ACADEMY of ART UNIVERSITY®

Architecture Transfer Pathway: Saddleback College

1. Architecture course transfers are based on portfolio review and transcript evaluation.
2. A maximum of 75 units can be transferred to the B.Arch program (or 60 units to the BA program).
3. Courses must be at least 3 units and passed with a grade of C or higher.
4. Block transfer for General Education and Electives with an Associate degree (24 units for B.Arch and 33 units for BA)

Academy of Art B.Arch	Units	Saddleback College	Units
ARH 110 Studio: Concept and Form	3	ARCH 218 Foundation Studio in Architecture	4
ARH 170 Design Communication 1 (Rhino, Illustrator)	3	ARCH 124B Architectural Drawing II	4
FND 113 Sketching for Communication	3	ARCH 42 Descriptive Drawing and Perspective	3
ARH 150 Studio: Space and Ordering	6	ARCH 34 Basic Architectural Design I (pending portfolio review)	3
		ARCH 124C Architectural Drawing III (pending portfolio review)	4
ARH 180 Design Communication 2 (Rhino, Illustrator, InDesign)	3	(if waived by portfolio review, substitute with major course)	
ARH 255 Studio: Narrative and Context		(no equivalent)	
OR ARH 315 Studio: Advocacy and Community	6	(no equivalent)	
ARH 390 Storytelling in 3D (Rhino & Twin Motion)	3	(no equivalent)	
ARH 239 Materials and Methods	3	ARCH 126 Materials and Methods of Construction	3
ARH 240 Site Design & Mapping	3	(no equivalent)	
ARH 320 Structures Wood and Steel	3	(no equivalent)	
ARH 399 Building Information Modeling (Revit)	3	ARCH 121 Advanced Revit & BIM II	4
Liberal Art Courses with Architecture Content	Units	**General Education**	Units
LA 219 History of the Built Env. 1: Ancient to Gothic	3	ARCH 12 History of Architecture	3
LA 249 History of the Built Env. 2: Ren. to 1900	3	(no equivalent)	
LA 319 History of the Built Env. 3: 1900 to Present	3	(no equivalent)	
Academic Writing: LA 429 Architectural Theory	3	(no equivalent)	
Urban Studies: LA 449 Urban Design Theory	3	(no equivalent)	
Cultural Influences: LA 292 Programming & Culture	3	(no equivalent)	
Employment Practices: LA 485 Tell Your Story	3	(no equivalent)	
Quantitative Literacy	Units	**Math and Physics**	Units
LA 255 College Math	3	(if waived, substitute with Gen Ed course)	3
LA 271 College Algebra & Geometry	3	College Algebra & Geometry	3
LA 296 Applied Physics	3	PHYS 2A Introduction to Physics	5
Liberal Art	Units	**General Education**	Units
Art & Design Communication	3	Block Transfer for General Education and Electives	3
Liberal Art Elective	3	Block Transfer for General Education and Electives	3
Humanities & Social Sciences	3	Block Transfer for General Education and Electives	3
Historical Awareness	3	Block Transfer for General Education and Electives	3
Elective	Units	**Elective**	Units
Elective 1	3	Block Transfer for General Education and Electives	3
Elective 2	3	Block Transfer for General Education and Electives	3
Elective 3	3	Block Transfer for General Education and Electives	3
Elective 4	3	Block Transfer for General Education and Electives	3
		Total Possible Units (75 max)	**57**

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