

Diploma of Architectural Design

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| 1. | Institution | Design and Arts College of New Zealand |
| 2. | Location | Christchurch |
| 3. | Brief | The course components are design studio, environmental design, architectural draughting, digital communication, computed aided design, freehand drawing, sketching and graphics, construction, laws and regulations, business studies, presentation techniques, contract administration and project management, urban design, history of architecture and art, theory of architecture, critical studies, internship experience. |
| 4. | Duration | 36 Months |
| 5. | Level | 5 |
| 6. | Intakes | January |
| 7. | Entry requirements | Portfolio and interview. High school graduation or completion of Year 12 equivalence is the minimum requirement for all programmes at D&A. Applicants for all programmes except the Foundation Certificate should be at least 17 years old by start date. Adult applications are welcome. Lack of formal qualifications will not necessarily jeopardize selection. |
| 8. | English requirement | Minimum IELTS (academic) score of 5.5 |
| 9. | Documents required (For Admission) | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Five Passport size Color Photographs not more than 6 months old (name of student and passport number should be written on the reverse of the photograph). Passport in original. Statement of Purpose (SOP) for Admission. A brief one Page document that describes your background, what subject you wish to study and why, and also your reasons for choosing a particular institution in New Zealand for your study. All students also have to submit a latest CV. Educational certificates. All educational certificates provided should be in original and a set of copies. <p>The documents to include are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> IELTS scores Class 10 Mark sheet/Certificates. Class 12 Mark sheet/Certificates. Graduation Mark sheet/Certificates. Post Graduate Mark sheet/Certificate. Other courses and Diplomas done. <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Evidence of Employment – Originals and attested copies If the student is working, and taking leave to study, provide an original letter of leave from the employer on company letterhead. If student is resigning from the job, a work reference from the employer on company letterhead is a must. The company's address and phone number must be included on the letter. Two reference letters from professors/HOD/tutors of previous College/university. |
| 10. | Work options (During study) | You would be allowed to work for 20 hrs per week during study and full time during Christmas break. |
| 11. | Outcomes | Architectural designers, freelancing, architectural technicians, CAD operators, draughting, building related work, project management, surveying, interior design, landscape architecture or local government work. |
| 12. | Further Study Pathways | Graduates have gone onto study: Lincoln University, Bachelor of Landscape Architecture; Royal Melbourne Institution of Technology, Bachelor of Architecture; Victoria University, Bachelor of Architecture; Auckland University, Bachelor of Architecture. |
| 13. | Immigration benefits | 50 points(Diploma) + 10 points (Minimum two year study in New Zealand. |
| 14. | Fees in NZ\$ (per annum) | 13500 |
| 15. | Web links | http://www.dac.ac.nz/architectural-design/ |