

**REQUIREMENTS FOR THE MASTER OF URBAN DESIGN**  
**CHRISTOPHER C. GIBBS COLLEGE OF ARCHITECTURE**  
**THE UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA**

| Academic Year   |
|---|
| For Students Entering the Oklahoma State System for Higher Education<br>Summer 2023 through Spring 2024 |

| General Requirements                   |    |
|--|----|
| Minimum Total Hours (Thesis) .....     | 32 |
| Minimum Total Hours (Non-Thesis) ..... | 32 |

| Program                |
|------------------------|
| Urban Design           |
| M865                   |
| Master of Urban Design |

**REQUIRED COURSES**

| Code  | Title   | Credit Hours |
|---|---|--------------|
| <b>Core Courses</b>   |   |              |
| ARCH 6590   | Professional Project Research                       | 3            |
| ARCH 6680   | Urban Design Studio                                 | 3            |
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| <b>Professional Electives</b>   |   |              |
| Choose 9 hours  |   | 9            |
| <b>Electives</b>  |   |              |
| Choose at least eight hours of other electives as approved by director of the program |   | 8            |
| <b>Project/Thesis Research</b>  |   |              |
| Choose one of the following:  |   | 6            |
| ARCH 6690   | Professional Project (Non-Thesis students)          |              |
| ARCH 5980   | Research for Master's Thesis (Thesis students only) |              |
| <b>Total Credit Hours</b>   |   | <b>32</b>    |

**PROFESSIONAL ELECTIVES**

| Code      | Title   | Credit Hours |
|-----------|---|--------------|
| ARCH 5713 | Real Estate Fundamentals                                      | 3            |
| ARCH 5743 | Legal Framework for Design                                    | 3            |
| ARCH 5763 | Landscape Architecture for Architects                         | 3            |
| ARCH 5990 | Special Studies in Architecture                               | 1-6          |
| ARCH 6643 | Urban Design Theory   | 3            |
| L A 5243  | Landscape Architecture Technology: Materials and Construction | 3            |
| L A 5343  | Landscape Architecture Technology: Site Issues                | 3            |
| L A 5923  | Planting Design   | 3            |
| RCPL 5003 | The Global City and Planning Issues                           | 3            |
| RCPL 5203 | Urban Land Use Controls                                       | 3            |
| RCPL 5453 | Public Mass Transportation Systems                            | 3            |
| RCPL 5463 | Geographic Information Systems for Land Use Planning          | 3            |
| RCPL 5483 | Urban and Regional Transportation Planning                    | 3            |
| RCPL 5733 |   | 3            |
| RCPL 5893 | Historic Preservation Planning                                | 3            |

**GENERAL REQUIREMENTS FOR ALL MASTER'S DEGREES**

The master's degree requires the equivalent of *at least* two semesters of satisfactory graduate work and additional work as may be prescribed for the degree.

All coursework applied to the master's degree must carry graduate credit.

Master's degree programs which require a thesis consist of *at least* 30 credit hours. All non-thesis master's degree programs require *at least* 30 credit hours.

Credit transferred from other institutions must meet specific criteria and is subject to certain limitations.

Courses completed through correspondence study may *not* be applied to the master's degree.

To qualify for a graduate degree, students must achieve an overall grade point average of 3.0 or higher in the degree program coursework and in all resident graduate coursework attempted. A student must also have at least a 3.0 in all coursework (including undergraduate coursework if any).

Additional information for master's degree students may be found in the Graduate College Bulletin.

More information in the catalog: (<http://ou-public.courseleaf.com/gibbs-architecture/planning-landscape-architecture-design/urban-design-master-urban-design/>).