

**Annual Update**

**! Section 1: Governing Organization Information**

Section due December 15, 2025

**State Official Institution Name\***

Yale University

State Official Institution Name

Yale University

**State Official Program Name\***

School of Architecture

State Official Program Name

School of Architecture

Type of Institution \*

☐ Public ☒ Not for Profit ☐ For Profit**Is the institution a minority-serving institution (MSI) (check all that apply) \***

- ☐ Alaska Native-serving Institution
- ☐ Asian American and Native American Pacific Islander-serving Institution
- ☐ HBCU
- ☐ Hispanic-serving Institution
- ☐ Native American-serving Nontribal Institution
- ☐ Native Hawaiian-serving Institution
- ☐ Predominantly Black Institution
- ☐ Tribal College or University
- ☒ None of the above

**Degrees the institution is approved to award (check all that apply) \***

- ☒ Master
- ☒ Doctorate
- ☒ Baccalaureate
- ☒ Other

**Institutional accreditation reaffirmation visit information**

**Complete this question using the results of the most recent reaffirmation from the institution's regional/institutional accreditor.**

Institutional accrediting organization \*

☐ Higher Learning Commission (HLC)

- ☐ Northwest Commission on Colleges and Universities (NWCCU)
- ☐ Middle States Commission on Higher Education (MSCHE)
- ☒ New England Commission on Higher Education (NECHE)
- ☐ Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Commission on Colleges (SASCOC)
- ☐ WASC Senior College and University Commission (WSUC)
- ☐ Other

**Date of last reaffirmation visit (mm/dd/yyyy)**

11/6/2019



**Outcome of last reaffirmation visit\***

Accredited

Outcome of last reaffirmation visit

Accredited

**Date of next reaffirmation visit (year only)\***

2029

Date of next reaffirmation visit (year only)

2029

**Contact person completing the report if not the program administrator: Name and Credentials, phone and email\***

Karen Anderson PhD., Associate Provost, kanderson@yale.edu, 203 432 4450

Contact person completing the report if not the program administrator: Name and Credentials, phone and email

Karen Anderson PhD., Associate Provost, kanderson@yale.edu, 203 432 4450

**Section 2: Program Information**

Section due December 15, 2025

**Please verify which of the following degree programs your institution currently offers (check all that apply) \***

- ☐ Bachelor of Architecture (B.Arch.)
- ☒ Master of Architecture (M. Arch.)
- ☐ Doctor of Architecture (D. Arch.)
- ☒ Pre-professional architecture degree (B.A., B.S.)

Program described in this report \*

☐ B.Arch. ☒ M.Arch. ☐ D.Arch.

**CIP Code\***

04.0201

CIP Code

04.0201

Additional locations \*

☐ Yes ☒ No

**Track information**

Type of track (1) \*

- ☐ M.Arch., single-institution, no baccalaureate degree awarded
- ☐ M.Arch., pre-professional degree (degree designed for candidates who have a pre-professional undergraduate degree in architecture not accredited by NAAB)
- ☒ M.Arch., non-pre-professional degree (degree designed for candidates who have an undergraduate degree in a discipline other than architecture)
- ☐ B.Arch.
- ☐ D.Arch.
- ☐ N/A

**Track description (1)\***

The Master of Architecture I curriculum provides disciplined instruction in the fundamentals and contemporary state of architecture in a setting that ensures the flexibility and latitude necessary for students to develop their individual talents and skills.

The school believes that the educational experience of its program is enriched by students who have diverse educational backgrounds and, therefore, embraces students who in their undergraduate education have majored in a wide spectrum of disciplines, from architecture to any of the arts, sciences, or humanities. This program, leading to a degree of Master of Architecture (M.Arch.), is for students holding undergraduate liberal arts degrees, such as a B.A. or B.S., who seek their first professional architectural degree. It typically requires three years of full-time residency to complete the degree requirements.

