

Courses	Program Learning Outcomes	Exceeds	Meets	Doesn't Meet
LA 123, 219, 249, 319, 429, ARH 210, 255, 315, MP , 350, 410, 450, 498, 510, 529, 550, Final	Conceptual Thinking and Process Communicate conceptual thinking <u>verbally and in</u> <u>writing</u>	 Project design concept is verbalized clearly through the use of precise vocabulary. Written narrative deepens the understanding of the design intent and the design proposal. Written text exhibits a logical flow of thought and original insights. 	 Project design concept is verbalized coherently. Written narrative accurately describes the design proposal. Written text conveys sound reasoning. 	 Project design concept is not explicitly verbalized. Written narrative inaccurately describes the design proposal. Written text lacks logical organization. Written text contains numerous typos and grammatical errors.
ARH 110, 150, 210, 255, 315, MP , 350, 410, 450, 498, 510, 550, Final	Conceptual Thinking and Process Articulate and extend conceptual thinking through <u>diagrams</u>	 Diagrams are used to generate new ideas. Diagrams integrate relevant design criteria in support of a design proposal. 	 Diagrams clarify ideas. Diagrams convey accurate distillations of project design concept, site context, program parameters, or user group research. 	 Diagrams miscommunicate ideas. Diagrams convey irrelevant or inaccurate information.
ARH 110, 150, 210, 255, 315, MP, 350, 410, 450, 498, 510, 550, Final	Conceptual Thinking and Process Develop a rigorous <u>material</u> <u>logic for model-making</u> to test ideas	 Physical study models are used to develop and refine an idea in an iterative process. Model making technique accentuates intrinsic material properties. Excellent craftsmanship in physical models expresses specific materiality in support of design intent. 	 Physical study models are used to discover ideas for a design project. Materiality is articulated in the choice of model material (such as thick, thin, heavy, delicate, etc.) and the technique of manipulation (such as additive, subtractive, stacked, etc.). 	 Physical study models are not used to generate ideas for a design project. Model making technique ignores intrinsic material properties. Poor craftsmanship in physical models hinders communication of ideas.
ARH 150, 210, 255, 315, M P, 350, 410, 450, 498, 510, 550, Final	Conceptual Thinking and Process Produce diagrams indicating critical analyses of relevant <u>precedent buildings</u> or the built environment recognizing the significance to the discipline of architecture	 Precedent analysis exhibits a critique of key ideas. Precedent analysis diagram distills key ideas. Research is thoroughly cited. 	 Precedent analysis diagram is accurate. Precedents selected are relevant to the design project. Research is cited. 	 Precedent analysis diagram is incomplete or inaccurate. Research is not cited.
ARH 315, MP, 410, 450, 498, 550 Final	Conceptual Thinking and Process Develop a <u>design identity</u> which synthesizes critical thought, architectural intent, and urban design strategies by developing decision- making criteria substantiated by research	 Design proposal achieves a distinct and compelling identity synthesizing several design considerations Design project is a compelling response to a clearly stated problem. Design decisions are based on a robust synthesis of research and architectural intent. 	 Design proposal is a unique response to the design criteria considered Design project is a response to a stated problem. Design decisions reference research and achieve some synthesis with architectural intent. 	 Design proposal is generic and lacking synthesis of design intent and site/program considerations Design project is an unsatisfactory response to a problem, or no problem is stated. Design decisions lack synthesis of research and architectural intent. Research is not cited.



