

BA(ARCH) CURRICULUM
(for 2012/13 Cohort onwards)

Programme Requirements		COMMON CURRICULUM						General Programme (No Specialisation)		Design Specialisation		DTS Specialisation		Landscape Architecture Specialisation				UP Specialisation									
		Level 1		Level 2		Level 3		Level 4		Level 4		Level 4		Level 3		Level 4		Level 4									
		Semester 1	Semester 2	Semester 3	Semester 4	Semester 5	Semester 6	Semester 7	Semester 8	Semester 7	Semester 8	Semester 7	Semester 8	Semester 5	Semester 6	Semester 7	Semester 8	Semester 7	Semester 8								
History, Theory, Criticism	Technology & Environment	Urban Studies	Landscape	Management/ Others	Design Lectures	Design	Specialisation Electives (Can fulfill UE)	Intro Art and Design*(1) (4 credits)		Hist Core 01*(2) (4 credits)		Hist Core 02*(2) (4 credits)															
									AR1326 Architectural Construction (4 credits)	AR2521 Digital Modelling & Simulation (4 credits)		AR2327 Architecture Structure & Construction (4 credits)		AR3721 Environmental System & Construction (4 credits)													
								AR1327 Structural Principles (4 credits)	AR1721 Climate Responsive Architecture (4 credits)		AR2723 Strategies for Sustainable Architecture (4 credits)																
										AR2223 Theory of Urban Design & Planning (4 credits)						UD5221 Theory and Elements of UD (4 credits)		UD5221 Theory and Elements of UD (4 credits)		UD5221 Theory and Elements of UD (4 credits)							DEP5102 Urban Planning History & Theory <i>specialisation module</i> (4 credits)
									AR1724 Introduction to Landscape Architecture (4 credits)												LA3201 History & Theory of Landscape Architecture (4 credits)						
												AR3421 Intro to Architectural Practice (4 credits)															
								AR4001 Advanced Architectural Study 1 (8 credits) <i>(in lieu of Design)</i>	AR4002* Advanced Architectural Study 2 (8 credits) <i>(in lieu of Design)</i>	AR4101 Design 7 <i>specialisation module</i> (8 credits)	AR4102* Design 8 <i>specialisation module</i> (8 credits)	AR4103 Architectural & Technology Design 1 <i>specialisation module</i> (8 credits)	AR4104* Architectural & Technology Design 2 <i>specialisation module</i> (8 credits)		LA4701 MLA Studio: Quarter (8 credits)	LA4702* MLA Studio: City (8 credits)	DEP5101 Urban Analysis Workshop & DEP5101A Qualitative Methods for Urban Planning* <i>specialisation module</i> (8 credits)	DEP5103* Urban Planning Studio & DEP5103A Quantitative Methods for Urban Planning <i>specialisation module</i> (8 credits)									
										AR5321 Advanced Architectural Technology (4 credits)	AR5221 Contemporary Theories (4 credits)	AR5321 Advanced Architectural Technology (4 credits)	Technology Elective 1 (Sem 1 or 2) (4 credits)	LA4212 Tropical Plant Identification (4 credits)	LA4301 Material and Design (4 credits)	LA4202 Planting Design (4 credits)	UD5521 Planning Process (4 credits)	DEP5104 Urban & Regional Economics (4 credits)									
										AR5011 Research Methodology Replace by USP Writing & Critical Thinking Module (4 credits)			Technology Elective 2 (Sem 1 or 2) (4 credits)		LA5301 Geo Design (4 credits)	LA5302 Detail Design (4 credits)	MUP Elective 1 (4 credits)	MUP Elective 2 (4 credits)									
																	MUP Elective 3 (Sem 1 or 2) (4 credits)										
USP Curriculum	Foundation Tier (12 MCS): 3 compulsory modules (12 MCS) Inquiry Tier (32 MCS): 4 inquiry modules (16MCS) & Two Architecture Modules* (16 MCS) Reflection Tier (4 MCS): 1 compulsory module (4MCS)																										
Additional Unrestricted Electives students have to fulfill on their own (can be taken any time during the BA(Arch) course of study)	Unrestricted Electives- 8 credits																										
Total MCs	160																										
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*(1) – Select one module – either AR2224 Ideas and Approaches in Design or AR2225 Reading Visual Images

*(2)- Two History & Theory modules selected from a basket: AR2221 History and Theory of SEA Architecture, AR2222 History and Theory of Western Architecture and AR2226 History and Theory of Modern Architecture