

# MASTER OF



Image: *Communal Courtyard*, Rebecca Mallaby (2023)

# ARCHITECTURE

Studying a Master of Architecture sets you up to be an integrated urban professional – an agent of change with the vision to design progressive architecture that responds to the dynamic needs of contemporary society. We provide you with the support you need to thrive at university, as well as the skills you need to succeed as an architect in the contemporary world.

Whether you've completed a bachelor degree in architecture or another field, our accredited Master of Architecture enables you to meet the academic requirements to register as an architect.

## Your next step to become an architect

The Monash Master of Architecture is distinguished by our rigorous and creative engagement with live projects, focusing on challenges facing our urban environments and communities. We set you up with the skills to make a difference.

It is accredited by the Architects Accreditation Council of Australia (AACA) and the Commonwealth Association of Architects (CAA) – the CAA includes 56 member countries.

## Internship unit

Our internship unit will give you a chance to earn academic credit through working in industry for a semester. You'll be able to intern in exciting workplaces, such as architectural firms, government agencies, and research labs.

## Studio-based learning

The Master of Architecture at Monash is built around studio-based learning, which replicates the way many architectural firms operate. You'll work on live projects, engaging with the community or embedded within an architectural practice or research project, designed to set you up for future success after you graduate.

## Travelling studios

You'll have a chance to participate in travelling studios as part of your degree – we take our studios to various locations across the world, as well as Australia. Some countries our students have travelled to are: Korea, Italy, Indonesia, China, Japan, Sri Lanka and Poland.

You'll work in architectural design studios with industry staff in a different cultural context to expand your skills and professional networks. For example, our students have visited our Monash Prato Centre in Italy and worked from locations including the Lottozero design studio and textile laboratory and Fondazione Prada, a cultural institution on the southern edge of Milan. In Seoul, our students have undertaken work on the Hangang Bridge on the Han River and have also participated in the Seoul Biennale.



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**YEAR 1, ENTRY POINT 1**

CRICOS Code: 097034K

Semester 1	Transition architecture studio 1	Positions and dialogues in architecture 1	
Semester 2	Transition architecture studio 2	Transition architectural performance	Positions and dialogues in architecture 2

**YEAR 2, ENTRY POINT 1&2**

Semester 1	Advanced architecture project	*Architectural performance 4: Integrated design	Urban positions and practices
Semester 2	Advanced architecture project	Architectural performance 5	*Architecture communications 3

**YEAR 3, ENTRY POINT 1&2**

Semester 1	Advanced architecture project	Advanced architecture studies 3 or Planning study 3: economics and the city	Ethics in practice
Semester 2	Advanced architecture project	Advanced architecture studies 4 or Art, Design and Architecture internship	Professional practices

\*Please be advised that students completing the Master of Architecture will undertake different units depending on their entry point.

**Two-year program**

If you've studied architecture at undergraduate level, the two-year master's program is for you. This course builds on your undergraduate knowledge to provide you with an advanced understanding of architectural design and research.

**Dedicated master's space**

Our **Master of Architecture students** have access to the master's room, a dedicated student-led space for you to collaborate and work. Conveniently located in the architecture building on campus, this recently renovated space is a place for you to meet, collaborate and creatively solve problems with your fellow students.

**Three-year program**

The three-year Master of Architecture program is designed for students who come from a non-architectural undergraduate degree. The first year of the course is designed to bring you up to speed and give you the confidence and skills to be successful in your degree and architectural practice.

**MADA Now – graduate exhibition**

Your studies will culminate in the final year with a self-directed project where you get to demonstrate your knowledge and learning. You'll get to showcase your work at MADA Now, our end-of-year exhibition. This large-scale exhibition features thought-provoking work from our graduating cohort of emerging artists, curators, architects and designers and is open to the public and to industry, giving you a platform to decide how to communicate and display your work for audiences outside of the university.

**Ever wondered where a Monash degree will take you?**

**Marc Debney**  
Principal, Genton Studio

I found the energy at Monash contagious and the Bachelor and Master programs in Architecture gave me the confidence and the desire to seek out workplaces where I could learn and grow my experience quickly.



Learn more about entry requirements, fees and how to apply.

