

Master of Architecture in Urban Design
Master of Landscape Architecture in Urban Design
Distributional Electives
2024-2025

MAUD and MLAUD degree candidates must take twelve units from the courses below to inform the design of holistic and responsive urban environments that address contemporary challenges and aspirations. One course must come from the Models of Development list, one must come from the Urban Systems and Forms list, and the third can be from either list. **If a course is on both lists, it may be used for either requirement but may not be counted more than once.**

Courses in **Models of Development** delve into the strategic methods and theories that underpin urban transformation, engaging a range of historical contexts, societal influences, and procedural frameworks. They equip students with essential insights into the imaginative and formative processes shaping urban environments.

Courses in **Urban Systems and Forms** deliver essential analytical and practical tools for urban design. From spatial analysis and environmental considerations to housing dynamics, transportation networks, cultural competencies, technological advances, policy and governance, and economic forces, students gain a comprehensive understanding of the functioning and evolution of cities.

Note: The below list includes approved courses offered in the 2023-2024 academic year.

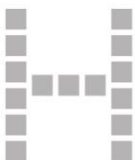
FALL 2024:

MODELS OF DEVELOPMENT

COURSE #	COURSE TITLE	UNITS	TYPE	FACULTY
3241	Theories of Landscape as Urbanism	4	Lecture	Waldheim, Doherty
4384	Building and Urban Conservation and Renewal – Assessment, Analysis, and Design	4	Seminar	Fixler
4488	Making the American City: Form and Society	4	Seminar	Von Hoffman
5204	Real Estate Finance, Development, and Management	4	Lecture	Apeseche, Hamilton, Perlman, Wu
5206	Land Use and Environmental Law	4	Lecture	Kayden
5347	Urbanization and Development	4	Lecture	Davis
5490	Affordable Housing and Community Development	4	Lecture	Curtis
9127	Real Estate and City Making in China	4	Seminar	Wang

URBAN SYSTEMS AND FORMS

COURSE #	COURSE TITLE	UNITS	TYPE	FACULTY
2128	Spatial Analysis (Fall 1)	2	Lecture	Voulgaris
3348	The Idea of Environment	4	Lecture	Spinak
5249	Design for Real Estate	4	Lecture	Love



5326	Housing and Urbanization in the United States	4	Lecture	Stockard, Molinsky
5386	Urban Ethnographies	4	Seminar	Herzfeld
5443	The (New) Image of the City	4	Seminar	Yuen
5452	Constructing Consensus through Collaboration: Stakeholder Management in Real Estate (Fall 1)	2	Lecture	Rodrigues
5495	Urban Economics and Market Analysis	4	Lecture	Meltzer, Barkham
5511	Public Transit	4	Lecture	Voulgaris
6244	Climate by Design	4	Lecture	Whitesides, Conrad
7445	Urban Stack: Practice Methods for a Complex World	4	Lecture	Christoforetti

SPRING 2025:

MODELS OF DEVELOPMENT

COURSE #	COURSE TITLE	UNITS	TYPE	FACULTY
3516	Contextual Capacities	4	Seminar	Stubbergaard
3517	Defining Urban Design	4	Lecture	Busquets
4510	Transition as Condition: Ukraine Research- Urbanism, Environment, Infrastructure	4	Seminar	Blau
5103	Public and Private Development	4	Lecture	Kayden, Hunter
5292	Introduction to Real Estate Finance, Development, and Management	4	Lecture	Hamilton, Hunter
5337	At Home and Abroad: Housing in Comparative Perspective	4	Seminar	Maaoui
5382	Making Participation Relevant to Design	4	Seminar	Tato
5451	Race, Gender, and Real Estate (Spring 2)	2	Lecture	McKinney White
5486	The Gentrification Debates: Perceptions and Realities of Neighborhood Change	4	Lecture	Griffin
5509	Spatial Design Strategies for Climate Migration	4	Seminar	Shoshan

URBAN SYSTEMS AND FORMS

COURSE #	COURSE TITLE	UNITS	TYPE	FACULTY
4374	Cities, Infrastructure, and Politics: From Renaissance to Smart Technologies	4	Lecture	Picon
5XXX	Developing a New Form of Social Housing	4	Lecture	Herbert
5381	Urban Design and the Color-Line	4	Seminar	Gray
5433	Modern Housing and Urban Districts: Concepts, Cases, and Comparisons	4	Seminar	Fu
5455	International Real Estate and Urban Development	4	Lecture	Wang
5460	Uplifting Vulnerable Populations: Community-Informed Urban Design	4	Seminar	McKinney White
5XXX	Urban Adaptation	4	Seminar	Teicher