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ARH 150, 210, 255, 315, MP , 350, 410, 450, 498, 510, 550, Final	Fundamental Design & Drawing and Making Develop <u>criteria</u> to generate and evaluate an architectural order and formal language	 Selection criteria used to evaluate architectural language are derived from a synthesis of spatial design intent, site context, and program. Evaluative criteria are updated with each new design insight or discovery. Evaluative criteria results in compelling architectural expressions and spatial experiences. 	 Architectural form is derived from an abstract idea, site context, or program. Selection criteria are used to compare different options for architectural language. 	 Architectural form is not explained by the design concept. No selection criteria are used to compare different options for architectural language.
ARH 110, 150, 210, 255, 315, MP , 350, 410, 450, 498, 510, 550, Final	Fundamental Design & Drawing and Making Develop architectural proposals sensitive to the <u>site</u> <u>context</u> in scale and use based on research	 Architectural proposal is well-calibrated to the scale, density, and history of the site context resulting in an improved human experience. Building massing references the human scale. Building proposal benefits the existing site context. 	 Architectural proposal responds to the scale, density, and history of the site context. Site context research is clearly documented. 	 Architectural proposal ignores the scale, density, and character of the site context. Building orientation ignores site context.
ARH 110, 150, 210, 255, 315, MP , 350, 410, 450, 498, 510, 550, Final	Fundamental Design & Drawing and Making Produce <u>architectural</u> <u>drawings</u> with appropriate drawing conventions to convey spatial qualities and design intent	 Legibility of architectural drawings is exemplary. Line weights and line types are correctly used. Floor plans convey a compelling sequence of spaces in support of design intent. Sections convey compelling spatial qualities enhanced by thoughtful use of natural light, appropriately scaled and proportioned spaces, and/or well-articulated materiality. 	 Legibility of architectural drawings is achieved through the correct use of <u>architectural drawing conventions</u>. Line weights and line types are correctly used in most instances. Floor plans convey a sequence of spaces. Sections convey spatial qualities. 	 Legibility of architectural drawings is compromised due to incorrect use of <u>architectural drawing conventions</u>. Line weights & line types are incorrect. Floor plans convey an awkward or unintended sequence of spaces. Sections lack description of spatial qualities. Floor plans and sections do not clearly locate sources of natural light. Floor plans, sections, site plan, or models do not correspond to each other.
ARH 239, MP, 350, 450, 498, Final	Fundamental Design & Drawing and Making Convey materiality in design projects based on an understanding of <u>construction</u> <u>material properties</u>.	 Sophisticated materiality is expressed through careful composition and juxtaposition of construction materials chosen for their intrinsic properties. Different options for assembly of construction materials are compared and the option most consistent with intended materiality is selected. 	 An intention for materiality is indicated in the selection of construction materials chosen for their intrinsic properties. An intention for materiality is indicated in the assembly detail of construction materials. 	- Intrinsic properties of common construction materials are not incorporated into design decisions.



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ARH 110, 150, 170, 210, 255, 315, MP , 350, 390, 399, 410, 450, 498, 510, 550, Final	Fundamental Design & Drawing and Making Construct drawings and models with a high level of <u>craft</u> and attention to detail	 Drawings and models exhibit commitment to excellent craftsmanship. Physical models use model materials and techniques appropriate for scale of representation. Digital representation of building is well- calibrated in scale and materiality in describing intended spatial experiences. 	 Drawings and models exhibit commitment to improving craftsmanship. Digital representation of building exhibits purposefully detailed building components. 	 Drawings and models lack care. Cut surfaces and glued connections in physical models show misalignments and inaccuracies. Digital representation of building is generic.
ARH 110, 150, 210, 255, 315, MP , 350, 410, 450, 498, 510, 550, Final	Presentation Skills Clearly <u>explain</u> and <u>defend</u> design projects in <u>verbal</u> <u>presentations</u>	 Verbal presentation is choreographed with visual presentation for effective communication. Verbal presentation highlights important design decisions. Verbal responses to questions are substantive and thoughtful. Critique is received with humility 	 Verbal presentation is supported by visual presentation. Verbal presentation explains a design logic. Verbal responses to questions defend the design proposal. 	 Verbal presentation is incongruent with visual presentation. Verbal presentation does not explain a design logic. Verbal responses to questions do not adequately defend the design proposal.
ARH 180, 210, 230, 255, 315, MP , 350, 390, 410, 450, 498, 510, 550, Final	Presentation Skills Create presentation boards, slides, and/or printed materials which exhibit <u>logical</u> <u>sequencing and a hierarchy of</u> <u>information</u>	 Sequence of visual information describes the design process in defense of design project. Hierarchy of visual information emphasizes important design decisions. 	 Visual presentation exhibits sequence and hierarchy. Visual presentation uses an underlying grid to organize information. Visual presentation uses white space for emphasis and hierarchy. 	- Visual presentation lacks organization and hierarchy.
ARH 210, 255, 315, MP, 410, 498, 510, 550, Final	Presentation Skills Develop effective visual communication strategies to convey information that build towards an <u>argument</u>	 Visual communication follows a consistent strategy Visually communicated research, analysis, and design investigation validates the design proposal. 	 Visual communication of research and analysis is curated to support the design proposal. Visual hierarchy, format, sequence of information support the design proposal. 	- Visual communication of research and analysis does not support the design proposal.
LA 292, ARH 255, 315, MP, 410, 450, 498, 510, 550, Final	Leadership and Community Demonstrate a commitment to community building and <u>social equity</u> through programming and organization of an architectural project.	 Program and building organization reflects a commitment to address the unmet needs of the users. User needs are researched with equity and ethics in mind. Design project demonstrates an architect's responsibility to work in the public interest and to improve the quality of life for all. 	 Program and building organization responds to the needs of the users. The research of user needs considers social equity. 	 The needs of the users are not addressed in the design project. The research of user needs lack consideration for social equity.

