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IMMERSIVE CAREER EXPERIENCES



## THE YOUNG ARCHITECT SUMMER EXPERIENCE 2024



London | UCL Campus  
Ages 15-18

Join us for the ultimate work experience in architecture this summer in London.

Over the course of 2 weeks, students will step into the shoes of an architect through a range of immersive career simulations and exclusive professional site visits. This is a unique opportunity to work alongside top architects, gain hands-on experience to boost university and job applications and experience life on-campus at a world-renowned university, University College London.

**AGES**  
15-18

**LOCATION**  
London, UCL Campus

**LENGTH**  
1 week or 2 weeks

**START DATE**  
29th July



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**Dukes**  
EDUCATION

**BAC**  
RECOGNISED  
BACCALAUREATE

**Trustpilot**  
★★★★★



## PROGRAMME HIGHLIGHTS

- Complete a design project end-to-end and present your final design and model to a panel of architects and architectural apprentices
- Spend a day with two leading architecture firms in London and understand how to begin your career journey
- Visit London's iconic Barbican Centre, tour the historic sites of the city and experience one of the world's best architecture universities: UCL
- Extensive coaching on all stages of the architecture school journey as well as feedback on your portfolio and models
- Meet with architects, architectural assistants and current university students to provide you with a network during your experience
- Gain a personalised certificate of attendance and an industry reference letter to boost university and job applications

"The structure of the programme was very well thought out, the way each day progressed into a new area in architecture but also building on from what we learned from the previous day really provided a full, rounded experience."

Student, the Young Architect Summer Experience 2021

"My highlight has been the firm visit to Foster + Partners because I have never visited an architecture firm before. It not only taught me new skills and drawing techniques but helped me immerse into the world of architecture."

Student, the Young Architect Summer Experience 2023

# SAMPLE TIMETABLE

Exact start and end times of each day will vary. Students will receive their personalised timetables with specific locations and venues closer to the programme start date.

		WEEK 1					WEEKEND - NON-RESIDENTIAL			
		Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday	
07:30 - 09:30	Residential students arrive and check-in	Breakfast							BREAK - No programmes	
10:00-10:30		Travel to venue						1-week residential students check out	WEEKEND - RESIDENTIAL	
10:30-13:00		Enter the Summer Experience Programme welcome & networking with peers	Site Analysis Conduct an architectural site visit	Conceptualise your Ideas Sketching and drawing	Architectural Firm Visits Visit a working architecture firm, axonometric drawings	Design Studio Part 2 Continue developing your designs	Break (Free time)		Break (Free time)	
13:00-14:00		Lunch Break					Lunch Break			
14:00 - 17:00		Who is the Architect? Scaling up, plans and sections, measurements	Enter the World of Architecture Study the design process, sketch modelling	Architectural Mindset Model making and scaled site models	Design Studios Create your final scaled models, sections and plans	Presenting your Project Showcase your project to architects and receive feedback	London walking tour		Sports day & scavenger hunt at central London park	
17:00-17:30		Travel to accommodation								
17:30-19:30		Dinner & Break								
19:30-22:00		Evening Activities								
23:00		Lights Out								

## Programme Highlights

- Programme content
- Premium benefits
- Residential package

		WEEKEND - PREMIUM	
		Saturday	Sunday
	10:30-13:00	Leadership, teamwork & strategy workshop	Psychometric testing & personality profiling
	13:00-14:00	Lunch Break	
	14:00-17:00	Immersive team strategy game	LinkedIn & CV-writing masterclass with professional headshots
	17:00-18:30	Networking reception & keynote speeches from successful leaders	

		WEEK 2					Residential students check-out & depart
		Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	
07:30 - 09:30		Breakfast					
10:00-10:30		Travel to venue					
10:30-13:00		Your New Site Undertake a new site visit and receive an exciting new brief	Architecture Through the Ages Historical London architectural walking tour	Enter the Architectural Firm Q&A on how to break into top architecture jobs	The Architectural Hub Portfolio workshop and finalising your designs	Assessment Centre: The Exhibition Present your work to experts in the Barbican Centre & receive feedback	
13:00-14:00		Lunch Break					
14:00 - 17:00		Architectural Theories Crash course in advanced architecture theories and the history of the discipline	The Sustainable Architect Implementing sustainable systems and design evolution	Digital Design Understand how technology is revolutionising architecture	Continued	Graduation Ceremony Closing speeches & certificates	
17:00-17:30		Travel to accommodation					
17:30-19:30		Dinner & Break					
19:30-22:00		Evening Activities					
23:00		Lights Out					