We categorize our accepted applicants as "hard" architecture background (a non-professional architecture degree); "soft" (an undergraduate degree related to architecture, like environment or planning), and "non" (an undergraduate degree not related to the built environment.) Those with no background begin in our summer Foundations course before 1st year so they enter the regular academic year more prepared to join their more experienced classmates. There is no credit for this program but it must be passed to enter the First Year

The class admitted last year was divided approximately in thirds by these categories. Thus our program would qualify under both M.Arch designations above.

#### Track description (1)

The Master of Architecture I curriculum provides disciplined instruction in the fundamentals and contemporary state of architecture in a setting that ensures the flexibility and latitude necessary for students to develop their individual talents and skills.

The school believes that the educational experience of its program is enriched by students who have diverse educational backgrounds and, therefore, embraces students who in their undergraduate education have majored in a wide spectrum of disciplines, from architecture to any of the arts, sciences, or humanities. This program, leading to a degree of Master of Architecture (M.Arch.), is for students holding undergraduate liberal arts degrees, such as a B.A. or B.S., who seek their first professional architectural degree. It typically requires three years of full-time residency to complete the degree requirements.

We categorize our accepted applicants as "hard" architecture background (a non-professional architecture degree); "soft" (an undergraduate degree related to architecture, like environment or planning), and "non" (an undergraduate degree not related to the built environment.) Those with no background begin in our summer Foundations course before 1st year so they enter the regular academic year more prepared to join their more experienced classmates. There is no credit for this program but it must be passed to enter the First Year

The class admitted last year was divided approximately in thirds by these categories. Thus our program would qualify under both M.Arch designations above.

#### **Track: Total semester credit hours required for graduation by the program in this track (1)\***

114

Track: Total semester credit hours required for graduation by the program in this track (1)

114

#### **Minimum general studies semester credit hours required by the program in this track (number) (1)\***

0

Minimum general studies semester credit hours required by the program in this track (number) (1)

0

**Minimum professional studies semester credit hours required by the program in this track (number) (1)\***

96

Minimum professional studies semester credit hours required by the program in this track (number) (1)

96

**Minimum optional studies semester credit hours required by the program in this track (number) (1)\***

18

Minimum optional studies semester credit hours required by the program in this track (number) (1)

18

**Program length for this track -- Full-time study (1)\***

3 years

Program length for this track -- Full-time study (1)

3 years

**Program length for this track -- Part-time study (1)\***

N/A

Program length for this track -- Part-time study (1)

N/A

Type of track (2)

- ☐ M.Arch., single-institution, no baccalaureate degree awarded
- ☐ M.Arch., pre-professional degree (degree designed for candidates who have a pre-professional undergraduate degree in architecture not accredited by NAAB)
- ☒ M.Arch., non-pre-professional degree (degree designed for candidates who have an undergraduate degree in a discipline other than architecture)
- ☐ B.Arch.
- ☐ D.Arch.
- ☐ N/A

**Track description (2)**

N/A

Track description (2)

N/A

**Track: Total semester credit hours required for graduation by the program in this track (2)**

N/A

Track: Total semester credit hours required for graduation by the program in this track (2)

N/A

**Minimum general studies semester credit hours required by the program in this track (number) (2)**

N/A

Minimum general studies semester credit hours required by the program in this track (number) (2)

N/A

**Minimum professional studies semester credit hours required by the program in this track (number) (2)**

N/A

Minimum professional studies semester credit hours required by the program in this track (number) (2)

N/A

**Minimum optional studies semester credit hours required by the program in this track (number) (2)**

N/A

Minimum optional studies semester credit hours required by the program in this track (number) (2)

N/A

**Program length for this track -- Full-time study (2)**

N/A

Program length for this track -- Full-time study (2)

N/A

**Program length for this track -- Part-time study (2)**

N/A

Program length for this track -- Part-time study (2)

N/A

Type of track (3)

- ☐ M.Arch., single-institution, no baccalaureate degree awarded
- ☒ M.Arch., pre-professional degree (degree designed for candidates who have a pre-professional undergraduate degree in architecture not accredited by NAAB)
- ☐ M.Arch., non-pre-professional degree (degree designed for candidates who have an undergraduate degree in a discipline other than architecture)
- ☐ B.Arch.
- ☐ D.Arch.
- ☐ N/A