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LA 292, ARH 315, MP , 410, 450, 498, Final	Leadership and Community Demonstrate sensitivity to <u>diverse viewpoints</u> of user groups in the design of a building.	 Research of user groups with different backgrounds and viewpoints is conducted with sensitivity and empathy. Design project demonstrates the ability to design for users with viewpoints different than one's own. Design project promotes finding common ground among user groups with different backgrounds. 	 Research of user groups results in an awareness in diversity of viewpoints. Design project attempts to accommodate users with viewpoints different than one's own. 	 Research of user groups lacks empathy. Design project fails to accommodate users with viewpoints different than one's own.
ARH 315, 350, 410, 420, 440, 450	Leadership and Community Engage a <u>collaborative</u> <u>process</u> in the development of a design, with a range of design and engineering disciplines	 Engagement with professional expertise in relevant design or engineering disciplines is collaborative. Feedback is critically evaluated according to clearly articulated design priorities. Collaborative problem-solving results in integration of architecture and related discipline Lived experiences of users and communities are incorporated into the design proposal 	 Structural engineer's feedback is incorporated into the design proposal Lived experiences of users and communities are incorporated into the design proposal 	 Structural engineer's feedback is not incorporated into the design proposal Lived experiences of users and communities are not considered
LA 292, ARH 315, 410, 450, 498, 510, 550	Integrated Design Conduct a user & programmatic <u>analysis</u>	 User group research is in-depth and involves multiple modes of research. Inventive program relationships are discovered through user group research and program analysis. Program research includes critiques of program precedents. Insights revealed by research result in equitable ways to meet user needs 	 User group research is documented. Program analysis is documented. Program organization is supported by user group research and program analysis. 	 Program analysis is generic and not specific to the intended users of the design proposal Program organization is not supported by user group research and program analysis.
ARH 315, 320, 330, 350, 410, 450, 550	Integrated Design Integrate <u>structural</u> systems into the design of a building	 Structural elements contribute to the architectural identity of the building. Structural elements are dominant space-defining elements. Structural load path pattern contributes to a rich tectonic for the building. 	 Structural spans are coordinated with architectural space needs. Structural load path pattern is consistent with the architectural section. Structural systems are accurately shown in drawings and models. 	 Structural systems conflict with architectural spaces. Structural systems are inaccurately shown in drawings and models.



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ARH 315, 350, 410, 441, 550, 450	Integrated Design Accommodate <u>accessibility</u> and life safety (<u>egress</u>) requirements in the design of a building	 Egress diagrams clearly indicate the continuity of exit paths from all areas of the building to the ground level that includes at least two exit stairs that are separated by an adequate distance Accessibility diagrams clearly indicate equitable means of circulation regardless of differences in ability 	 Egress stairs are shown on floor plans to offer two means of exit from every occupied floor Accessibility is provided through elevators and/or ramps 	 Egress stairs do not offer two means of exit from every occupied floor Elevators and/or ramps are not included in the building