Master of Architecture: MArch 2+

The MArch 2+ curriculum is a five-semester, advanced placement course of study, beginning always in a fall semester. Students are considered for placement in the MArch 2+ curriculum on the basis of design portfolio evaluation and the extent of their undergraduate architectural studies. Placement in this curriculum is highly selective. The MArch 2+ sequence begins with the final, comprehensive core studio (ARCH 419) and concludes with the Degree Project; parallel course work in each of the five semesters matches that of the MArch 2 curriculum, plus electives selected in consultation with the student's graduate adviser. This 75-credit program leads to a professionally accredited Master of Architecture degree.

Waiver Requirements

Students admitted to the MArch 2+ program have the opportunity to waive the following courses:

Building Systems (ARCH 445)
Structures I (ARCH 447A)
Structures II (ARCH 448A)
Architectural History I: Antiquity to Baroque (ARCH 4280)
Architectural History II: Architecture Since 1880 (ARCH 4284)
Environmental Systems I (ARCH 438)
Environmental Systems II (ARCH 439)

The waived courses will be replaced with general elective credits.

Website:  http://www.samfoxschool.wustl.edu/node/5723

Faculty

For a list of faculty members, please refer to the Architecture faculty page (http://bulletin.wustl.edu/prior/2016-17/grad/architecture/#facultylink).

Degree Requirements

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Note: The requirements below may be revised during the 2016-17 academic year. Please visit our website (http://www.samfoxschool.wustl.edu/node/5723) for the most up-to-date requirements.

Requirements: 75 units

Year 1, Fall Semester:
ARCH 419  Architectural Design III (MArch 3)  6

Year 1, Spring Semester:
ARCH 4284  Architectural History II: Architecture Since 1880  3
ARCH 447A  Structures I  3
ARCH 445  Building Systems  3

Year 2, Fall Semester:
ARCH 511  Architectural Design V  6
ARCH 4280  Architectural History I: Antiquity to Baroque  3
ARCH 448A  Structures II  3
ARCH 439  Environmental Systems II  3
Workshop, Independent Study or Elective  1

Year 2, Spring Semester:
ARCH 611  Architectural Design VII  6
ARCH 580  Design Thinking: Research and Design Methods  3
History + Theory Elective  3
ARCH 439  Environmental Systems II  3

Year 3, Fall Semester:
ARCH 616  Degree Project  6
ARCH 646  Professional Practice I  3
General Elective  3

Total units  75

1  One studio must be comprehensive.
2  May be waived. Any courses waived must be fulfilled as elective credits.

Courses

For a list of available courses, please refer to the Courses (http://bulletin.wustl.edu/prior/2016-17/grad/architecture/#courses) section of the Graduate School of Architecture & Urban Design in this Bulletin.