**Track description (3)**

N/A

Track description (3)

N/A

**Track: Total semester credit hours required for graduation by the program in this track (3)**

N/A

Track: Total semester credit hours required for graduation by the program in this track (3)

N/A

**Minimum general studies semester credit hours required by the program in this track (number) (3)**

N/A

Minimum general studies semester credit hours required by the program in this track (number) (3)

N/A

**Minimum professional studies semester credit hours required by the program in this track (number) (3)**

N/A

Minimum professional studies semester credit hours required by the program in this track (number) (3)



N/A

**Minimum optional studies semester credit hours required by the program in this track (number) (3)**

N/A

Minimum optional studies semester credit hours required by the program in this track (number) (3)

N/A

**Program length for this track -- Full-time study (3)**

N/A

Program length for this track -- Full-time study (3)

N/A

**Program length for this track -- Part-time study (3)**

N/A

Program length for this track -- Part-time study (3)

N/A

Type of track (4)

- ☐ M.Arch., single-institution, no baccalaureate degree awarded
- ☐ M.Arch., pre-professional degree (degree designed for candidates who have a pre-professional undergraduate degree in architecture not accredited by NAAB)
- ☐ M.Arch., non-pre-professional degree (degree designed for candidates who have an undergraduate degree in a discipline other than architecture)
- ☐ B.Arch.
- ☐ D.Arch.
- ☒ N/A

**Track description (4)**

N/A

Track description (4)

N/A

**Track: Total semester credit hours required for graduation by the program in this track (4)**

N/A

Track: Total semester credit hours required for graduation by the program in this track (4)

N/A

**Minimum general studies semester credit hours required by the program in this track (number) (4)**

N/A

Minimum general studies semester credit hours required by the program in this track (number) (4)

N/A

**Minimum professional studies semester credit hours required by the program in this track (number) (4)**

N/A

Minimum professional studies semester credit hours required by the program in this track (number) (4)

N/A

**Minimum optional studies semester credit hours required by the program in this track (number) (4)**

N/A

Minimum optional studies semester credit hours required by the program in this track (number) (4)

N/A

**Program length for this track -- Full-time study (4)**

N/A

Program length for this track -- Full-time study (4)

N/A

**Program length for this track -- Part-time study (4)**

N/A

Program length for this track -- Part-time study (4)

N/A

Are you planning to develop another professional architecture degree in the near future? \*

☐ Yes ☒ No**Comments regarding Program Information (Section 2)**

N/A

Comments regarding Program Information (Section 2)

N/A

!

Section 3: Academic Information

Section due December 15, 2025

Select the type of academic term used by the institution (check only one). \*

☐ Quarters ☒ Semesters ☐ Trimesters ☐ Others

Articulation Agreements ☒ This item was intentionally left blank

Community Colleges	
Colleges or universities granting B.A. or B.S. pre-professional degrees	
Colleges or universities granting B.Arch. Degrees	
Other	
Articulation Agreements Total	

Education level prior to entering program. List the percentage of all new students enrolled in the program as of Sept. 1 of the previous academic year who were admitted with each of the following academic backgrounds. Record the highest level achieved only. The total should equal 100%. \* ☐

High school diploma or equivalent	
Associate's degree	
Pre-professional bachelor's degree in architecture	
Bachelor's degree in a field other than architecture	
Bachelor of Architecture (B.Arch.) -- for M.Arch. or D.Arch. programs	
Master's degree in a field other than architecture -- for M.Arch. or D.Arch. programs	
Other	
Total	

Comments regarding Academic Information (Section 3)

Comments regarding Academic Information (Section 3)

**! Section 4: Instructional Faculty**

Section due December 15, 2025

**Full-time instructional faculty \***☐ This item was intentionally left blank

Number of full-time instructional faculty that teach in the professional degree program as of the most recent complete academic year	

**Part-time/adjunct instructional faculty \***☐ This item was intentionally left blank

Number of part-time/adjunct instructional faculty that teach in the professional degree program as of the most recent complete academic year	

