

UNIVERSITY OF ARCHITECTURE
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Revised Minimum Qualification & Experience for appointment of Teaching Post of College of Architecture laid down by the Council of Architecture.

UNIVERSITY OF MUMBAI

No. CONCOL/ 23 / of 2012-2013

Ref :- Circular No. CONCOL/272 of 2008 dated 26/06/2008.

CIRCULAR:-

In supersession of the above mentioned circular the Principals of Architecture Colleges are hereby informed that the matter of prescribing revised minimum qualification & experience for appointment of Teaching Post in College of Architecture was discussed and accepted by the Academic Council at its meeting held on 6th June, 2012 vide item 7.5 and subsequently approved by the Management Council at its meeting held on 28th June, 2012 vide item No. 13.

The resolution passed by the Academic Council is quoted below :-

It was resolved that minimum qualifications and experience for appointment of teaching post of the College of Architecture as laid down by the Council of Architecture, New Delhi (COA under section 21 of the architects Act, 1972, Minimum Standard of Architectural Education 2008) be accepted and that in accordance therewith it be recommended to the Management Council.

In pursuance of the resolution accepted by the Academic Council and approved by the Management Council the Principals of Architecture Colleges are hereby requested to note the revised minimum qualification & experience for appointment of Teaching Post in College of Architectures and that the same has been brought into force with effect from 19th March 2009, as per the appendix.

Mumbai – 400 032.

Date : 2⁰th November, 2012


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To,

The Principals of all affiliated colleges of Architecture of the University of Mumbai.

Copy for information:-

1. The Secretary, Higher & Technical Education Department, Mantralaya Annexe, Mumbai – 400 032.
2. The Registrar, Council of Architecture (COA), India Habitat Centre, Core – 6/A, 1st Floor, Lodhi Road, New Delhi – 110 003.
3. The Director, Higher Education, Elphinstone Technical School Building, Mahapalika Marg, Mumbai – 400 001.
4. The Presiding Officer, College Tribunal for Mumbai and S.N.D.T. Women's Universities, University Building, East Wing, Second Floor, Fort, Mumbai – 400 032.
5. The Joint Director, Technical Education Department, Kherwadi, Bandra (East), Mumbai – 400 051.
6. The Director, Board of College & University Development, University of Mumbai, Fort, Mumbai – 400 032.
7. University of Mumbai College Principals Association, Dnyansadhana College of Arts, Science & Commerce, Eastern Express Highway, Near Eternity Mall, Thane (W) – 400 604.
8. The Secretary, Association of Non-Government College (A.N.G.C.), Vidyapeeth Vidyarthi Bhavan, Churchgate, Mumbai – 400 020.
9. The General Secretary, Bombay University and College Teachers Union, Mumbai University Club House, "B" Road, Churchgate, Mumbai – 400 020.(Two copies)
10. The Executive Secretary to the Vice-Chancellor and the Personal Assistants to (i) the Pro-Vice-Chancellor (ii) the Registrar.
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**MINIMUM QUALIFICATION, EXPERIENCE AND STRUCTURE FOR TEACHING POSTS
IN DEGREE LEVEL ARCHITECTURAL INSTITUTIONS**

Sr.	Cadre	Educational Qualifications	Work Experience (Excluding time period for acquisition of PG/ Ph.D qualifications)	Experience for candidates from practice
1	Assistant Professor	First class Bachelor's Degree in Architecture	DESIRABLE One year Teaching Experience as Visiting teacher	DESIRABLE One year Teaching Experience as Visiting teacher
		OR		
2	Associate Professor	First class Bachelor's Degree in Architecture; AND Master's Degree in Architecture	Eight Years Teaching Experience.	Eight Years Experience in Practice/ Research; DESIRABLE Three Years Teaching Experience as Visiting teacher
		OR		
		Bachelor's Degree in Architecture; AND First Class Master's Degree in Architecture		
		OR		
		First class Bachelor's Degree in Architecture; AND Ph. D. in Architecture		
3	Professor	First class Bachelor's Degree in Architecture; AND Master's Degree in Architecture	Thirteen Years Teaching Experience out of which Five years of Teaching Experience as Associate Professor. (Relaxation of upto three years in teaching experience may be given to candidates having Ph.D or equivalent)	Thirteen Years Experience in Practice/ Research; DESIRABLE Five Years Teaching Experience as Visiting teacher
		OR		
		Bachelor's Degree in Architecture; AND First Class Master's Degree in Architecture		
		OR		
		First class Bachelor's Degree in Architecture; AND Ph. D. in Architecture (Desirable – Ph. D. In Architecture OR Published work in referred journals OR significant professional work which can be considered equivalent to Ph. D)		

