INTEGRATED PATH TO ARCHITECTURAL LICENSURE (IPAL)

The online IPAL Master of Architecture program is designed for architecture professionals seeking an accredited professional degree and Licensure that qualifies for National Council of Architectural Registration Boards (NCARB) certification. It requires a Bachelor of Science in Architectural Studies or its equivalent. If your degree counted as a pre-professional degree in architecture, it is acceptable for application to this program. A minimum grade point average of 2.7 in the last 60 hours of undergraduate work is required. To apply for the online Master of Architecture program, you will need to visit the IPAL Graduate Admissions website and apply to SIU. A PDF portfolio file, 2000 AXP hours, and a statement of intent are required to be submitted to the School of Architecture. Check out the program admission page for more detailed information on other requirements for this program.

Course and Title	Sem. Hours	Course and Title	Sem. Hours
FALL I SEMESTER		**WINTER INTERSESSION I**	
ARC 500: Research Methods	3.0	ARC 594: Programming & Analysis	1.0
ARC 550: Regional Studio	6.0		
ARC 591: Professional Practice I (separate IPAL section)	3.0		
TOTAL	**12.0**	**TOTAL**	**1.0**
SPRING I SEMESTER		**SUMMER INTERSESSION I**	
ARC 551: Comprehensive Studio	6.0	ARC 595: Project Planning + Design	1.0
ARC 592: Professional Practice II (separate IPAL section)	3.0		
TOTAL	**9.0**	**TOTAL**	**1.0**
SUMMER I BREAK		**FALL II SEMESTER**	
→ **To take ARE exams for ARC 591, 592, 594 & 595**		ARC 532: Global Traditions	3.0
		ARC 552: Thesis I	6.0
		TOTAL	**9.0**
WINTER INTERSESSION II		**SPRING SEMESTER II**	
ARC 596: Programming Development + Documentation	1.0	ARC 541: Energy & Systems	3.0
		ARC 554: Thesis II	6.0
TOTAL	**1.0**	**TOTAL**	**9.0**
SUMMER INTERSESSION II		**SUMMER II BREAK**	
ARC 597: Construction + Evaluation	1.0	→ **To take ARE exams for ARC 596 & 597**	
TOTAL	**1.0**		

PROGRAM TOTALS: 43 CREDIT HOURS
3,740 AXP HOURS