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The Class Of 2022

ARCHITECTURE

Class Statistics
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Of
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Class of 2022

Admitted: 1282
Anticipated: 456
Enrolled: 306

Academic Admits: 382
Academic Admit %: 84%
Top 10 %: 267
Top 10 % Percentage: 70%

Admitted from Review: 74
Admitted from Review %: 16%

Class Statistics
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<th>Class of 2022</th>
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<td>Average Class Rank</td>
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<td>Ranks in the top 5 in their graduating class</td>
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<td>Perfect SAT / ACT (on 1 section)</td>
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<td>Construction Science (COSC / COSL)</td>
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Department of Construction Science

UNDERGRADUATE PROGRAM
- BED Environmental Design
- BS Construction Science

GRADUATE PROGRAMS
- MARCH Master of Architecture
- MS Architecture
- MS Construction Management
- PhD Architecture
Department of Landscape Architecture & Urban Planning

UNDERGRADUATE PROGRAM
• BED Environmental Design
• BS Construction Science
• BLA Landscape Architecture
• BS Urban Planning

GRADUATE PROGRAMS
• MARCH Master of Architecture
• MS Architecture
• MS Construction Management
• MLA Landscape Architecture
• MUP Urban Planning
• MLPD Land & Property Development
• PhD Architecture
• PhD Urban & Regional Sciences
Department of Visualization

UNDERGRADUATE PROGRAM
- BED Environmental Design
- BS Construction Science
- BLA Landscape Architecture
- BS Urban Planning
- BS Visualization

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- MARCH Master of Architecture
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• PhD  Urban & Regional Sciences
Minors

- Architectural Fabrication and Product Design
- Art
- Art and Architecture History
- Facility Management
- Game Design and Development
- Global Art, Design and Construction
- Global Culture and Society
- Leadership in the Design and Construction Professions
- Sustainable Architecture and Planning
- Urban and Regional Planning

The Business Minor is the most popular minor at TAMU Departments & Programs.
Academic Recognition

Deans List

3.75 GPA for the semester

Distinguished Student

3.5 GPA for the semester

- Must be enrolled in 15 hours (12 if first semester freshman)
- No Q drops
- C or better in every class

ARCHITECTURE Recognition
Academic Recognition

Summa Cum Laude
Cumulative GPA > 3.90

Magna Cum Laude
Cumulative GPA 3.70 to 3.899

Cum Laude
Cumulative GPA 3.50 to 3.699

ARCHITECTURE

Latin Honors
Expected Performance

✓ Enrolled in more than 12 hours

If you fall below 12 hours the College of Architecture will not take any action – however this may impact your financial aid, scholarships, health insurance and auto insurance!
Expected Performance

- Enrolled in more than 12 hours
- Cumulative GPA > 2.0

If you fall below a 2.0 you will be suspended from the College of Architecture with very little chance for readmission.

THERE IS NO PROBATION IN THE COLLEGE OF ARCHITECTURE!
Enrolled in more than 12 hours
Cumulative GPA > 2.0
Making progress toward a degree

Expected Performance
You must be taking courses that are prescribed for your degree and making satisfactory academic progress.

2 back to back semesters below a 2.0 is grounds for suspension!
Students have the opportunity to change major within the College of Architecture several times a year:

- Landscape Architecture, Urban Planning, Visualization and University Studies
  - October 1, 2018, March 1, 2019, & June 15, 2019
- Construction Science
  - March 1, 2019 & June 15, 2019

• You must complete an application and have a TAMU GPA. The departments review the applications and will notify you if you have been accepted.
Lower & Upper Division

All students in the College of Architecture are admitted into lower division. To get to upper division you must do the following:

- Complete a prescribed set of classes
- Meet a program specified GPA and / or portfolio review
- Complete an application

ADMISSION IS NOT AUTOMATIC !!!
YOU MAY BE REQUIRED TO CHANGE MAJORS TO ULTIMATELY GRADUATE FROM TAMU.
All students in the College of Architecture are required to have a semester away experience.

University Studies

*Minimum 5 week faculty led TAMU study abroad.*

- Spain (2)
- United Kingdom (2)
- Germany (3)
- Italy (1)
- China (1)
Semester Away

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- Environmental Design
- Landscape Architecture
- Urban Planning
- Visualization
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   Italy (EDAS & VIST)
   Spain (EDAS)
   Germany (VIST, LAND & URPN)
   United Kingdom (COSC)
All students in the College of Architecture are required to own a laptop computer.

**DETAILED SPECIFICATIONS:**
- A Good Solid Machine

**Things to consider:**
- Weight
- Spare Battery
- Construction

**Software:**
- Only buy software from: software.tamu.edu

There is no open access computing in any College of Architecture Facilities! Carry your laptop with you all day every day!
All students at TAMU pay differential tuition. The rate varies by College.

- 20% is set aside for scholarships (FAFSA required)
- 80% goes back to the Department / College where it is generated to support:
  - Increased summer offerings
  - Reduced class size
  - Support additional international opportunities
  - Enhance laboratory space
  - Replaces all course fees
The state of Texas allows you 6 Q drops during your entire academic career. If you attend multiple Texas institutions, Q drops from one university follows you to the next.

TAMU only allows for 4 Q drops!

✓ **Q drops in 1 hour classes do not count toward the TAMU count but do toward the State of Texas count.**

✓ **If you Q drop a class with a lab - that will only count as one Q drop for TAMU and the State of Texas, as long as they are both dropped at the same time.**
Excess Tuition Charges

If you have more than 30 hours over the number required for your degree, you will be charged excess tuition on every hour past 30. Some of the hours that you took in high school may count toward the excess tuition.

If you repeat a class more than twice, you will be charged excess tuition.
Student Privacy

Student information falls into 2 categories:

- Directory Information
- Academic Information

- Only available to people that have a “legitimate academic interest.”
- Parents **do not** have a legitimate academic interest in their college age children.
- To access this information you need to complete a Certificate of Dependency.
- Do not use your child’s Net ID to access their account and academic information.
All students must sign the Academic Understanding prior to registering for classes. This sets out the basic expectations that are needed to effectively matriculate through the degree program.

- Catalog and Student Rules
- No Probation Policy
- Regular advising meetings
- Residency Requirements
- Checking your TAMU email daily (it is how the University will communicate with you)
- Keeping your local and permanent address up to date
- Semester away
Keys to Success

- This is a very competitive place – you will work harder to make good grades than ever before.
- Keep your priorities in order – academics first
- Be an effective time manager
- Get a study partner
- Be proactive
- Attend every class
- Become an active listener
- Engage in your education
- Work with your academic advisor – they are your new best friend
First Year Seminars

☐ Freshman Success
☐ Shop Safety

And then there the Math Assessment Test and Foreign Language
Students - Registration in Room 4.210 on second floor of the Student Computing Center
Parents - Study Abroad Presentation / Discussion in the ARCC 111

College of Architecture Facilities
Thanks!
Gig’em!
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Welcome to Aggieland!
What's Next?

- Construction Science (COSL)
- Visualization (VISL)
- Environmental Design (EDAL)
- Urban Planning, Landscape Architecture (URPN & LANL)
- University Studies (USAR)