



**LUNDS UNIVERSITET**  
Lunds Tekniska Högskola

*Course syllabus*

## **Kandidatarbete i arkitektur** **Bachelor Project in Architecture**

**AAHL05, 18 credits, G2 (First Cycle)**

**Valid for:** 2023/24

**Faculty:** Faculty of Engineering, LTH

**Decided by:** The Faculty Board

**Date of Decision:** 2010-06-07

### **General Information**

**Main field:** Architecture. **Depth of study relative to the degree requirements:** First cycle, has at least 60 credits in first-cycle course/s as entry requirements, contains degree project for Bachelor of Arts/Bachelor of Science.

**Elective for:** A3

### **Aim**

The aim of the degree project is for the student to develop and demonstrate the requisite knowledge and skills to independently apply knowledge acquired within the programme and utilise this for a degree project in architecture.

### **Learning outcomes**

#### *Knowledge and understanding*

For a passing grade the student must

- demonstrate in-depth knowledge of architecture and the built environment.

#### *Competences and skills*

For a passing grade the student must

- demonstrate the ability to design, plan, preserve and renew environments and buildings, from a holistic perspective and in complex contexts and taking account of general requirements;
- demonstrate the ability to identify and manage fundamental issues in the areas of architecture and planning;
- demonstrate the ability to critically, independently and creatively carry out creative tasks within a specific programme, using appropriate architectural methods and syntheses;

and

- demonstrate the ability to communicate, exemplify and discuss their conclusions and the issues, ideas, knowledge and arguments underlying them.

### *Judgement and approach*

For a passing grade the student must

- demonstrate the ability to assess their own Bachelor's degree projects and those of other students with due regard to relevant artistic, scientific, social and ethical aspects.

## **Contents**

The degree project comprises:

- a written report in either Swedish or English and with a summary in Swedish (only for Swedish-speaking students) and English;
- a presentation of the degree project at a public seminar at the Faculty of Engineering; and
- an oral critical review of another student's degree project at the public seminar where it is presented.

Instructions for the procedures at the seminar are available and are published on the website of the programme of study.

The degree project is an independent project. It is to be executed individually or in groups of two. If the degree project is carried out as a group, the contribution of each student must be clearly discernible.

The report is presented at a public seminar determined by the programme management. The seminar can be timetabled for a day that is not within semester periods if there are valid reasons.

## **Examination details**

**Grading scale:** UG - (U,G) - (Fail, Pass)

**Assessment:** Written and oral examination. The student must pass all parts of the degree project as specified in Content below for the degree project as a whole to pass. The degree project report is a public document and no part may be classified information. The examiner may not take into account any advance information when assessing the report.

The examiner, in consultation with Disability Support Services, may deviate from the regular form of examination in order to provide a permanently disabled student with a form of examination equivalent to that of a student without a disability.

## **Admission**

**Admission requirements:**

- Students must have passed at least 140 credits that may be included in the degree in order to commence work on the degree project. Furthermore, all project courses in architecture and all courses on technology and town planning included in the first three years of the degree programme in Architecture must have been passed. Exemption from these requirements can only be granted by the Programmes Board and only in

exceptional cases. Students must also have their portfolio from semesters 1-5 assessed by a committee appointed by the programme management. This portfolio committee can advise the student on areas to improve in order to reach the learning outcomes of the course.

## Reading list

- The required reading and other study resources that are to be used are stated in the course syllabus for the selected studio.

## Contact and other information

**Examiner:** The Head of Department appoints one or more lecturers at Lund University to act as examiner(s). This means that all degree projects, including those written by outgoing exchange students, will be examined at Lund University. The examiner decides on the grade to be awarded, having consulted a joint assessment group appointed by the Programmes Board.

**Further information:** Students register for one of the alternative compulsory courses (studios) that complete the third year of the programme. Students who intend to acquire a degree of Bachelor must prior to the start of the course apply for admission to the course Degree Project for a Bachelor of Science in Architecture on a special form. Prior to registering on the course, students must have fulfilled all the admission requirements. The course is coordinated with the selected studio. A copy of the final report of the degree project is filed in the departmental archives.

More information is available at <https://www.student.lth.se/english/masters-students/degree-project/>.