

Course progression map for 2026 commencing students

This progression map provides advice on the suitable sequencing of units and guidance on how to plan unit enrolment for each semester of study. It does not substitute for the list of required units as described in the course 'Requirements' section of the Handbook.

F6004 Master of Urban Planning and Design

YEAR 1 Semester 1	UPD4001 Planning project 1: Compact city (12 points) & OHS1000 Introduction to art and design health and safety (0 points)	UPD4301 Urban positions and practices (6 points)	UPD4101 Professional practice 1: Communication and roles (6 points)
YEAR 1 Semester 2	UPD4002 Planning project 2: Expanding city (12 points)	UPD4302 Regulating the city (6 points)	UPD5102 Professional practice 2: Analysis and research (6 points)
YEAR 2 Semester 1	UPD5001 Planning project 3: Transforming city (12 points)	UPD5301 Economics and the city (6 points)	Elective – Level 4/5 (6 points) *
YEAR 2 Semester 2	UPD5002 Planning project 4: Inclusive city (12 points)	UPD5302 Democratic city (6 points)	Elective – Level 5 (6 points) *

A.	Studio practices
B.	Critical contexts
C.	Disciplinary practices
D.	Free electives

Level 4/5 = fourth-year or fifth-year level unit

You must complete at least 48 credit points at Level 5 (fifth-year)

* **Electives:** You are encouraged to deepen your knowledge by taking electives from within the faculty.

www.monash.edu/mada/current-students/course-information/electives

Suggested electives include:

ADA5406 Art, Design and Architecture internship

UPD5500 Independent research project

ARC5401 Ethics in practice

ARC4501/4502/5501/5502 Advanced architecture studies 1-4

MON5750 Monash Innovation Guarantee