

Course Description

ARC1301 | Architectural Design 1 | 4.00 credits

Introductory course to architectural design, its scope, methods and vocabulary interfacing graphics and design as a means towards an awareness and understanding of basic organizational principles. Design concepts analyzed through graphical representation and modeling. Pre/corequisite: ARC1115.

Course Competencies:

Competency 1: the student will demonstrate an understanding of the scope, methods, and vocabulary of architectural design, interpreting and articulating design concepts through graphical representation and modeling by:

- 1. Interpreting design concepts through graphical representation and modeling, demonstrating an understanding of the scope, methods, and vocabulary of architectural design
- 2. Articulating design concepts through graphical representation and modeling, showcasing proficiency in the scope and methods of architectural design
- 3. Demonstrating an understanding of the methods and vocabulary of architectural design by effectively interpreting and articulating design concepts through graphical representation and modeling

Competency 2: the student will apply fundamental organizational principles in architectural design, utilizing graphics and design as tools to develop an awareness and understanding of spatial relationships and functionality by:

- 1. Applying fundamental organizational principles in architectural design, utilizing graphics and design to develop an awareness and understanding of spatial relationships and functionality
- 2. Developing an awareness and understanding of spatial relationships and functionality by applying fundamental organizational principles
- 3. Utilizing graphics and design as tools to apply fundamental organizational principles in architectural design and develop an awareness and understanding of spatial relationships and functionality

Competency 3: the student will analyze design concepts through graphical representation and modeling, integrating architectural vocabulary to express and communicate fundamental principles of design and spatial organization by:

- 1. Integrating architectural vocabulary to express and communicate fundamental principles of design while analyzing design concepts through graphical representation and modeling
- 2. Expressing and communicating fundamental principles of design and spatial organization by integrating architectural vocabulary while analyzing design concepts through graphical representation and modeling
- 3. Analyzing design concepts through graphical representation and modeling, integrating architectural vocabulary to effectively express and communicate fundamental principles of design

Learning outcomes:

- Communicate effectively using listening, speaking, reading, and writing skills
- Solve problems using critical and creative thinking and scientific reasoning
- Demonstrate an appreciation for aesthetics and creative activities