

FACULTY OF ENGINEERING

DEPARTMENT OF ARCHITECTURE

ARCHITECTURAL DESIGN (INTERNATIONAL)

Master of Architecture in Architectural Design (International)
Postgraduate Diploma in Architectural Design (International)
Postgraduate Certificate in Architectural Design (International)
Graduate Diploma in Architectural Design (International)

These regulations are to be read in conjunction with [General Academic Regulations - Postgraduate Taught Degree Programme Level](#).

Admission

1. Notwithstanding the [General Academic Regulations - Postgraduate Taught Degree Programme Level](#) applicants shall possess:
 - i. an Honours degree in Architecture of a university in the United Kingdom; or
 - ii. a qualification deemed by the Programme Leader acting on behalf of Senate to be equivalent to the above.
2. In all cases, applicants whose first language is not English, shall be required to demonstrate an appropriate level of English.
3. All applicants will be expected to submit a portfolio to the satisfaction of the Programme Leader and may be invited to interview.

Duration of Study

4. A minimum period of study of 24 months and a maximum period of study of 48 months shall apply.

Mode of Study

5. The programme is available by full-time study only.

Curriculum

6. All students shall undertake an approved curriculum as follows:
 - i. for the Graduate Diploma no fewer than 120 credits
 - ii. for the Postgraduate Certificate no fewer than 180 credits
 - iii. for the Postgraduate Diploma no fewer than 240 credits
 - iv. for the degree of MArch no fewer than 300 credits including a project

First Year - All students shall follow an approved curriculum amounting to no fewer than 120 credits as follows:

Compulsory Modules

Module Code	Module Title	Level	Credits
AB418	Design Studies 4A	4	20

AB419	Design Studies 4B	4	20
AB420	Cultural Studies 4	4	40
AB421	Special Study Project 4	4	20

Second Year - Students shall follow an approved curriculum amounting to no fewer than 120 credits chosen as follows:

Compulsory Modules

Module Code	Module Title	Level	Credits
AB964	Design Studies 5A	5	20
AB965	Design Studies 5B	5	40
AB966	Special Study Project 5	5	20
AB967	Cultural Studies 5	5	20
AB968	Professional Studies 5	5	20
For the degree of MArch only:			
22900	Project	5	60

Such other modules as may be approved by the Programme Leader.

Examination, Progress and Final Assessment

7. See [General Academic Regulations - Postgraduate Taught Degree Programme Level.](#)
8. In order to progress to the second year of the programme, a student must normally have accumulated at least 120 credits including all the first year compulsory modules.
9. In addition, a student must have achieved a level of performance that is acceptable to the Programme Leader and as detailed in the Programme Handbook.
10. The final assessment will be based on performance in the examinations, coursework, the Project where undertaken.

Award

11. **Degree of MArch:** In order to qualify for the award of the degree of MArch in Architectural Design [International], a candidate must have performed to the satisfaction of the Board of Examiners and must normally have accumulated no fewer than 300 credits, of which 60 must have been awarded in respect of the Project 22900.
12. **Postgraduate Diploma:** In order to qualify for the award of the Postgraduate Diploma in Architectural Design (International), a candidate must normally have accumulated no fewer than 240 credits including all the second year compulsory modules.

13. **Postgraduate Certificate:** In order to qualify for the award of the Graduate Certificate in Architectural Design (International) a candidate must normally have accumulated no fewer 180 credits from the programme curriculum.
14. **Graduate Diploma:** In order to qualify for the award of the Graduate Diploma in Architectural Design (International) a candidate must normally have accumulated no fewer 120 credits from the programme curriculum.