4	Professor (Design Chair)	Bachelor's Degree in Architecture		Each institution shall have one person appointed on this chair who has at least 20 years of professional experience and having done commendable professional work. Such appointment shall be for a tenure of 3 to 5 years.
5	Principal / Director	First class Bachelor's Degree in Architecture; AND Master's Degree in Architecture	Eighteen years of teaching experience out of which Ten Years Teaching Experience as Associate Professor.	Eighteen Years Experience in Practice/ Research; INCLUDING Ten Years Teaching Experience as Visiting teacher
		OR	OR	
		Bachelor's Degree in Architecture; AND First Class Master's Degree in Architecture	Eighteen years of teaching experience out of which Five Years Teaching Experience as Professor.	
		OR	(Desirable – Experience in Administration at responsible position)	
		First class Bachelor's Degree in Architecture; AND Ph. D. in Architecture (Desirable – Ph. D. in Architecture OR Published work in referred journals OR significant professional work which can be considered equivalent to Ph. D)		

Notes :

1. Only candidates registered with Council of Architecture (COA) under the provisions of the Architects Act, 1972, Shall be eligible for the above posts.
2. All the qualifications appearing in the schedule under section 14 and 15 of the Architects' Act 1972 shall be considered as at par with Bachelor's Degree in Architecture for the purpose of recruitment as teacher.
3. It is advisable that approximately 25% of the teaching load should be allotted to the Visiting faculty.
4. Each Institution shall have minimum staff structure of full time staff for an intake of 40, in addition to the Principal / Director as following :

Professor – 2, Asso. Professors – 4, Asst. Professors – 8

For intake more than 40 proportionate increase in the above posts shall be made.

Of these full time teachers 50% may be on permanent posts and rest on tenure basis with tenures of 3,5,7 or 10 years depending upon their caliber as teacher.

5. In addition to above full time teachers institute may recruit qualified persons in the field of Engineering / Planning / Quantity Surveying / Fine Arts / Humanities, etc. depending on actual requirements, on full time / part time basis.

6. The Institute may recruit persons with post graduate qualifications in the allied field of relevant discipline depending on actual requirements, up to 1/3 of total full time strength of Assistant Professors and Associate Professors.
7. The Institute conducting B. Arch courses with specialization, may recruit person with post graduate qualification in the relevant field of specialization on the post of Professors in proportionate numbers.
8. If class/divisions is not awarded at Master's level, a minimum of 60% marks in aggregate shall be considered equivalent to first class / division. If a grade point system is adopted the CGPA will be converted into equivalent marks as given in the table E-6 of the notification o. 1-65/NEC/98-99, March 15, 2000 (Degree level – Government institutions) and may 3, 2000 (Degree level – Self financing institutions.)

Grade point	Percentage of Marks
6.25	55
6.75	60
7.25	65
7.75	70
8.25	75

9. To recognize the services rendered by senior teachers who do not fit into above requirements of approved teachers already in full-time employment for 15 years, the requirement of qualifications may be relaxed.
10. All teachers must be encouraged to actively pursue practice/research without neglecting their duties towards school / students and institutes may support teachers in such activities.
11. Institutes shall adopt the provisions made in the Career Advancement Scheme as appended in Appendix-B2. The benefits accruing to teachers from this scheme shall be over and above existing positions / vacancies listed above in this section.
12. The post of Professor (Design Chair) will be over and above the approved posts of professors.
13. The procedure to decide on the equivalence of research works in referred journals of significant professional work with Ph.D. will be determined by the Council of Architecture only.