



# ARCHITECTURE, B.DES.

UCF SCHOOL OF VISUAL ARTS & DESIGN

The Architecture program is designed to prepare students for a career as an architect and a leader in the design industry locally, nationally and internationally.



## 2+2+2 DIRECT CONNECT

The Bachelor of Design in Architecture program is a partnership with Valencia Community College and the University of Florida, enabling students to complete an NAAB accredited architectural program in Central Florida.

Through the 2+2+2 program, you can complete your associate's degree at Valencia, your bachelor's degree at UCF and your master's degree at UF. It's convenient, affordable and flexible. Every step of your education in architecture can be completed right here in Central Florida. The associate's and bachelor's degree programs are housed at the joint-use University Center on Valencia's West Campus, and the master's program is located at UF's Citylab Orlando in downtown Orlando.

## CAREERS

- Architect
- Interior Designer
- Building Inspector
- Industrial Engineer
- Set Designer
- Architectural Drafter
- Civil Engineer
- Contractor
- Real Estate Appraiser
- Furniture Designer
- Site Planner
- Surveyor



“*The undergraduate architecture program compliments concept oriented pedagogy with professional exposure to prepare students for a passionate and successful career.*”

**Alex Straughn '16**  
Architect, Schenkel Shultz



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## PROGRAM SPECIFIC INFO

### Prerequisites:

- ARC 1201 - Theory of Architecture
- ARC 1301 - Architectural Design I
- ARC 1302 - Architectural Design II
- ARC 1701 - History of Architecture I
- ARC 2180 - Introduction to Digital Architecture
- ARC 2303 - Architectural Design III
- ARC 2304 - Architectural Design IV
- ARC 2461 - Materials & Methods of Construction
- ARC 2702 - History of Architecture II
- ARC 3503 - Architectural Structures
- \*MAC 1114C - College Trigonometry
- \*MAC 1140C - Pre-Calculus Algebra
- PHY 2053C - College Physics I

Grade of "C" or better required in each course.

\*Students may take either MAC 1114C or MAC 1140C.

### Admission Requirements:

Students must be accepted to UCF before applying to the Architecture B.Des. program. Admission is contingent upon completion of prerequisite courses, and applicants are admitted to the program by a competitive ranking process that includes overall GPA, architectural GPA and pin-up review. Visit, [svad.cah.ucf.edu/program/architecture/](http://svad.cah.ucf.edu/program/architecture/) for more information.

## PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS

- Alumni are employed with the following firms: *Baker Barrios, Hunton Brady, HKS, KZP, Scott Cormia, Cuhaci Peterson, Little Diversified, Schenkel Shultz, Jacobs*
- Internship programs allow for professional experience in local firms
- Access to membership in the American Institute of Architecture Students and various networking opportunities
- Community professionals are active as Academic Jurors and facilitators of key courses

The Architecture, B.Des equips students to be competitive applicants at the graduate school of their choice. Graduates of the program have matriculated to the following schools: *UF CityLab, UF Main Campus, Clemson, Harvard, Cornell, University of Michigan, University of Illinois, Berkeley, University of Wisconsin, University of Oregon, University of South Florida, Florida International University, University of Hawaii, Southern California Institute of Architecture*



## APPLY TO UCF

Whether this is your first time in college, or you are transferring from another institution or enrolling from another country, we've streamlined the process to make it as clear and quick as possible.

Apply to UCF online:  
[www.ucf.edu/apply-to-ucf](http://www.ucf.edu/apply-to-ucf)

UCF Undergraduate Catalog:  
<http://catalog.ucf.edu/>

**Admission deadlines vary for freshmen, transfers and international students. Check the website for exact dates.**

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