Important Notes on Choosing Architectural Studies as Second Major / Minor

1. The Bachelor of Arts in Architectural Studies [BA(ArchStud)] is a professionally accredited curriculum in the discipline of architecture. Separate from this, the Major and Minor in ArchStud are not professionally accredited.

2. Candidates who wish to pursue a Major or Minor in ArchStud are required to undergo a selection process arranged by the Department of Architecture, which includes:
   a. Candidates are required to submit an application form. Application details will be announced on the Faculty of Architecture Website in mid-November every year.
   b. Shortlisted candidates will be invited to take part in the Aptitude Exercise in December. This exercise allows candidates to demonstrate their interest and capacity for architectural thinking. The criteria measured by the exercise include: capacity to conceptualize, creativity, curiosity, analytical ability, daring, rigor, intelligence, intuition, openness, perseverance, spatial sensibility and sociability. The exercise proposes a new question every year and is completed at home.
   c. Shortlisted candidates will also be invited to attend an interview.
   d. The declaration of the second major and minor in ArchStud is blocked in the system. The Faculty Office will process declarations in batches when applications are approved. For students progressing from a minor to a major, the Faculty Office will process the declaration upon written request.