAL CREDIT HOURS	**15**	**TOTAL CREDIT HOURS**	**15**
SUMMER	§Open Elective (upper division)	3		
	Social Science - Advised Elective (Core III)	3		
	TOTAL CREDIT HOURS	**6**		
JUNIOR	**ARCH 4233**, Architectural Structures II	3	**ARCH 4000,** Foreign Study (may be taken any semester)	0
	ARCH 4453, Modern & Contemporary Architecture	3	**ARCH 4663**, Methods VI-Urban Design Methodologies	3
	ARCH 4563, Methods V - Sustainable and Resilient Systems II	3	**ARCH 3656**, Design VI-Architectural Making II	6
	ARCH 3556, Design V - Architectural Making I	6	§Open Elective (upper division)	3
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	TOTAL CREDIT HOURS	**15**	**TOTAL CREDIT HOURS**	**15**

Admission to the BARCH or the accelerated MARCH degree program is determined through an application and portfolio review during the spring semester of the third year.

SENIOR	**ARCH 4723/5723,** Methods VII-Advanced Systems	3	**ARCH 5863,** Methods VIII – Building Performance Analytics	3
	ARCH 4756/5536, Graduate Architectural Design III (Capstone)	6	**ARCH 5546,** Graduate Architectural Design IV	6
	ARCH 5333, Advanced Structures	3	**ARCH 5543**, Architectural Theory and Criticism	3
	Non-Western Culture - (Core IV), upper-division	3	**ARCH 6590,** Professional Project Research	3
	Understanding Artistic Forms — (Core IV)†	3	‡Research Elective	3
	TOTAL CREDIT HOURS	**18**	**TOTAL CREDIT HOURS**	**18**
5TH YEAR	**ARCH 5923,** Methods IX-Entrepreneurial Architect and Leadership	3	**ARCH 5053**, Methhods X - Tools of Practice	3
	ARCH 6956, Design IX – Comprehensive Design I	6	**ARCH 6056,** Design X – Comprehensive Design II	6
	‡Research Elective	3	‡Research Elective	3
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	TOTAL CREDIT HOURS	**15**	**TOTAL CREDIT HOURS**	**15**

§Open Elective (9 hours)—Any open elective hours are the student's choice but **may not** include architecture courses.
‡Research Elective (15 hours)—student choice of graduate courses in architecture or related discipline.

University-Wide General Education Requirements (minimum 40 hours)

Courses designated as Core I, II, III, IV, or Capstone are part of the General Education curriculum. Students must complete a minimum of 40 hours of General Education courses, chosen from the approved list, including at least †**one upper-division Gen. Ed. course outside of the student's major.** Courses graded S/U or P/NP will not apply.

Core I	**Symbolic and Oral Communication (9–19 hours, 3–5 courses)** •English Composition–6 hours, 2 courses •Mathematics–3 hours, 1 course •Foreign Language–0–10 hours, 2 courses in the same language, (which can be met by successfully completing two years of the same foreign language in high school) •Other (courses such as communication, logic or public speaking)
Core II	**Natural Science (7 hours, 2 courses)** •Courses must be taken from different disciplines in the biological and/or physical sciences; one of which must include a laboratory.
Core III	**Social Science (6 hours, 2 courses)** •One course must be P SC 1113, "American Federal Government"
Core IV	**Humanities (12 hours, 4 courses)** •Understanding Artistic Forms–3 hours, 1 course •Western Civilization and Culture–6 hours, 2 courses, including HIST 1483 or HIST 1493 •Non-Western Cultures–3 hours, 1 course

Senior Capstone Experience (6 hours, 1 course - *as required by the College of Architecture*)