# Architecture Four-Year Plan:
Bachelor of Design in Architecture Program
For Students Officially Admitted to the Program in Fall 2019 or Spring 2020 Only
(v. 4-30-19)

## Year One: Pre-Architecture

### Fall Semester
- Arch 1281: Design Fundamentals I  
  (fall only)  
  (Arts/Humanities)  
  4
- Arch 2301: Intro to Drawing in Architecture  
  (may be taken spring term of Year One)  
  4
- Freshman Writing  
  You will be placed in one of the following:  
  Writ 1201: Writing Studio *  
  Writ 1301: University Writing  
  Writ 1401: Writing and Academic Inquiry  
  * If placed in Writ 1201, you must also complete  
  Writ 1301 to fulfill the first-year writing requirement.  
  4
- Liberal Education Requirement  
  (See note in Year One Spring Semester.)  
  3-4
- Total Credits: 15-16

### Spring Semester
- Arch 2281: Design Fundamentals II  
  (spring only)  
  4
- Liberal Education Requirements  
  (See note below.)  
  9-12
- ** NOTE **  
  If applying to the Architecture B.S. program,  
  you must successfully complete the physics  
  requirement (Phys 1101W, Phys 1201W, or Phys 1301W)  
  and math requirement (Math 1142 or Math 1271)  
  by the end of spring term of year two.  
  The math courses may have pre-requisites.
- Total Credits: 13-16

## Year Two: Bachelor of Design in Architecture

### Fall Semester
- Arch 3250: Design Workshops*  
  2-4
- Arch 3411W: Architectural History to 1750  
  (fall only) (Historical Perspectives; Global Perspectives;  
  Writing Intensive)  
  3
- Secondary Core Elective (1 of 3)  
  For course options, refer to your APAS report.  
  3
- Liberal Education Requirements  
  6-8
- Total Credits: 14-18

### Spring Semester
- Arch 3250: Design Workshops*  
  2-4
- Arch 3412: Architectural History since 1750  
  (spring only) (Historical Perspectives; Global  
  Perspectives)  
  3
- Arch 3xxx-4xxx: Architecture Elective (1 of 3)  
  3
- Secondary Core Elective (2 of 3)  
  For course options, refer to your APAS report.  
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- Liberal Education Requirement  
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- Total Credits: 14-17

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* Arch 3250:  
  You are required to take 12-18 credits of Design  
  Workshops. Special permission is required to take more  
  than 5 credits of Design Workshops in a given term.  
  Consult your academic adviser.

### Good Term to Study Abroad/Away
- Total Credits: 14-18
### Year Three: Bachelor of Design in Architecture

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**Important Program Note**

The Master of Architecture (M.Arch.) is the only professional architecture degree offered in Minnesota. Completion of the Bachelor of Design in Architecture degree allows you to apply to a 3-year M.Arch. program. Completion of a professional degree is a requirement for becoming a licensed architect in Minnesota. Contact your academic adviser for further information.

This is a sample plan subject to change prior to the start of Fall Term 2019.