

ARCHITECTURE STUDIES, MINOR

Requirements for a minor may be completed at any campus location offering the specified courses for the minor. Students may not change from a campus that offers their major to a campus that does not offer their major for the purpose of completing a minor.

Program Requirements

Requirement	Credits
Requirements for the Minor	18

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6 credits must be at the 400-level.

A grade of C or better is required for all courses in the minor, as specified by Senate Policy 59-10 (<https://senate.psu.edu/students/policies-and-rules-for-undergraduate-students/59-00-minors-and-certificates/>). In addition, at least six credits of the minor must be unique from the prescribed courses required by a student's major(s).

Code	Title	Credits
Additional Courses		
<i>Additional Courses: Require a grade of C or better</i>		
Select 12 credits from the following:		12
AA 121	Design Thinking and Creativity	
ARCH 100	Architecture and Ideas	
ARCH 121	Visual Communications I ¹	
ARCH 122	Visual Communications II ¹	
ARCH 130A	Basic Design and Research I (3 credits max) ²	
ARCH 131	Basic Design Studio I ¹	
ARCH 132	Basic Design Studio II ¹	
ARCH 170N	Introduction to Sustainable Architecture	
ARCH 210	Ideas Across Time in Architecture and Urbanism	
ARCH 316	Analysis of Human Settlements: Cities	
ARCH 317	Theory of Modern Japanese Architecture	
Select 6 credits from the following:		6
ARCH 410	Building Material Reclamation & Reuse	
ARCH 412	Integrative Energy and Environmental Design	
ARCH 441	Architectural Design Analysis ²	
ARCH 442	Architectural Design Analysis ²	
ARCH 481	Digital Design Media	
ARCH 496	Independent Studies ³	
ARCH 497	Special Topics ⁴	
ARCH 499	Foreign Studies	

¹ Courses available to Architecture majors only.

² Courses available to Architectural Engineering majors only.

³ Requires instructor approval.

⁴ May require instructor approval.