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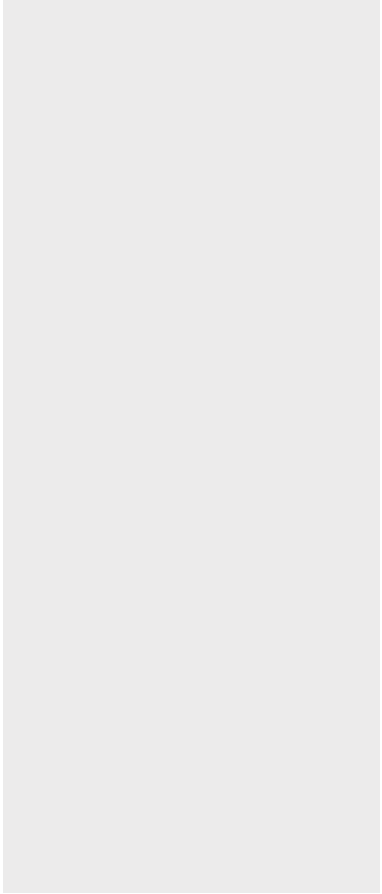
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Welcome to Brno!



Faculty of Architecture, Brno University of Technology
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Brno University of Technology, Faculty of Architecture

The Faculty of Architecture is part of the Brno University of Technology - one of the oldest and largest technical universities in the Czech Republic. Founded in 1919, BUT was one of the first schools in the country to offer a complete course of study in the field of architecture. The number of specialized subjects has multiplied over the years, but architecture remains the focal centre of our programs.

The Brno School of Architecture ranks among the top technical universities in the Czech Republic. Thanks to ongoing reforms we have been able to attract prominent architects to leadership positions at our university. We also have a strong commitment both to professional training and to research. Our curriculum and philosophy stress the necessity of analyzing and challenging the underlying history, premises, and various directions in the design profession.

Our graduates are prepared for work in architectural offices and other institutions in the fields of built environment, architecture and urban planning. They are competent to work on projects involving all types of buildings, reconstructions of monuments and strategic urban development. Doctoral studies support individual scientific creativity with an emphasis on practical application.

In order to ensure a quality subjects portfolio at a competitive level for Czech and international students, we involve external specialists as well as faculty members in the learning process. We are continually striving to create new subjects, support young and qualified educators and simplify administration processes. We are involved in a number of international programs of cooperation and lifelong learning. Furthermore, we aspire to an extensive transfer of knowledge through international teaching staff mobility in the area of PhD studies.

Our school is also fully compatible with the European Credit Transfer and Accumulation System (ECTS) and together with the diploma supplement it ensures the certification of academic degrees among European Union countries. The academic year consists of an autumn term (Sept - Feb) and a spring term (Feb - June).

Bachelor, Master and Doctoral degrees

The purpose of the bachelor degree is to qualify students to enter a profession or a master study program. The degree takes four years to complete. Graduates receive the academic degree "Bachelor" (Bc.) in various fields. The course of study must be completed in due form with a final state examination, which usually includes the presentation and defense of a bachelor project.

The master degree follows a bachelor study program. The present length is two years and is usually divided into a one-year internship in an architectural office and one year of study. Graduates in a master study program must take a final state examination and make a public presentation and defense of a master project. Graduates receive the academic degree "Engineer in the Field of Architecture" (Ing.arch.).

The doctoral study program takes three to five years (candidates may choose to study full-time or part-time). Candidates complete their course of study with a final state examination and the public presentation and defense of a doctoral dissertation, based on original research, which must be published. Graduates of a doctoral study program are awarded the academic degree of „Doctor“ (Ph.D.).

Brno architecture and culture

Many notable architectural works, such as Mies van der Rohe's Villa Tugendhat, Ernst Wiesner's Villa Neumark and Bohuslav Fuchs's Hotel Avion, can be found in Brno. Brno was also home to Adolf Loos the architectural purist. In Brno Johann Gregor Mendel lay the foundations for modern genetics and Hugo Haas, graduate of the Brno Musical Academy, made a name for himself in Hollywood.

The city's proximity to Vienna as well as a university population of 70.000 provide a link among various schools of thought and pave the way for cultural and intellectual dialogue.

For more information about Brno visit > www.brno.cz / www.kultura-brno.cz

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Alumni international work placement

AUSTRIA, Vienna > Architekturbüro Reinberg ZT GmbH / AT Tomania / CoopHimmelb(l)au / Holodeck Architects / PAG Popelka Poduschka Architecten / FRANCE, Paris > AS.Architecture Studio / FCLP François Chochon & Laurent Pierre / Feichtinger Architectes / Hamonic+Masson / GERMANY, Berlin > de+ architekten - Jan Dilling, Claudia Euler / IRELAND, Dublin > Orla O'Callaghan Architects / ITALY > Pinna - Viardo, Geneva / Studio Doppio, Turin / NETHERLANDS, Rotterdam > GROUP A / NIO architecten VOF / ONL-Oosterhuis-Lénárd / van Bergen Kolpa Architecten / UK, London > Hamilton Architects

Important events

FOREIGN LECTURES > Foreign Office Architects (FOA), UK / Jan Hird Pokorný, USA / Xavier de Geyter, Belgium / Kazunari Sakamoto, Japan / Masao Koizumi, Japan / Ivan Reimann, Germany / Willem Jan. Neutelings, Netherlands / Anthony Roberts, Christopher Pierce, UK / Pierre Hebbelinck, Belgium / Héctor Esrawe Murad, Michel Rojkind, Mexico / Andrej Hrauski, Matej Vozlic, Slovenia / Andrzej Duda, Roman Rutkowski, Poland / INTERNATIONAL STUDENT AWARDS > Third place, Michal Křištof, Steel Award, archi-students.org / INTERNATIONAL EXHIBITIONS AND WORKSHOPS > Exhibition, Brno Brownfields Regeneration, Utrecht - Netherlands, Leipzig - Germany / Exhibition, Structive Models, Gliwice - Poland / Textile Membranes, Toulouse - France / Designing in the Dark 2, Ghent - Belgium / Une Image Pour Les Silos, San Giovanni Valdarno - Italy / Architecture of the City, Basel - Switzerland / Documentation of Tibetan Architecture, Tibet Heritage Fund, Ladakh - North India / Minimum House for Leisure, EXPO ,08, University of Brighton - UK, Brno - Czech Republic / Orlova 2008, ZHW Winterthur - Switzerland, Ostrava - Czech Republic

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