

AUB_MSFEA_School of Architecture and Design
SoAD Protocol for Part-time Hire

Candidates interested in applying for a teaching position at the School of Architecture and Design to teach part time in any of the programs (Architecture, Graphic Design, Landscape Architecture, Urban Planning and Policy, Urban Design, or related fields) are invited to email a completed application to ard_PT@aub.edu.lb.

The application must contain:

- i) a letter of intent detailing why you are applying to teach in the department, and how you can contribute to its mission statements (found below)
- ii) a detailed CV
- iii) a portfolio of professional work and/or samples of teaching material (course syllabi and copies of student work)
- iv) the names and contact information of two references.

The application should be one single PDF not larger than 15 MB.

Only completed applications will be considered, and consideration is based upon departmental need. You will hear from the department only if you are shortlisted for a position. The deadline for applications is March 31 for the fall semester and October 31 for the spring semester.

Mission Statements:

The Architecture program offers students a first professional degree that qualifies them to practice architecture. The program aims to graduate well rounded intellectuals, critical thinkers and skilled professional architects who are committed to the advancement of the field and the practice, and who have a sense of responsibility for the built environment and the natural resources. Design is approached as a research-oriented process that is culturally grounded, theoretically informed and technically advanced so as to enable graduates to become lifelong learners and to take a leading role in the professional practice both in Lebanon and the region.

The Graphic Design program answers to developments in the profession and the needs of Lebanon and the region as it meets globally required proficiencies. The curriculum focuses on a solid training in the theoretical, practical, and technical aspects of Graphic Design. It is the goal of the program to introduce students to multiple dimensions of design practice, from the commercial and entrepreneurial, to the social and cultural. Students develop an intellectual background, critical thinking, and contribute to the continuum of aesthetical advancements and technological innovations in the field. The program is committed to its involvement in the Arab world and its multitude of languages and cultures. It is the Program's mission to address these issues in a creative teaching and learning environment.

The mission of the Bachelors of Landscape Architecture (BLA) program is to graduate lifelong learners and critical thinkers who adopt a holistic view of the landscape, and who are equipped with interdisciplinary, scientific, and creative skills to start as entry-level landscape architects and to become, with experience, successful professionals serving their communities.

The Masters in Urban Planning and Policy and Masters in Urban Design programs aim to prepare highly qualified, well-rounded professionals who are able to address the multi-faceted issues of urban planning, policymaking and urban design in today's urban environments in Lebanon and the region. MUPP is designed to provide a broad professional education in urban planning. MUD emphasizes the mastery of the design tools necessary for the effective practice of urban design. For MUPP, emphasis is placed on the development of multidisciplinary analytical skills necessary to address contemporary urbanization as well as the mastery of the tools and approaches adopted in the contemporary practice of urban planning and policy making. For MUD, they are also exposed to a multidisciplinary understanding of contemporary urban challenges, and they learn to integrate design tools with policy strategies and institutional analysis, through a studio-based approach. The programs guide students in defining a specific area of expertise within the wider practice of urban planning and urban design and in locating their expertise in relation to other professions in the city.