

# Undeclared-Architecture Curriculum

The course breakdown below has been provided ONLY as a guideline for students. Please visit Mississippi State University's Admissions website for official requirements, or contact the School of Architecture directly. (<http://www.catalog.msstate.edu>)

## CURRICULUM OUTLINE for: Undeclared - Architecture Concentration, Transfers, and Change of Majors.

### <sup>1</sup> B. ARCH Professional Curriculum PATH FOR Undeclared - Architecture Concentration

MA 1313 College Algebra      **Note:** The requirements for these math courses must be met prior to beginning the fall semester.  
 MA 1323 College Trigonometry

	FALL			SPRING		
	<b>FIRST YEAR</b>	(ARC 1013) Fine Arts Elective	3		Approved Elective	3
	EN 1103 English Composition I	3		EN 1113 English Composition II	3	
	PH 1113 <sup>2</sup> General Physics I	3		PH 1123 General Physics II	3	
	ART 1213 <sup>3</sup> Freehand Drawing I	3		Social/Behavioral Science Elective	3	
		12 <sup>4</sup>			12 <sup>4</sup>	
				<b>NOTE: SUBMIT SUMMER APPLICATION TO MSU SCHOOL OF ARCHITECTURE. DUE: FEB 15</b>		
	<b>SUMMER</b>	<b>First Term</b>		<b>SUMMER</b>	<b>Second Term</b>	
	ARC 1536	Design 1-A	6	ARC 1546	Design 1-B	6
<b>SECOND YEAR</b>	<b>FALL</b>			<b>SPRING</b>		
	ARC 2536	Design II-A	6	ARC 2546	Design II-B	6
	ARC 2713	Passive Building Systems	3	ARC 2313	* History of Architecture I	3
		Social/Behavioral Science Elective	3	ARC 2723	Materials	3
			12 <sup>4</sup>	MA 1613	Business Calculus	3
					15	
<b>THIRD YEAR</b>	<b>FALL</b>			<b>SPRING</b>		
	ARC 3536	Design III-A	6	ARC 3546	Design III-B	6
	ARC 3313	History of Architecture II	3	ARC 3323	Architectural History III	3
	ARC 3713	Assemblages	3	ARC 3723	Active Building Systems	3
	ARC 3904	* Structures I	4	ARC 3914	Structures II	4
		16			16	
<b>FOURTH YEAR</b>	<b>FALL</b>			<b>SPRING</b>		
	ARC 4536	Design IV-A	6	ARC 4546	Design IV-B	6
	ARC 4313	Architectural Theory	3	ARC 4733	Site Planning for Architects	3
		Approved Elective	3		Approved Elective	3
		Approved Elective	3			
		15			12 <sup>4</sup>	
<b>FIFTH YEAR</b>	<b>FALL</b>			<b>SPRING</b>		
	ARC 5576	Architectural Design V-A	6	ARC 5589	Architectural Thesis V-B	9
	ARC 5493	Architectural Practice	3	ARC 5383	Legal Aspects of Architecture	3
	ARC 5443	Thesis Programming	3	ARC 5353	Philosophy of Architecture	3
	ARC 5623	Theory of Urban Design	3			
		15			15	
<b>TOTAL MINIMUM CREDITS REQUIRED FOR DEGREE</b>						<b>152</b>

#### NOTES:

- ARC courses are only offered in the fall or spring semester as outlined above.
- MA 1313 College Algebra and MA 1323 College Trigonometry are prerequisites for Physics PH 1113 and 1123 General Physics I and II. MA 1313 College Algebra and MA 1323 College Trigonometry should be completed prior to the first fall semester. Students may take these courses at MSU or a community college the summer prior to entering the Architecture program.
  - Options to satisfy MA 1313 College Algebra requirement:
    - Students with a 24 or higher on the math portion of the ACT may satisfy College Algebra
    - Students may take MA 1313 at MSU or a community college the summer prior to entering the Architecture program
    - A College-Level Examination Program (CLEP) test for MA 1313 is available through the Computer-Based Testing Services office on the MSU campus
  - Options to satisfy MA 1323 College Trigonometry requirement:
    - MA 1313 College Algebra is a prerequisite
    - Students with a 26 or higher on the math portion of the ACT may satisfy MA 1323 College Trigonometry
- ART 1213 must be passed with a minimum grade of B. Students receiving a lower grade are required to take ART 1223 Freehand Drawing II.
- This is the minimum number of credits to be considered full time student at MSU. Check with Financial Aid Office for other minimum requirements.

\* NOTE: Speak with the S|ARC advisor about the possibility of taking these courses earlier or after the recommended semesters outlined above.