The purpose of the one-year pre-professional program is to provide preparatory educational experiences for those seeking to apply for admission to another University for the completion of a professionally accredited degree in architecture. The coursework provides an important opportunity for students to explore their interests and level of commitment before applying to an architecture school (but doesn’t guarantee that all the courses will transfer). The courses are met as a foundation for students interested in an architecture program. Students will need to work closely with the school in which they plan to transfer to ensure optimal transferability of coursework.

The Courses below are specifically geared to provide preparatory educational experiences for those seeking to transfer to Southern Illinois University at Carbondale for the completion of a professionally accredited degree in architecture. Upon completion of an approved sequence of courses, students should apply for admission to the School of Architecture preferably by March 1st (for fall admission).

Students who decide not to transfer could apply some courses from the pre-architecture curriculum to the Technology Management major, Construction Management and Design option.

**PRE-ARCHITECTURE CURRICULUM CHECKLIST**

*important to take

___ DS 111 Design Process or DS 220 Design Communications* 3
___ EH 101 Early European Civilization* 3
___ EH 103 Modern European Civilization* 3
___ EN 100 English Composition* 3
___ EN 140 Rhetoric and Critical Thinking* 3
___ MA 133 Plane Trigonometry * 3
___ MA 134 College Algebra * 3
___ PH 120/020 Introductory Physics I* 5
___ SC 105 Fundamentals of Oral Communications* 3
___ AR 100 Drawing I* 3
___ AR 201 Color Composition* 3

Electives:

___ AR 104 Design Foundations 3
___ AH 110 Art History Survey I 3
___ AH 210 Art History Survey II 3
___ CM 126 Computer Aided Architectural Drafting 3
___ DS 104 Intro to Interior Design 3
# EXAMPLE PROGRAM OF STUDY
## Pre-Architecture Curriculum

### FRESHMAN FALL SEMESTER (18 hrs)
- EN 100  English Comp
- MA 133  Plane Trigonometry & MA 134  College Algebra (or MA135)
- AR 100  Drawing I
- DS 104  Intro to Interior Design
- EH 101  Early European Civilization

### FRESHMAN SPRING SEMESTER (17 hrs)
- EN 140  Rhetoric & Critical Thinking
- PH 120  Introductory Physics I
- DS 111  Design Process **OR**
  - DS 220  Design Communications
- AR 201  Color Composition
- EH 103  Modern European Civilization

### SUMMER SEMESTER
- SC 105  Fundamentals of Oral Communications