**Percent of instructional faculty shared between the B.Arch. and M.Arch. programs \***☒ This item was intentionally left blank

Full-time instructional faculty (%)	
Part-time/adjunct instructional faculty (%)	

**How many full-time instructional faculty have earned the credential listed below as their highest degree? \***☐ This item was intentionally left blank

Doctor of Architecture (D.Arch.)	
Master of Architecture (M.Arch.)	
Bachelor of Architecture (B.Arch.)	
Ph.D./Doctorate in architecture	
M.S. or M.A. in architecture	
B.S./B.A. in a pre-professional degree in architecture	
MFA/BFA	
Doctoral degree in another field	
Master's degree in another field	
Baccalaureate degree in another field	
Other degree type	
<b>Total</b>	

#### List of full-time faculty

**Click on the + to upload a list of full-time faculty (.xlsx or .csv format) teaching in the professional degree program as of the most recent completed academic year. This list should include the following fields: Full name, job title, and email address. \***

✓ **2024-2025 Full Time Faculty - Yale.xlsx**

How many part-time instructional faculty have earned the credential listed below as their highest degree? \*

☐ This item was intentionally left

Doctor of Architecture (D.Arch.)	
Master of Architecture (M.Arch.)	
Bachelor of Architecture (B.Arch.)	
Ph.D./Doctorate in architecture	
M.S. or M.A. in architecture	
B.S./B.A. in a pre-professional degree in architecture	
MFA/BFA	
Doctoral degree in another field	
Master's degree in another field	
Baccalaureate degree in another field	
Other degree type	
<b>Total</b>	

Faculty to student ratio \*

☐ This item was intentionally left blank

Faculty to student ratio in professional studies courses	
Faculty to student ratio in the professional design studio courses	

Faculty Demographics

Full-time faculty by gender \*

☐ This item was intentionally left blank

Full-time Faculty Male	
Full-time Faculty Female	
Full-time Faculty Non-binary	
Full-time Faculty Unknown	
Full-time Faculty Total	

Full-time faculty race/ethnicity \*

☐ This item was intentionally left blank

Full-time Faculty American Indian or Alaska Native	
Full-time Faculty Asian	
Full-time Faculty Black or African American	
Full-time Faculty Hispanic or Latino	
Full-time Faculty Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	
Full-time Faculty White	
Full-time Faculty Two or More Races	
Full-time Faculty Nonresident Alien	
Full-time Faculty Race/Ethnicity Unknown	
Full-time Faculty Total	

Part-time faculty race/ethnicity \*

☐ This item was intentionally left blank

Part-time Faculty American Indian or Alaska Native	
Part-time Faculty Asian	
Part-time Faculty Black or African American	
Part-time Faculty Hispanic or Latino	
Part-time Faculty Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	
Part-time Faculty White	
Part-time Faculty Two or More Races	
Part-time Faculty Nonresident Alien	
Part-time Faculty Race/Ethnicity Unknown	
Part-time Faculty Total	

Comments regarding Instructional Faculty (Section 4)\*

As reported, data not complete.

Comments regarding Instructional Faculty (Section 4)

As reported, data not complete.

Fall census enrollment total \*

☐ This item was intentionally left blank

Full-time fall enrollment data	
Part-time fall enrollment data	
Fall census enrollment total	

Student Demographics

Full-time students by gender \*

☐ This item was intentionally left blank

Male	
Female	
Non-binary	
Unknown	
Total	

Part-time students by gender \*

☒ This item was intentionally left blank

Male	
Female	
Non-binary	
Unknown	
Total	

Full-time students race/ethnicity \*

☒ This item was intentionally left blank



American Indian or Alaska Native	
Asian	
Black or African American	
Hispanic or Latino	
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	
White	
Two or More Races	
Nonresident Alien	
Race/Ethnicity Unknown	
Total Students	

Part-time students race/ethnicity \* ☒ This item was intentionally left blank

American Indian or Alaska Native	
Asian	
Black or African American	
Hispanic or Latino	
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	
White	
Two or More Races	
Nonresident Alien	
Race/Ethnicity Unknown	
Total Students	

Comments regarding Student and Faculty Demographics (Section 5)\*

The University does not categorize students demographically in the way outlined above, and there are several categories the University considers not applicable, so we have elected to leave this section blank. Also, Yale does not enroll students part-time at Architecture.

