

Architecture - Bachelor of Arts in Architecture

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This pre-professional degree program prepares graduates to enter a professional graduate program to become a registered/licensed architect or to enter an architectural field at a pre-professional level. Miami offers a graduate program that leads to the professional degree Master of Architecture.

First- and second-year courses introduce the basics of architecture and the range of opportunities available in the field. Third- and fourth-year courses focus on advanced architectural design, landscape, and urban design. Throughout the program, you are exposed to the interdisciplinary nature of architecture.

Program Requirements

(88 semester hours minimum)

Code	Title	Credit Hours
Required Architecture courses:		
ARC 101	Beginning Design Studio	5
ARC 102	Beginning Design Studio	5
ARC 103	Shop Methods and Materials	1
ARC 113	Methods of Presentation, Representation and Re-Presentation	2
ARC 114	Methods of Presentation, Representation and Re-Presentation	2
ARC 201	Architecture Studio	5
ARC 202	Architecture Studio	5
ARC 211	Introduction to Landscape and Urban Design	3
ARC 212	Principles of Environmental Systems	3
ARC 213	Graphic Media III	2
ARC 214	Graphic Media IV	2
ARC 221	History of Architecture I	3
ARC 222	History of Architecture II	3
ARC 301	Architecture Studio	6
ARC 302	Architecture Studio	6
ARC 401	Architecture Studio	6
ARC 402C	Senior Studio Capstone Experience	6
History/Theory courses:		9
ARC 321	History of Interiors	
ARC 404	Seminars ¹	
ARC 405	Seminars ²	
ARC 424	Seminar on Modern Architecture in Latin America	
ARC 426	Architecture and Society	
ARC 427	The American City Since 1940	
ARC 435	Theory and History of Landscape Architecture	

ARC 451	Contemporary Architectural Theory and Practice	
ART 311	Chinese Painting History	
ART 314	The Renaissance in Italy	
ART 382	Greek and Roman Sculpture	
ART 383	Greek and Roman Painting	
ART 455	A History of Design	
ART 480	Seminar in Art History	
ART 487	Art of the Early 20th Century	
ART 488	Art in the Age of Revolution: 1789-1848	
ART 489	Postwar to Postmodern, 1945-1980	
Communication Process courses:		2
ARC 404	Seminars ³	
ARC 405	Seminars ⁴	
IMS 319	Foundations in Digital 3-D Modeling and Animation	
IMS 440	Emerging Technology Practicum	
Environmental Systems and Practice courses:		12
ARC 406	Seminars	
ARC 410	Statics & Strengths of Materials	
ARC 411	Structural Design	
ARC 412	Structural Design	
ARC 413	Environmental Systems I	
ARC 414	Environmental Systems II	
ARC 417	Architectural Materials	
ARC 418	Construction Methods	
ARC 419	Materials of Interior Design	
ARC 441	Professional Practice	
Total Credit Hours		88

¹ Students must take ARC 404B or ARC 404Y.
² Students must take ARC 405K or ARC 405V.
³ Students must take ARC 404F or ARC 404Y.
⁴ Students must take ARC 405E or ARC 405V.