Architecture Minor

The Minor in Architecture exposes students to fundamental principles of architecture through coursework that integrates design thinking, place making with human behavior and need.

Minor Requirements: 26 credits

Courses used to fulfill the minor requirements must be taken for a letter grade of C- or better or a mark of Pass (P or P*).

Code	Title	Credits
ARCH 201	Introduction to Architecture	4
ARCH 484	Architectural Design (only required for interior architecture and landscape architecture majors) [1]	6
Electives (see table below; any students outside of interior architecture and landscape architecture must take 22 credits of electives)		16
Total Credits		**26**

[1] ARCH 484 Architectural Design is a course that may not be taken by students outside of the Department of Architecture, with the exception of landscape architecture students.

Electives

Code	Title	Credits
ARCH 407	Seminar: [Topic]	1-6
ARCH 409	Terminal Project	1-6
ARCH 410	Experimental Course: [Topic]	1-6
ARCH 430	Architectural Contexts: Place and Culture	4
ARCH 435	Principles of Urban Design	4
ARCH 437	Theory of Urban Design II	3
ARCH 438	Housing Prototypes	3
ARCH 439	Minimal Dwelling	3
ARCH 440	Human Context of Design	4
ARCH 450	Spatial Composition	4
ARCH 491	Environmental Control Systems I	4
ARCH 492	Environmental Control Systems II	4
ARH 314	History of World Architecture I	4
ARH 315	History of World Architecture II	4

It is possible to take other architecture courses and apply them to the minor with the permission of the instructor.

Undergraduates who are enrolled in any major may apply to the minor. Completed applications including a statement of support from the student’s major advisor are submitted to the Department of Architecture office. Applicants must make an appointment with the architecture advisor to discuss their plan of study. Because the department’s first obligation is to its majors, it cannot guarantee availability of courses for minors. Minors may register if space is available after the needs of majors have been met. Space for enrollment in the minor program is limited.