

**ARC 235**  
**ARCHITECTURAL PORTFOLIO**

**COURSE DESCRIPTION:**

Prerequisites: ARC 113 and ARC 114

Corequisites: None

This course covers the methodology for creating an architectural portfolio. Topics include preparation of marketing materials and a presentation strategy using conventional and/or digital design media. Upon completion, students should be able to produce an architectural portfolio of selected projects. Course Hours per Week: Class, 2. Lab, 3. Semester Hours Credit, 3.

**LEARNING OUTCOMES:**

A student who successfully completes this course should be able to:

- a. Be exposed to different portfolio formats.
- b. Create an electronic portfolio.
- c. Create a portfolio in different formats.
- d. Write a resume with a portfolio format.

**OUTLINE OF INSTRUCTION:**

I. Portfolio Format Selection

- A. Types
- B. Choice of portfolio materials
- C. When to use conventional vs. digital media
- D. Electronic portfolio formats
- E. Problems with electronic compatibility
- F. Portfolio sizes

II. Content selection

- A. Design
- B. Construction drawings
- C. Graphical systems
- D. Sketches
- E. Presentation
- F. Environmental
- G. Other

### III. Mockup

- A. Cover sheet
- B. Divisions
- C. Arrangements

### IV. Production techniques

- A. Camera techniques
- B. Choosing film media
- C. Lighting techniques
- D. Using high contrast film for B&W photography

### V. Resume

- A. Career objectives
- B. Education
- C. Work experience
- D. Honors and activities
- E. Special skills
- F. References