



University of Pretoria Yearbook 2016

BHons Architecture Architecture (12242003)

Duration of study	1 year
Total credits	130
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Admission requirements

A candidate for the degree programme Bachelor of Architecture Honours:

- (1) must be a graduate with a BScArch degree or an equivalent university degree;
or
- (2) must have an appropriate recognised tertiary qualification.
Such a candidate may be required, at the discretion of the Head of Department to take:
 - (i) an academic literacy test;
 - (ii) a computer skills test;or
- (3) must have a qualification deemed adequate by the Head of Department in consultation with the Dean and obtain (where necessary) the approval of the Senate, and comply with any other prescribed requirements.

Candidates mentioned in (2) and (3) above may, at the discretion of the Head of Department, be required to be evaluated in prerequisite fields of knowledge and/or register for additional modules for non-degree purposes.

Candidates mentioned in (1), (2) and (3) above,

- (i) should preferably have had practical experience and/or have done and recorded an extended study excursion;
- (ii) are interviewed for selection;
- (iii) must present a portfolio and/or design journal which demonstrates the requisite level of proficiency and competency and is considered a record of their experience within the discipline;
- (iv) are selected on merit.

Please Note: A limited number of candidates are admitted to this programme.

Additional requirements

Also refer to G Regulations G.16 to G.29 and G.54.



Other programme-specific information

The degree is awarded to those students who have obtained the prescribed credits. Those students admitted with conditions must comply with all of these before all the 700 series module credits and the degree are awarded.

Examinations and pass requirements

The minimum pass mark is 50%. A minimum of 40% is required in the examination, with a minimum final mark of 50% to pass. If a module is not evaluated by examination a minimum coursework mark of 50% is required. If the module is not evaluated by coursework a minimum examination mark of 50% is required.

Pass with distinction

The degree is conferred with distinction if students registered for the degree for the first time, complete the degree within the minimum prescribed time and pass all modules with a weighted average of 75%.



Curriculum: Final year

Minimum credits: 130

Core modules

Continuing practice development 710 (CPD 710)

Module credits	6.00
Prerequisites	No prerequisites.
Contact time	2 lectures per week
Language of tuition	English
Academic organisation	Architecture
Period of presentation	Quarter 1 or 2 or 3 or 4

Continuing practice development 720 (CPD 720)

Module credits	6.00
Prerequisites	No prerequisites.
Contact time	2 lectures per week
Language of tuition	English
Academic organisation	Architecture
Period of presentation	Quarter 1 or 2 or 3 or 4

Continuing practice development 730 (CPD 730)

Module credits	6.00
Prerequisites	No prerequisites.
Contact time	20 lectures per week
Language of tuition	English
Academic organisation	Architecture
Period of presentation	Quarter 4

Continuing practice development 740 (CPD 740)

Module credits	6.00
Prerequisites	No prerequisites.
Contact time	2 lectures per week
Language of tuition	English
Academic organisation	Architecture
Period of presentation	Quarter 3



Research project 710 (RFP 710)

Module credits	20.00
Prerequisites	No prerequisites.
Contact time	7 practicals per week
Language of tuition	English
Academic organisation	Architecture
Period of presentation	Quarter 4

Research project 711 (RFP 711)

Module credits	20.00
Prerequisites	No prerequisites.
Contact time	7 practicals per week
Language of tuition	English
Academic organisation	Architecture
Period of presentation	Quarter 1 or 2 or 3 or 4

Research project 721 (RFP 721)

Module credits	20.00
Prerequisites	No prerequisites.
Contact time	7 practicals per week
Language of tuition	English
Academic organisation	Architecture
Period of presentation	Quarter 1 or 2 or 3 or 4

Research project 731 (RFP 731)

Module credits	20.00
Prerequisites	No prerequisites.
Contact time	7 practicals per week
Language of tuition	English
Academic organisation	Architecture
Period of presentation	Quarter 1 or 2 or 3 or 4

Theory component 710 (RFS 710)

Module credits	6.00
Prerequisites	No prerequisites.
Contact time	2 lectures per week



Language of tuition	English
Academic organisation	Architecture
Period of presentation	Quarter 1 or 2 or 3 or 4

Theory component 720 (RFS 720)

Module credits	6.00
Prerequisites	No prerequisites.
Contact time	2 lectures per week

Language of tuition	English
Academic organisation	Architecture
Period of presentation	Quarter 1 or 2 or 3 or 4

Theory component 730 (RFS 730)

Module credits	6.00
Prerequisites	No prerequisites.
Contact time	2 lectures per week

Language of tuition	English
Academic organisation	Architecture
Period of presentation	Quarter 1 or 2 or 3 or 4

Theory component 740 (RFS 740)

Module credits	6.00
Prerequisites	No prerequisites.
Contact time	2 lectures per week

Language of tuition	Double Medium
Academic organisation	Architecture
Period of presentation	Quarter 4

Practical development feasibility 700 (POU 700)

Module credits	2.00
Prerequisites	No prerequisites.
Contact time	20 contact hours

Language of tuition	Double Medium
Academic organisation	Construction Economics
Period of presentation	Semester 1 and Semester 2



Elective modules

Research project 710 (RFP 710)

Module credits	20.00
Prerequisites	No prerequisites.
Contact time	7 practicals per week
Language of tuition	English
Academic organisation	Architecture
Period of presentation	Quarter 4

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