



University of Idaho

Architecture

Design your world

The University of Idaho Architecture program is your first step toward a career in architecture. We offer a program that explores the built environment and its role in how people live, work and play; and teaches students about the power of architectural thinking and making.

In-depth design studio experiences immerse students in a variety of design exercises ranging from real-world problems to creativity-building architectural speculations. As a graduate, you'll have strong technical skills and an in-depth understanding of how architecture affects people's lives everyday.

Degrees offered:

- Architecture, B.S.
- Architecture, Master of
- Integrated Architecture & Design, M.S.

Earn your bachelor's and master's degree in less than six years

The University of Idaho offers a "seamless" professional architecture program, making it possible to earn an undergraduate and master's degree in as few as five and a half years.



The University of Idaho Architecture program offers the NAAB-accredited Master of Architecture Degree (M.Arch).

Average salary*
\$72,000 to \$95,000

* USD. Based on national average salaries for architects.

Internships

The College of Art and Architecture has strong industry connections providing internship and networking opportunities that are crucial as you establish your career. You'll expand your career and skill set at:

- Art non-profits
- Community centers
- Museums, galleries and libraries
- Public agencies
- Private firms in architecture, interior design or graphic design

Careers

- Architecture designer
- Design/builder
- Draftsperson
- Urban planner
- Building inspector
- Set designer



Global Student Success Program

The University of Idaho Global Student Success Program provides pathways into undergraduate and graduate degree programs in architecture. Both levels allow international students to take university credit courses in a small class environment, with flexible start dates throughout the year (January or August). Upon successful completion of the program students will enter the undergraduate or graduate degree program in Landscape Architecture at the University of Idaho. For more information, including program tuition and fees, please visit uidahoglobal.com.



The winning entry of the "Best Use of Idaho Wood" architectural competition. University of Idaho student Ruina Du of Xi'an, China won a first place plaque and \$500.

International faculty

Several of UI's Architecture faculty are from overseas, including:

- Xiao Hu, Ph.D. (China)
- Carolina Manrique, Ph.D. (Mexico)
- Kasama Polakit, Ph.D. (Thailand)
- Leyla Sanati, Ph.D. (Iran)
- Jinchao Yuan, Ph.D. (China)

Popular courses

Bachelor's degree courses:

- Architecture Design 1
- Drawing as Design Thinking
- Global History of Architecture
- Intro to the Built Environment
- Principles of Site Design
- Structural Systems 1 & 2
- Urban Theory

Master's degree courses:

- Design: Vertical Studio
- Eco Urban Design
- Identity and Place in Global Space
- Natural Lighting
- Sustainable Development
- Technical Integration in Design

Academic and English language entry requirements

	Undergraduate			Graduate
	GSSP: 2 Semesters	GSSP: 3 Semesters	GSSP: 3 Semesters Integrated Academic Studies	GSSP: 2 Semesters
Academic qualification	Completion of Year 12 (or equivalent)*	Completion of Year 12 (or equivalent)*	Completion of Year 12 (or equivalent)*	Undergraduate degree
GPA	2.5 GPA	2.0 GPA	2.0 GPA	2.5 GPA*
SAT/ACT required?	No	No	No	No GRE/GMAT required
IELTS	5.5	5.5	5.0†	6.0
Pearson Versant	50	50	46	56
Portfolio required?	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes

*For equivalent academic entry requirements for different countries visit uidahoglobal.com/admission-requirements. † Scoring below <5.0 on IELTS may require more than one semester of ESL. UI regularly reviews its English language and academic entry requirements. This information is correct at the time of printing; however, if there are any changes to these requirements, they will be updated at uidahoglobal.com. Students requiring additional language support will be required to complete an academic English course. TOEFL score may be submitted with application if available.

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