Comments regarding Student and Faculty Demographics (Section 5)

The University does not categorize students demographically in the way outlined above, and there are several categories the University considers not applicable, so we have elected to leave this section blank. Also, Yale does not enroll students part-time at Architecture.

!

Section 6: Student/Graduate Achievement

Section due December 15, 2025

Retention rate \* ☐ This item was intentionally left blank

Total number of students newly enrolled in the program during the prior academic year	
Total number of students newly enrolled in the program during the prior academic year who returned the second year	
Total retention rate in program	

Optional: Additional information regarding retention rate (for example, explain if the program is a one-year or a transitioning program)\*

N/A

Optional: Additional information regarding retention rate (for example, explain if the program is a one-year or a transitioning program)

N/A

Graduation Rate by Track

Name of track (1)\*

M.Arch I

Name of track (1)

M.Arch I

Advertised length of program completion in years (1)\*

3

Advertised length of program completion in years (1)

3

Graduation rate (1) ☐ This item was intentionally left blank

Number of newly enrolled students who were enrolled on the institution's official enrollment date (census) in the first semester of the program in the Entering Cohort Year	
Number of students in Entering Cohort Year who completed the program/track in less than or equal to 100% of the advertised length of the program/track.	
Number of students in Entering Cohort Year who completed the program in less than or equal to 150% of the advertised program length. This is a cumulative number that should include those who graduated within 100% of the advertised length of the program/track.	
<b>Graduation rate at 100% of advertised program length</b>	
<b>Graduation rate at 150% of advertised program length</b>	

**Name of track (2)\***

N/A

Name of track (2)

N/A

**Advertised length of program completion in years (2)**

N/A

Advertised length of program completion in years (2)

N/A

**Graduation rate (2)** ☒ **This item was intentionally left blank**

Number of newly enrolled students who were enrolled on the institution's official enrollment date (census) in the first semester of the program in the Entering Cohort Year	
Number of students in Entering Cohort Year who completed the program/track in less than or equal to 100% of the advertised length of the program/track.	
Number of students in Entering Cohort Year who completed the program in less than or equal to 150% of the advertised program length. This is a cumulative number that should include those who graduated within 100% of the advertised length of the program/track.	
<b>Graduation rate at 100% of advertised program length</b>	
<b>Graduation rate at 150% of advertised program length</b>	

**Name of track (3)\***

N/A

Name of track (3)

N/A

Advertised length of program completion in years (3)

N/A

Advertised length of program completion in years (3)

N/A

Graduation rate (3) ☒ This item was intentionally left blank

Number of newly enrolled students who were enrolled on the institution's official enrollment date (census) in the first semester of the program in the Entering Cohort Year	
Number of students in Entering Cohort Year who completed the program/track in less than or equal to 100% of the advertised length of the program/track.	
Number of students in Entering Cohort Year who completed the program in less than or equal to 150% of the advertised program length. This is a cumulative number that should include those who graduated within 100% of the advertised length of the program/track.	
Graduation rate at 100% of advertised program length	
Graduation rate at 150% of advertised program length	

Name of track (4)

N/A

Name of track (4)

N/A

Advertised length of program completion in years (4)

N/A

Advertised length of program completion in years (4)

N/A

Graduation rate (4) ☒ This item was intentionally left blank

Number of newly enrolled students who were enrolled on the institution's official enrollment date (census) in the first semester of the program in the Entering Cohort Year	
Number of students in Entering Cohort Year who completed the program/track in less than or equal to 100% of the advertised length of the program/track.	
Number of students in Entering Cohort Year who completed the program in less than or equal to 150% of the advertised program length. This is a cumulative number that should include those who graduated within 100% of the advertised length of the program/track.	
<b>Graduation rate at 100% of advertised program length</b>	
<b>Graduation rate at 150% of advertised program length</b>	

