

ARCHITECTURE AROUND THE WORLD

EXPERIENTIAL LEARNING



OVERVIEW

From design to engineering, students can learn from international trends in sustainability, innovation, engineering and technology, and their relationship to this key market. Visiting destinations that are both historically significant and pioneering in their modern-day approach to design and development, students better understand how history and modern trends intersect in architecture.

TRENDING ARCHITECTURE DESTINATIONS

› Copenhagen, Denmark

- A city renowned for its advancements in architecture and seamless integration of historic and contemporary design, Copenhagen has also emerged as a leader in sustainable design. In visiting Copenhagen, students see firsthand an industry that pushes the standards for eco-friendly design.
 - › *Suggested City Pairing: Prague, Czech Republic*

› Valencia, Spain

- A unique city, Valencia allows students to admire the contrast of medieval and modern styles. History, climate, culture and geography have shaped this city into what it is today, both a beautiful tourist destination and a key piece of architectural study.
 - › *Suggested City Pairing: Barcelona, Spain*

› Brasilia, Brazil

- Brasilia, a World Heritage Site by UNESCO, features some of the most impressive architecture in South America. Local architect Oscar Niemeyer's buildings are showcased throughout the city and play a large role in national identity. Students are invited to learn from this unique flavor and perspective while exploring this traditional Brazilian city.
 - › *Suggested City Pairing: Sao Paulo, Brazil*



› **Rome, Italy**

- Rome's architectural legacy is incomparable – from baroque churches to ancient ruins to the imposing Colosseum. The city is the perfect place to be immersed in the history, architecture and engineering that will make any visitor travel through time.
 - › *Suggested City Pairing: Budapest, Hungary*

› **Cartagena, Colombia**

- Students will be mesmerized by the Spanish Colonial architecture of traditional Cartagena. One of the most beautiful cities in Colombia also touts a long history that is reflected in the wood carved balconies, colorful houses and traditional cathedrals, pieces of heritage and culture that are hard to miss.
 - › *Suggested City Pairing: Rio De Janeiro, Brazil*

› **Chicago, Illinois**

- Chicago, the 'Windy City', is home to the modern high rise and skyscraper. The city's stunning skyline, landmarks, and creative use of green and natural space make it an ideal location to learn from industry leaders in a captivating global city.
 - › *Suggested City Pairing: Toronto, Canada*

SAMPLE ENGAGEMENT TOPICS

- › Understanding Architectural Heritage Through History
- › Trends in Construction, Design, and Architecture
- › Innovation and Space Maximization in Design
- › Challenges and Opportunities in Green Building
- › The Role of Virtual Reality Technology in the Architecture Industry
- › Incorporating Sustainable Design into Busy Skylines

TIME FRAME

- › 7-10 days in country
- › 4-6 unique organizational meeting and experiential learning opportunities
- › 2-4 days of cultural engagements

HOW IT WORKS

- › Each program has a dedicated Curriculum Coordinator to customize educational experiences to meet your learning objectives
- › During the months preceding your program, your Curriculum Coordinator works with you and company partners in-country to curate engagements within key destination industries
- › Engagements typically last 1.5 – 2 hours, encompassing a strategic presentation by the host organization, Q&A, discussion, and a tour (where possible)

Our aim is to customize each and every program to your learning objectives, and we encourage you to discuss your specific destination and theme ideas with your Program Development Manager.