



Arts, Media, and Technology Career and Academic Pathways (CAPs) Program Map: Skills Certificate for Architectural History

Total number of units: 4 units

Top Code/Academic Plan: 0201.00

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Session 1	Course Code	Course	Units	Notes	Notes for Part-time students
Program Course	ARC 130	History of Architecture I	2		

Total Units 2

Session 2	Course Code	Course	Units	Notes	Notes for Part-time students
Program Course	ARC 131	History of Architecture II	2		

Total Units 2

Degree Path and Requirements:

Skill Certificate, Architectural History. Requirements for the Certificate include: 4 Units, two courses. No other course work or LACCD General Education Plan course required. Completion of this Certificate is the foundation for the Associate in Arts Degree, Architectural Drafting.

Visit the [Transfer Center](#) for transfer information, which varies based on transfer college. Make an appointment with a [counselor](#). Students can visit [Career and Job Services](#) for career counseling and further exploration. For additional resources, students pursuing a certificate can visit the [American Job Center of California](#) on ELAC main campus.

Department Advising Notes:

This map was created for students wishing to pursue a Skill Certificate in Architectural History. The Department provides 6 other focused Skill Certificates in Architectural Computer-Aided Design 3D Modeling, Architectural Computer-Aided Design AutoCAD, Architectural Detailing, Architectural Graphics, Architectural Professional Practice I and Architectural Professional Practice II. It is recommended to review the course maps and the course descriptions found in the College General Catalog to determine student interest and associated pathway. These Skills Certificates are the foundation of specific Associated in Arts curriculum and Certificates of Achievement. These certificates assist with the Professional Portfolio and employment opportunities.

Note: This Certificate Map, by itself, are not the preferred or qualified pathway to University Transfer. While some course work will cross over, the University Transfer Pathway is specific to individual Universities and will require counseling with the Department of Architecture Chair.

Note: Course offerings are fairly consistent from semester to semester and year to year.

Program Description

One of Seven Skills Certificate Programs, this 4 Unit Skill Certificate is a focus of Architectural History. These two courses review the history of Architecture from prehistoric times to the beginning of the Renaissance (Arc 130) and the Renaissance to the present (Arc 131). These courses receive UC/CSU credit and meet the requirements of Area C of the LACCD GE. Courses are designed for support of the Associated Arts Degrees and University Transfer.

Career and Transfer Opportunities

The Architectural History courses provide students of architecture reflective knowledge of the historical development of architecture to assist in their own design courses. This curriculum provides historical context of the influences that have shaped the history of architecture: Geographical, geological, climatic, religious, social and historical. These courses are necessary for design course success and not meant as a stand-alone skill for employment. This Skill Certificate is designed to supplement Architectural Design courses and the Architectural Drafting Certificate of Achievement as well as the Architectural Drafting Associate in Arts Degree.

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Youtube Videos

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Program Map

A suggested sequence of classes to complete a degree, certificate, or program of study. Students should consult an academic counselor for variations to this plan based on part-time or full-time status, transfer plans, pre-requisites needed, etc.

Prerequisite Course

A specific course that must be completed before advancing to the next course.

Check the online catalog at elac.edu for the latest and most accurate information.

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