Department of Architecture

Bachelor of Arts and Sciences in Design+ Curriculum Structure for candidates admitted in 2024-25

Year 1 Semester 1

DESN1002 Representation	6
BASC9001 Approaching Interdisciplinary: Knowledge Beyond Disciplines	6
Common Core Course(s) or elective(s)	18
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Year 2 Semester 1

DESN2001 Material Science and Engineering	6
DESN2002 Data for Interdisciplinary Innovation	6
DESN9002 Sustainable Leadership	6
CAES9121 Communication Course for Architecture Students	6
Common Core Course(s) or elective(s)	6
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Year 3 Semester 1

DESN3001 Design+ Studio 2 – Rationale	6
Common Core Course(s) or elective(s)	24
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Year 4 Semester 1

DESN4001 Design+ Studio 4 – Expertise	12
DESN4002 Law, Innovation, Technology and Entrepreneurship	6
Common Core Course(s) or elective(s)	12
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96	BASc(Design)+ Major Courses
18	BASc Core Courses
12	Language Courses
24	Common Core Courses
90	Electives
240	

Year 1 Semester 2

DESN1001 Ideas	6
DESN1004 Contemporary Issues in Design	6
STAT1016 Data Science 101	6
Common Core Course(s) or elective(s)	12
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Year 2 Semester 2

DESN2003 Research for Innovation	6
DESN2004 Design+ Studio 1 – Ideation	6
CARC9001 Practical Chinese for Architecture and Landscape Students	6
Common Core Course(s) or elective(s)	12
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Year 3 Semester 2

DESN3002 Design+ Studio 3 – Process	12
Common Core Course(s) or elective(s)	18
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Year 4 Semester 2

DESN4003 Design+ Studio 5 – Capstone	12
DESN4004 Interdisciplinary Processes and Applications	6
Common Core Course(s) or elective(s)	12
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Note 1: The course offering semester is for reference only. The department has the final authority to update the course offering semester.

Note 2: Candidates who could not fulfill the exemption criteria of CAES1000 Core University English are required to take CAES1000 Core University English in Year 1 as 6 additional credits to complete their degree studies (i.e. 246 credits in total)