17:30-21:00 Premium Activity: Gala dinner with professionals on the River Thames



**FIND OUT MORE & REGISTER NOW**

# DATES & FEES

INTAKE	ACCOMMODATION CHECK-IN DATE	PROGRAMME START DATE	WEEK 1 PROGRAMME END DATE	WEEK 1 ACCOMMODATION CHECK-OUT DATE	WEEK 2 PROGRAMME END DATE	WEEK 2 ACCOMMODATION CHECK-OUT DATE
Intake 2	Sunday 28/07/24	Monday 29/07/24	Friday 02/08/24	Saturday 03/08/24	Friday 09/08/24	Saturday 10/08/24

SUMMER EXPERIENCE LENGTH	PROGRAMME FEE	RESIDENTIAL PACKAGE FEE	TOTAL PACKAGE FEE	AIRPORT TRANSFER ADDITIONAL FEE
1 Week	£1,950	£1,290	£3,240	£300 return
2 Week	£2,950	£2,795	£5,745	
2-Week Premium	£3,950	£2,795	£6,745	



## WHAT'S INCLUDED IN A SUMMER EXPERIENCE?

All Summer Experience fees include:

- Career experiences alongside industry professionals:
  - 1-Week programme | 25 hours
  - 2-Week programme | 50 hours
  - 2-Week Premium programme | 65 hours
- Personalised online agenda and timetable
- Programme materials, equipment and resources
- Exclusive visits to professional venues
- Experience days at London sites
- For international students, enhance your oral and written skills in business-level English.
- Coach travel to and from programme venues outside of London Zone 3 (departing from Bloomsbury)
- Programme assessment and personalised certificate
- Branded bag, notebook & pen
- Graduation ceremony (2-Week students only)
- Industry reference letter (2-Week students only)
- Safeguarding & pastoral care
- 12 months' free access to AmbitionX

## WHAT'S INCLUDED IN A 2-WEEK PREMIUM SUMMER EXPERIENCE?

Our Premium Summer Experience fees include 15 additional hours of experience with professionals, plus a professional development portfolio to kickstart your future career:

- A professional development portfolio, containing:
  - An expertly crafted CV and LinkedIn profile
  - Professional headshots
  - Psychometric testing and a personality profile outlining skills, development areas & motivations
  - A bespoke feedback report on performance in the team challenge
  - Skills toolkit & resource pack
- Private networking reception & keynote speeches with successful leaders
- Private Gala dinner on the River Thames with industry professionals

## RESIDENTIAL PACKAGE FEES

- Private rooms in university halls of residence
  - 1-Week programme | 6 nights
  - 2-Week programme | 13 nights
- 3 meals a day
  - Breakfast & dinner served at the accommodation canteen
  - Lunch vouchers to spend at Waitrose supermarkets
  - Snacks & fruit
- All travel to and from programme venues
- Evening & weekend social activities
- 24/7 Safeguarding & pastoral care



# HOW TO BOOK

Registering for an InvestIN programme is a simple and straightforward process.

1

**Head to our website and choose your desired programme.**

Select your age bracket, career, programme format, length & dates.

2

**Fill in the registration form online and complete payment.**

Pay in full or for our Summer Experiences, you can secure your place by paying a holding deposit of £950.

Alternatively, you can contact us to receive an invoice.

3

**You will promptly receive a programme confirmation email from us.**

If you have paid via deposit, the outstanding fees must be paid by 31st March 2024.

4

**You will be invited to complete a pre-arrival form**

- if you are attending one of our Summer Experiences up to 3 months in advance.

This is so we can gather important information for your time with us, such as medical information, travel details and visa requirements.

[www.investin.org](http://www.investin.org)



There is no official deadline to book, but places are highly limited and are allocated on a first-come, first-served basis. Secure your place by visiting our website [www.investin.org](http://www.investin.org) today or contact our expert admissions team at [info@investin.org](mailto:info@investin.org) or via + 44 (0) 203 488 5089.

## ENROLMENT REQUIREMENTS

### Subject Knowledge

Students do not require any prior industry knowledge or experience in order to attend an InvestIN programme. Our programmes are suited for students who are enthusiastic and passionate about their chosen career, whilst our professionals are here to coach students on everything they need to know!

### Language Proficiency

We require a minimum B2 (CEFR) intermediate level of English in order to attend. Our programmes are delivered and facilitated by native English speakers, whilst over 50% of our students are from the UK and the US, providing international students with the opportunity to enhance their oral and written skills in a professional and social context.

### Visas

Students who require a visa to enter the UK should obtain a Standard Visitor Visa (the same that is used by tourists) for "study at an accredited institution". We can issue letters in support of visa applications once a student has registered for a place on a programme.