**Job Placement \***
☒ This item was intentionally left blank

Total number of students who graduated from the program in the previous calendar year	
Number of those students who reported their employment status to the program	
Number of those students who reported their employment status to the program that are employed in a position related to architecture	
Number of those students who are employed but not in a position related to architecture	
Number of those students still seeking employment	
Number of those students who will be continuing in higher education	

**Comments regarding Section 6 (optional)**

We do not track career data precisely, so this information is not otherwise available.

Comments regarding Section 6 (optional)

We do not track career data precisely, so this information is not otherwise available.

**! Section 7: Maintenance of Accreditation**

Section due December 15, 2025

To complete "Section 7 Maintenance of Accreditation" scroll up and click on the link "View Accreditation Project" that appears above the Institution Name. Alternately, click on the three horizontal lines and click Accreditation Events to find your Section 7 project.

**Type your name to signify you have completed "Section 7 Maintenance of Accreditation"\***

Phillip G Bernstein

Type your name to signify you have completed "Section 7 Maintenance of Accreditation"

Phillip G Bernstein

**Section 8: Substantive Changes**

Section due December 15, 2025

Changes to the curriculum of an existing program or track for completing the program that affects the admissions requirements of the program (e.g., shifting from a single-institution M. Arch. to an M. Arch. that requires an undergraduate degree for admission). \*

☒ Does not apply ☐ Approved ☐ Submitted ☐ Awaiting decision ☐ Not yet submitted

Changes to the curriculum that effectively split an accredited single-institution program into a multi-degree sequence that concludes with an accredited graduate degree and that may require an undergraduate degree for admission (e.g., changing from a B. Arch. to an M. Arch. that requires an undergraduate degree for admission). \*

☒ Does not apply ☐ Approved ☐ Submitted ☐ Awaiting decision ☐ Not yet submitted

A program change that requires a significant change in pedagogy or the approach to delivering the professional degree (e.g., moving from traditional, on-campus learning to fully online learning). \*

☒ Does not apply ☐ Approved ☐ Submitted ☐ Awaiting decision ☐ Not yet submitted

Programs seeking to convert an existing B. Arch. program to a single-institution M. Arch. program through modest adjustments. \*

☒ Does not apply ☐ Approved ☐ Submitted ☐ Awaiting decision ☐ Not yet submitted

Programs seeking to convert an existing five-year, single-institution M. Arch program to a B. Arch. program through modest adjustments in the curriculum. \*

☒ Does not apply ☐ Approved ☐ Submitted ☐ Awaiting decision ☐ Not yet submitted

Programs seeking to convert an existing M. Arch. program that requires an undergraduate degree (either in architecture or another discipline) for admission to a D. Arch \*

☒ Does not apply ☐ Approved ☐ Submitted ☐ Awaiting decision ☐ Not yet submitted

The addition of new tracks to existing accredited programs. \*

☒ Does not apply ☐ Approved ☐ Submitted ☐ Awaiting decision ☐ Not yet submitted

Consolidating or merging an institution offering an accredited degree with another institution. \*

☒ Does not apply ☐ Approved ☐ Submitted ☐ Awaiting decision ☐ Not yet submitted

Physical relocation of a program in a single institution, with multiple, additional teaching sites or remote sites (e.g., an institution consolidating the professional program at an additional teaching site or from multiple sites to a single location). \*

☒ Does not apply ☐ Approved ☐ Submitted ☐ Awaiting decision ☐ Not yet submitted

Phasing out an existing NAAB-accredited program. \*

☒ Does not apply ☐ Approved ☐ Submitted ☐ Awaiting decision ☐ Not yet submitted

Changes in the accreditation status of the institution. \*

☒ Does not apply ☐ Approved ☐ Submitted ☐ Awaiting decision ☐ Not yet submitted

**Comments regarding Section 8 (optional)**

Comments regarding Section 8 (optional)