

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS FOR STUDENT MEMBERS TO LOG EXPERIENCE WITH THE MAA

Students Enrolled in the RAIC Syllabus Program

(The following updated policy was adopted by the MAA Council in Spring of 2019.)

Syllabus students who are actively enrolled in both Part 2 of the Syllabus Program and as a Student member of the MAA may be eligible to begin logging experience with the MAA.

Student members are required to submit both an Employer and Mentor confirmation for review and consideration of the Registration Board and upon approval, may commence logging experience in the Canadian Experience Record Book by the MAA.

Only the architectural experience gained while actively enrolled in Part 2 and/or 3 of the Syllabus and actively enrolled as a Student member of the MAA will be eligible for consideration and credit within the MAA's licensing process. Regular experience submissions must be made, in accordance with the parameters outlined in the Internship in Architecture Program manual; and upon graduation and admission as an Intern member of the MAA, the Registration Board will review the overall experience record that has been submitted and provide a Periodic Assessment Form at that time.

Students in the Syllabus program may accumulate up to 2800 hours of the required architectural experience gained after enrolment in Part 2 of the program and prior to graduation. A minimum of 940 hours must be logged, following admission as an Intern member of the association.

Syllabus students are advised that while significant credit for experience gained during the Syllabus program may be granted by the MAA, they may not qualify for recognition under certain Mutual Recognition Agreements that have been negotiated by the profession.

Students Enrolled in a CACB Accredited Architectural Program in Canada

(The following policy was adopted by the MAA Council, effective July 1, 2020, and modified on July 1, 2022 on the basis of the nationally approved revisions.)

Students who are both:

- actively enrolled and attending an accredited program in Canada; and
 - completing the final two years of a CACB accredited Masters' Program;
- would meet the eligibility requirements to log student hours, for consideration by the MAA's Registration Board.

Note: Any experience gained prior to entering the final two years of a CACB accredited Masters' Program or while on leave from the Program, will not however be eligible for consideration.

Students must apply for Student membership in the MAA, demonstrate that eligibility requirements have been satisfied and submit both an Employer and Mentor confirmation for review and consideration of the Registration Board. Upon approval, the student may commence logging experience in the Canadian Experience Record Book that has been provided by the MAA.

Only the architectural experience gained while actively enrolled in an accredited university program and actively enrolled as a Student member of the MAA will be eligible for consideration and credit within the MAA's licensing process; to a maximum of 760 hours of work experience. Regular experience submissions must be made, in accordance with the parameters outlined in the Internship in Architecture Program manual (including the need to submit an experience record within 8 weeks from the date of the last entry, or if and when there is an interruption in employment, to avoid late charges).

Upon graduation (at which time CACB certification will be automatically granted) application for admission to Intern membership in the MAA must be made; as no further experience will be eligible for review and consideration, unless and until intern membership has been obtained.

Upon admission as an intern member, any and all approved student experience (up to a maximum of 760 hours), will be automatically transferred to the 'Additional Hours' category of the log book; as the mandatory minimum 2,960 hours in Categories A, B and C, must be gained after graduation and while enrolled as an Intern member.