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MASTER OF ARCHITECTURE IN URBAN DESIGN AND MASTER OF LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE IN URBAN DESIGN

A candidate will be recommended for the Master of Architecture in Urban Design or Master of Landscape Architecture in Urban Design upon satisfactory completion of the following course of study.

First Term

0 units STU 1221 Pre-Term Workshop (August)

8 units STU 1221 Elements of Urban Design Core Studio 4 units SES 4496 Urban Design Contexts and Operations

4 units SES 5210 Cities by Design

4 units Distributional electives* and/or general electives**

Second Term

8 units STU 1500 Urban Planning and Design Studio Option***

12 units Distributional electives* and/or general electives**

Third Term

Second Year Declaration Pathways:****

Pathway 1:

8 units STU XXXX Option Studio

12 units Distributional electives* and/or general electives**

OR

Pathway 2:

8 units STU XXXX Option Studio

4 units ADV 9204 Preparation for Independent Thesis Proposal for UPD

8 units Distributional electives* and/or general electives**

OR

Pathway 3:

12 units Distributional electives* and/or general electives**

8 units STU XXXX Option Studio (substitute with electives if taken in the spring

term)****

Fourth Term

Pathway 1:

8 units STU XXXX Option Studio

12 units Distributional electives* and/or general electives**

OR

Pathway 2:

8 units ADV 9302 Independent Thesis

12 units Distributional electives* and/or general electives**

OR

Pathway 3:

12 units Distributional electives* and/or general electives**

8 units STU XXXX Option Studio (substitute with electives if taken in the fall

term)****



Footnotes:

- * Distribution Requirements: Distributional Elective Requirements: Students must take a total of twelve units in two subject areas: Models of Development and Urban Systems and Forms. At least four units must be taken in each category. If a course appears on both lists, it can only be counted once.
- ** No more than fifty percent of units may be taken outside the GSD in each term.
- *** Students in their second term must complete an option studio offered by the UPD Department. Jointly offered options studios may not be eligible.
- **** Students in their second year may meet their degree requirements by declaring one of three pathways. A student must complete at least one option studio in their second year. Candidates pursuing thesis in the spring must take an option studio and ADV 9204 Preparation of Independent Thesis Proposal for UPD in the fall term. Students who receive a minimum final grade of "Pass" in both Elements and UPD Option Studio and, at minimum, a "High Pass" in one of the two OR a minimum final grade of "Pass" in all first-year courses and, at a minimum, a "High Pass" in at least three 4-unit degree requirements or distributional electives are eligible to meet their degree requirements by declaring thesis or taking twenty units of courses in either the fall or spring in their final year.

