UCLouvain

Architectural theory : Theories

3 credits

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Language :	French Tournai				
Place of the course					
Prerequisites	The prerequisite(s) for this Teaching Unit (Unité d'enseignement – UE) for the programmes/courses that offer this Teaching U are specified at the end of this sheet.				
Main themes	 The historical configurations of the theory of Western architecture, such as: the classical theory of the Orders the theories of the modern movement and the avant-garde before the First World War and between the two World Wars criticism of the Modern Movement after 1945 the emergence of the Post-Modern movement the contemporary situation (+/- 5 last years). Second introduction to the Vitruvian trinomial which then gave way to Alberti's theories as a basis of a Western approach (re-foundation).				
Aims	Specific learning outcomes: By the end of this second teaching unit, students are able to: • identify and describe the respective contributions of different periods to the theory of architecture • compare these contributions to each other • distinguish the trends and the breaks • recognise the historical origins of contemporary architectural debate • structure their own thinking with the help of concepts such as tradition, style, type, archetype, language, functionalism, rationalism, composition, deconstruction etc. Contribution to the learning outcome reference framework: Build knowledge of architecture 1 • Be familiar with and analyse the basic references • Be able to use given references which, by analogy, can lead to other interpretations of the context • Develop and make use of knowledge in the discipline Place the action • Recognise, observe and describe the targeted environments and contexts • Analyse the environments and contexts according to various given methods and starting from various identified points of view • Formulate questions relating to the development of the context being studied to make working hypotheses Use the technical dimension • Observe and assess the main construction principles of a building • The contribution of this Teaching Unit to the development and command of the skills and learning outcomes of the programme(s) can be accessed at				
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Programmes containing this learning unit (UE)						
Program title	Acronym	Credits	Prerequisite	Aims		
Bachelor in Architecture (Tournai)	ARCT1BA	3	LTARC1102	٩		