Architecture Additional Requirements
Portfolio Information

Programme code: CH3900
Programme name: Bachelor of Architectural Studies (Architectural Technology)

> **You must complete this in addition to the Admission and Enrolment form. Your application will not be able to be processed until you have submitted both the application form AND the portfolio.**

A portfolio of creative work is required with an application for admission to the Bachelor of Architectural Studies, and it is to your advantage to take the time to present yourself well.

You must provide a portfolio demonstrating design, graphic design and/or art skills equivalent to NCEA Level 3.

Contents

Your portfolio should contain between 6 and 12 pieces of your work. Work should be bound and mounted on boards no bigger than A3 size. Please restrict your presentation to a maximum of 4 sheets of A3 size. [If posting A4 size is fine.]. However, our preference is for the folio to be submitted as a .pdf file.

We would encourage you to include a variety of artwork including sketches of architecture, still life and other observational drawings. We are also looking for work in a variety of media, such as painting, 2D & 3D designs, photography, sculpture and digital media. For school leavers, these may include hobbies and activities you have completed outside of school.

If you are a school leaver and are producing a folio for the end of year, please digitally copy a selection of your work to be used in your folio for us.

Portfolio Criteria
Portfolios will be assessed against the following criteria:

(a) Composition

(b) Concepts – ideas and content

(c) Variety and range of media

(d) Drawing skills

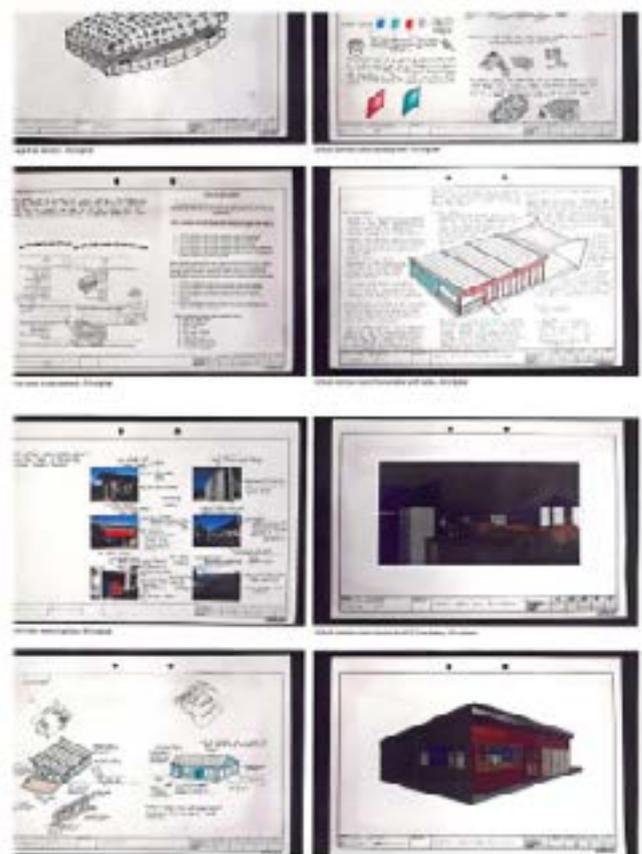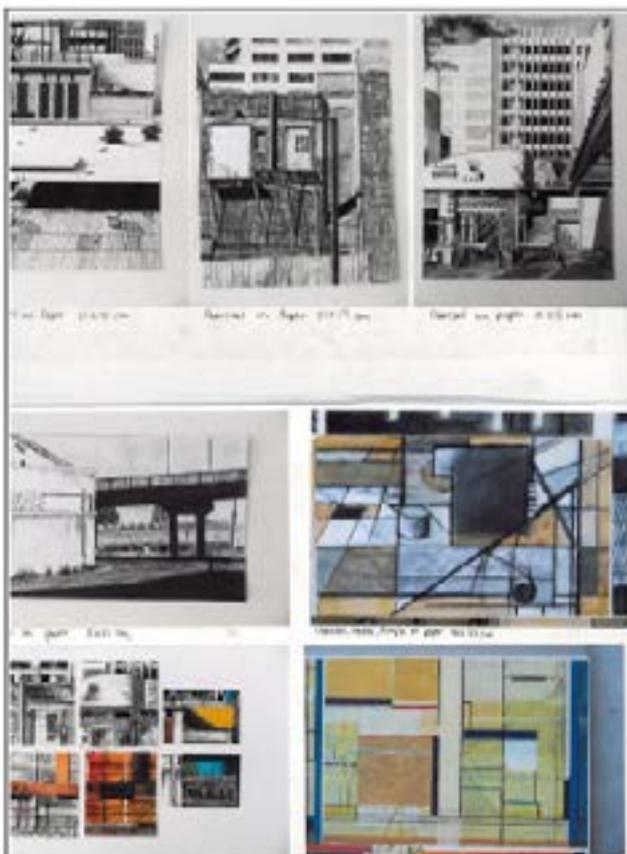Please include your name and return address.

Closing date for applications: January each year (late submissions may be accepted)

Portfolios must be submitted with your application.

If you need assistance please call 0800 24 24 76.

If submitting by email, please send to **enrolmentsupport@ara.ac.nz**

 Examples of Folio work:

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