



Course Specification

— (Bachelor)

Course Title: **URBAN PLANNING STRATEGIES**

Course Code: **ARCH 461**

Program: **Architecture**

Department: **Architecture**

College: **Architecture and Planning**

Institution: **Qassim University**

1. Course Identification

Course general Description:

The course addresses the importance of planning and its role in the areas of development, as well as the study of the development agenda and its components: economic and social, as well as land development schemes, principles and future planning directions. The decision also includes ways to develop the economic wealth of the individual and society and ways to transform social structures in order to improve their performance in society.

Course Main Objective(s):

1. Knowledge of the elements of the development scheme.
2. Knowledge of land development schemes and future directions in this regard;
3. Knowledge of the theories of society and its performance.
4. To know how to develop the economic wealth of the individual and society through planning.
5. Capacity to collect, evaluate and record planning and development projects.
6. To learn about future developments that must be taken into account in urban planning;
7. Knowledge of the importance of planning and its role in development and physical development processes.

2. Course Learning Outcomes (CLOs)

Code	Course Learning Outcomes	Code of CLOs aligned with program
1.0	Knowledge and understanding	
1.1	Recognize of the elements of the development scheme, and land development schemes and future directions in this regard;	K-1
1.2	Analyze and evaluate of the theories of society and its performance; and develop the economic wealth of the individual and society through planning.	K-1
1.3	Consider a range of needs, values, and contexts influencing the development of theoretical urban planning, in addition to the influence of history, social, place context, environment, time, and technology of urban planning theories about society and its performance.	K-2
2.0	Skills	
2.1	Apply fundamental urban planning skills that utilize problem solving and critical thinking in planning issues; future developments that must be taken into account in	S-1



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	urban planning; the importance of planning and its role in development and physical development processes.	
2.2	Develop an urban planning and deliver a Land Use Master plan project development plan and appraisal, and synthesize, analyze, and evaluate solutions. (Design analysis and process).	S-2
3.0	Values, autonomy, and responsibility	
3.1	Understand the urban planner's societal, professional, and ethical responsibilities and values, including the architect's diverse role and relationships with clients, consultants, and other stakeholders.	V-1

3. Students Assessment Activities

No	Assessment Activities *
1.	Attendance, participation and interaction during lectures (handouts/ assignments)
2.	Quizzes (1-2)
3.	Individual and group work (Project Presentations)
4.	Mid-term exam
5.	Applied and field research
6.	Final exam

*Assessment Activities (i.e., Written test, oral test, oral presentation, group project, essay, etc.).

4. Learning Resources and Facilities

Essential References	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The Planning city, Michael W. Newell and Marina, 2004, N.Y.
Supportive References	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Comeback Cities: A Blueprint for Urban Neighborhood Revival, Grogan, Paul, Proscio, Tony, 2000. British Town Planning and Urban Design, Smith Morris et al., 1997, Longman, Singapore. Definitions of Rural: A Handbook for Health Policy Makers and Researchers. University of North Carolina, 1998, USA.
Electronic Materials	https://www.archnet.org/
Other Learning Materials	AutoCAD 2019 help files

