

Architecture Options, Planning & Design

Kansas State University

Johnson County Community College Transfer Program to the Kansas State University	Kelsie Johnston, Academic Advisor and Transfer Coordinator
	785-532-5047
College of Architecture, Planning & Design	myapd@k-state.edu
Academic Year 2025-2026	apdesign.k-state.edu

Master of Architecture, Master of Interior Architecture, Master of Industrial Design, Master of Landscape Architecture, or Master of Regional and Community Planning

The College of Architecture, Planning & Design (APDesign) is a selective admission college. A minimum cumulative GPA of 3.00 is required to be eligible for admission, however it does not guarantee admission. Placement is also based on available space. Admission is based on successful completion of all required courses, cumulative grade point average (GPA) and faculty review of an electronic portfolio of work completed in JCCC studios. Applicants must have grades of "C" or better in all non-studio-based courses with grades of "B" or better in studio-based courses. APDesign cannot accept course with a grade of CR or NCR to meet requirements in our degree programs. **All JCCC courses listed in the articulation agreement must be completed by end of the Spring term prior to attending K-State.** Questions regarding JCCC Architecture, contact Jonathan Miller (jmill157@jccc.edu), Chair and Professor.

Apply for Admission: Priority deadline for scholarships through K-State is Dec. 1. The application deadline for APDesign is Feb. 1. Late applications will be accepted only if space is available.

- Apply to K-State (<https://www.k-state.edu/admissions/>) for undergraduate admission. Mark Architecture, Interior Architecture, Industrial Design, Landscape Architecture, or Regional and Community Planning as your intended major.
- Pay the application fee.
- Send official transcripts from all schools you have attended to the University's Office of Admissions, 919 Mid-Campus Drive North, Manhattan, KS 66506. Must include the most recent grades.
- Send an electronic portfolio, as prepared in JCCC courses ARCH 127 and ARCH 292 (Fall) and ARCH 131 and ARCH 140 (Spring) to myapd@k-state.edu. (myapd@k-state.edu)
- Admission decisions will be made by early to mid-March.

Begin in the second year of Architecture, Interior Architecture, Industrial Design, Landscape Architecture, or Regional and Community Planning for 4 years at K-State

Environmental Design Studies is the required first-year program of the professional degrees offered in the AP-Design. This option leads to an accredited master's degree in Architecture, Interior Architecture, Industrial Design, Landscape Architecture, or Regional and Community Planning. The first year Environmental Design Studies program provides an introduction to a way of seeing and thinking about the environments we occupy. The studio introduces the visual and verbal vocabulary employed in the creation, definition and communication of space.

Visit APDesign (<https://apdesign.k-state.edu/>) to learn more about it.

The following coursework taken at JCCC will be used for equivalent requirements in APDesign in the first year for Architecture, Interior Architecture, Industrial Design, Landscape Architecture, or Regional and Community planning degree:



Course Code Code	Course Title Title	Course Hours	Transfer Code Hours	Transfer Title	Transfer Hours
FALL					
ARCH 120	Introduction to Architecture AND	3	ENVD 203	Surv Desn/Plan Comm Dev Prof	1
ARCH 120	Introduction to Architecture	3	ENVD 204	Studio Seminar	
ARCH 127 & ARCH 292	Introduction to Architectural Graphics and Special Topics:	4	ENVD 201	Environmental Design Studio I	4
ARCH 244	Architectural History Before the Modern Era	3	ENVD 250	History of Designed Environ I	3
MATH 171	College Algebra*	3	MATH 100	College Algebra	3
COMS 121	Public Speaking	3	COMM 106	Public Speaking	

Course Code Code	Course Title Title	Course Hours	Transfer Code Hours	Transfer Title	Transfer Hours
Spring					
ARCH 131 & ARCH 140	Architectural Graphics* and Architectural Design*	3	ENVD 202	Environmental Design Studio II	4
ARCH 245	Architectural History: Modern	3	ENVD 251	History of Designed Environ II	3
PHYS 130	College Physics I*	5	PHYS 113	General Physics I	4

Select one of the following?

ENGL 121	Composition I*	3	ENGL 100	Expository Writing I	3
ENGL 119	College Composition I with Review*	5	ENGL 100	Expository Writing I	

Other JCCC Architecture Credit Courses

Course Code Code	Course Title Title	Course Hours	Transfer Code Hours	Transfer Title	Transfer Hours
ARCH 123	Architectural Principles*	3	Elective		
ARCH 210	Design History Society	3	Elective		
ARCH 220	Sustainability in the Built Environment	3	Elective		

Other Required General Education Courses (that may also apply towards AA at JCCC)

Course Code Code	Course Title Title	Course Hours	Transfer Code Hours	Transfer Title	Transfer Hours
ENGL 122	Composition II*	3	ENGL 200	Expository Writing II	3

* JCCC course has a prerequisite or corequisite.

JCCC Course offered in Fall (F) or Spring (S) semester.

^ Studios: Student who are transferring to KSU School of Architecture Planning & Design must take these studios together in the same semester to align for equivalent studio credit.