

FERRIS STATE UNIVERSITY TRANSFER GUIDE

SCHOOL OF ARCHITECTURE

ARCHITECTURE – NEW CORE

This transfer guide is based on courses that transfer into Detroit Mercy's Architecture program. Students may transfer a maximum of 96 credits toward a Bachelor's Degree; course grades must be a C or higher. Additional courses not on this guide may also transfer.

This guide reflects the New Core Curriculum effective Fall 2017. Transfer students starting at Detroit Mercy between Fall 2017 and Summer 2021 will have the option to select this New Core or the Old Core. See Transfer Guides indicating "OLD CORE" for prior Core requirements. Detroit Mercy Admissions: admissions@udmercy.edu or 313-993-1245. Website: udmercy.edu

Ferris State University Courses		Detroit Mercy Equivalencies	
Core Knowledge Area A: Communication Skills			
COMM 121	Fundamentals-Public Speaking	CST 1010	Fundamentals of Speech
ENGL 250	English 2	ENL 1310	Academic Writing
			A1
			A2
Core Knowledge Area B: Mathematics/Statistical Knowledge			
Satisfied by program requirement		Quant/Symbolic Reasoning course	B1
COHP 350; MATH 251, 414 and 416; MFGE 341; MRIS 121; PDET 412; PSYC 210; SOCY 371; STQM 260, 322 (Note: MATH 414 and 416 together equal STA 2250)		Choose 1 Statistical/Prob Reasoning course	B2
Core Knowledge Area C: Scientific Knowledge			
ASTR 120, 130, 140, 230; BIOL 101, 103, 109, 111, 121, 122, 205, 321, 322; CHEM 103, 114, 121, 122, 124, 207; GEOG 111, 121; GEOL 121, 131, 221, 321; PHSC 110, 115; PHYS 130, 211, 212, 241, 242		Choose 1 Physical Sciences course	C1
Must be taken at Detroit Mercy		PYC 2650 Psychology of the Environment	C2
Core Knowledge Area D: Religious and Philosophical Knowledge			
PHIL 115	Introduction to Philosophy	PHL 1000	Introduction to Philosophy
RELG 215, 325, 326		Choose 1 Religious Knowledge course	D1
PHIL 120, 203, 204, 217, 218, 305, 310, 315; RELG 215, 325, 326, 370, 371		Choose 1 PHL/RELS Elective course	D2
			D3
Core Knowledge Area E: Essential Humanities			
HIST 121, 122, 151, 152, 201, 211, 212, 251, 255, 257, 258, 277, 285, 309, 310, 315, 331, 333, 334, 341, 342, 351, 352, 360, 363, 370-373, 375, 385		Choose 1 Historical Experiences course	E1
LITR 150, 202, 231, 241, 250, 251, 261, 280, 323		Choose 1 Literary Experiences course	E2
Satisfied by program requirement		Aesthetic Experiences course	E3
Core Knowledge Area F: Ethics and Social Responsibility			
PHIL 216, 220, 316, 320		Choose 1 Ethics course	F1
Core Integrating Theme 3: Cultural Diversity			
AFAM 297; ANTH 122; COMM 365; FREN 101, 102, 201, 202, 280, 301, 302, 331; GEOG 100, 112, 421; GERM 101, 102, 201, 202, 331, 341; HIST 201, 360; HUMN 327; PLSC 331; SPAN 101, 102, 201, 202, 301, 302, 331, 333, 350; SSCI 114		Choose 1 Cultural Diversity course	IT3

MTA Students only:

Transfer students who satisfy the **Michigan Transfer Agreement** (MTA) will have the Core Knowledge Area requirements met. Fulfilling the Core Integrating Themes is still necessary. Students should select courses that meet both the MTA and program specific requirements.

Additional Core Integrating Themes

In some cases, these may be fulfilled by program requirements or other Knowledge Area courses. See a Detroit Mercy advisor for a defined list of approved courses and more information.	Additional Integrating Themes IT1, IT2, IT4, IT5, IT6
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These courses fulfill requirements for Detroit Mercy's Architecture program:

Ferris State University Courses	Detroit Mercy Equivalencies
*ARCH 101 Architectural Graphics AND *ARTS 101 Basic Art	ARCH 1110 Visual Communications
ARCH 112 Structure Material-System-Code	ARCH 2130 Principles of Structural Behavior
ARCH 115 Interior Exterior Finishes – Sys AND ARCH 204 Architectural Detailing	ARCH 2150 Construction I AND ARCH 2250 Construction II
ARCH 241 Design Principles	ARCH 1190 Introduction to Architecture I AND ARCH 1290 Introduction to Architecture II
ARCH 244 Architectural History 1 AND ARCH 245 Architectural History 2	ARCH 2120 Architectural History and Theory I AND ARCH 2220 Architectural History and Theory II
*ARCH 341 Architectural Design 1	ARCH 1100 Architectural Design I
*ARCH 342 Architectural Design 2	ARCH 1200 Architectural Design II
*ARCH 350 Site Design	ARCH 2190 Site Analysis and Design
ARCH 361 Environmental Systems 1	ARCH 2140 Ecological Design
ARCH 362 Environmental Systems 2	ARCH 2440 Environmental Technology II
*ARCH 441 Architectural Design 3	ARCH 1300 Architectural Design III
*ARCH 499 Architectural Design 4	ARCH 1400 Architectural Design IV
HVAC 337 Mech-Elec Systems for Building	ARCH 2340 Environmental Technology I
MATH 115 AND MATH 120 OR MATH 116 Intermediate Algebra – Num Trig	MTH 1400 Elementary Functions

* **Transfer credit for these marked courses is not automatic.** Transfer credit will be determined after a portfolio of the student's work from the course is reviewed by an advisor in Detroit Mercy's School of Architecture. If transfer credit is not granted for the equivalent course, elective credit toward your degree may be awarded.

ENTRANCE REQUIREMENTS

- Generally, a 3.0 GPA at Ferris State University (and/or other accredited institutions) is necessary for admission. We encourage you to meet with a Detroit Mercy School of Architecture administrator to discuss individual curriculum plans.
- If less than 24 credits have been earned, a student's high school transcript is required.
- Apply for admission to Detroit Mercy at udmercy.edu/admission/apply – the application is free.

Contact the Transfer Team if you have any questions: transferteam@udmercy.edu or 313-993-1940.