Advanced Studies in Urban Design

The Department offers coursework in Advanced Studies in Urban Design that prepares urban and regional planning graduate students to be conversant in both design and planning languages and to be able to devise, implement and communicate physical plans and policy to a diverse group of stakeholders. Courses provide students with instruction in the history and theory of urban design, visualization techniques, and physical planning skills and application.

Students are required to complete a minimum of twelve (12) credit hours of urban design related coursework as part of their advanced studies, as shown below.

**Required Courses**

- URP 5881 Urban Design (3 credits)
- URP 5885 Graphics Communications for Urban Planning and Design (3 credits)
- URP 5873 Site Design and Land Use Analysis (3 credits)

Additionally students must complete one of the following courses:

- URP5272 Urban and Regional Information Systems (3 credits)
- URP 5312 Growth Management (3 credits)
- URP 5316 Land Use Planning (3 credits)
- URP5350 Pedestrian-Oriented Communities (3 credits)
- URP 5716 Transportation and Land Use (3 credits)
- URP 5743 Neighborhood Planning (3 credits)

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