Architecture Library (UES)

- Contains most new monographs on the built environment for c. late-19th c. to present
- Approximately 325 journal subscriptions, 40+ e-journals
- Material samples collection (shared with Engineering Library)
- Largely a circulating collection, but some restricted-access items (mainly journals and rare items)
- Architectural design & practice and urban studies are primarily covered; also landscape design, urban and environmental planning, some engineering crossover
Locations and Hours

- Architecture Library
  9:00 am to 11:45 pm
- Center for Digital Humanities
  10:00 am to 5:00 pm
- East Asian Library
  9:00 am to 11:00 pm
- Engineering Library
  8:30 am to 1:45 am
- Firestone Library
  8:00 am to 11:45 pm

News and Events

- PUL's new exhibition "Gutenberg & After"
- Ivy Plus Libraries Confederation launches
About

The School of Architecture Library supports the research and teaching needs of the School and is part of the larger Princeton University Library system. Our holdings specialize in modern and contemporary architecture and design, the history and theory of architecture, urban studies, landscape architecture, preservation, and city planning. The collection constitutes approximately 35,000 volumes on-site with thousands more housed in the Research Collections and Preservation Consortium (ReCAP) facility. The library subscribes to more than 300 domestic and foreign periodicals, and has a growing collection of rare materials as well as a video collection. The video collection focuses broadly on productions relating to the built environment.
Architecture Library

Featured Resources

Art & Architecture Archive: Archive of magazines comprising key research material in the fields of art & architecture, dating from the late-19th century to the 21st.

Avery Index: Indexes journal articles published worldwide on architecture and design, archaeology, city planning, interior design, and historic preservation, from 1930s to the present.

Building Types Online: Compiled from several Birkhauser publications, including Detail magazine, the database includes roughly 5,000 high-quality drawings of modern architecture, organized by program type, with images available as downloadable PDFs.

Engineering Case Studies: Video and text material focusing on engineering failures and successes.

MaterialConnexion: Database with over 1500 records for current industrial manufacturing products, processes, and processed raw materials.

SimplyAnalytics: Online mapping tool for US demographic data. It enables the creation of maps that incorporate data such as population, age, race, income, employment, and education. All of the data can be downloaded and brought into GIS software.

Urban Studies Abstracts: Database of articles on urban history, community development, urban affairs, etc., from 1973 to the present.

Architecture and Architects on Film

Pidgeon Digital: Online version of the Pidgeon Audiovisual collection of recorded and illustrated talks by architects and related designers, with talks dating from 1955 to the present.
A brief overview of online resources related to architecture & engineering:

- Architecture Research Basecamp
- Construction Resources
- Finding Architecture Dissertations & Theses
http://library.princeton.edu/architecture
A brief overview of online resources related to architecture & engineering:
Engineering Case Studies Online

Engineering Case Studies Online will dramatically improve teaching and research by providing a single, comprehensive source for a wide range of video and text material focusing on engineering failures and successes. At completion, the collection will contain 250 hours and 30,000 pages of quality documentaries, accident reports, experiments, visualizations, case studies, lectures and interviews from leading engineering institutions around the world.

Engineering Case Events
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**PRINCETON UNIVERSITY LIBRARY**

**Architecture Research Basecamp: Indexes & Databases**

### Selected Architecture Indexes & Databases

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<td>Avery Index to Periodical Literature</td>
<td>Online</td>
<td>All Periods</td>
<td>19th c - Present</td>
<td>The Avery Index to Periodicals database offers a comprehensive listing of journal articles on architecture and design, including bibliographic descriptions on subjects such as the history and practice of architecture, landscape architecture, city planning, historic preservation, and interior design and decoration. <strong>Cross Searchable with DAAI + ARTbib + IBA</strong></td>
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<td>ARTh Bibliographies Modern</td>
<td>Online</td>
<td>19th c - Present</td>
<td>1960s - Present</td>
<td>Full abstracts of journal articles, books, essays, exhibition catalogs, PhD dissertations, and exhibition reviews on all forms of modern and contemporary art, with approximately 12-13,000 new entries being added each year. <strong>Cross-searchable with DAAI + Avery + IBA</strong></td>
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<td>Art Index</td>
<td>Online</td>
<td>All Periods</td>
<td>1920 - Present</td>
<td>Two cross-searchable databases offering indexing to primary material and later, full text plus abstracts and indexing of an international array of peer-selected publications—now with expanded coverage of Latin American, Canadian, Asian, and other non-Western art, new artists, contemporary art, exhibition reviews, and feminist criticism. Full-text coverage for selected periodicals is also included. <strong>Cross-searchable with DAAI + Avery + IBA</strong></td>
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<td>Applied Science and Technology Abstracts</td>
<td>Online</td>
<td>Late 19th c - Present</td>
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<td>Features a range of applied science and technology articles from trade and industrial publications, journals issued by professional and technical societies, and specialized subject periodicals, as well as special issues such as buyers' guides, directories, and conference proceedings. All abstracts are in English and majority of titles are published in the U.S.</td>
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<td>Bibliography of the History of Art</td>
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<td>Indexes and abstracts articles, books, conference proceedings, dissertations, and art exhibition and dealer's catalogs, covering European and American art from late antiquity to the present. Includes coverage for 1990-2007, as well as its predecessor index, RILA (International Repertory of the Literature of the Art), 1975-89. See also <strong>History of Art Bibliography</strong></td>
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<td>1972 - 2007</td>
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Construction Resources: Home

Handbooks, Manuals, Encyclopedias

**Architects’ Data** by Ernst Neufert, Bousmaha Baiche, Peter Neufert, Nicholas Walliman
Call Number: TH151 .N513 2012
ISBN: 9781405192538
Publication Date: 2012-03-26

Neufert’s Architects’ Data is an essential reference for the initial design and planning of a building project. It provides, in one concise volume, the core information needed to form the framework for the more detailed design and planning of any building project.

**Architect’s Illustrated Pocket Dictionary** by Nikolas Davies, Erkki Jokiniemi
Call Number: Architecture Library Reference (UESRF) NA31 .D377 2011
ISBN: 9780080965376
Publication Date: 2011-01-07

This pocket-sized Dictionary offers huge coverage for the 40,000+ people studying or working in architecture, construction or any of the built environment fields. From Aaron’s rod to Zephyr, the reader is able to quickly track down precisely the term they are looking for.

**Constructing Architecture** by Andrea Deplazes (Editor)
Call Number: TA403 .C635 2008q
ISBN: 9783764386306
Publication Date: 2008-06-20

Comprehensive reference work on architectural construction techniques...
A brief overview of online resources related to architecture & engineering:

Finding Architecture Dissertations & Theses: Home
A portal for dissertations and theses with emphasis on research relating to the built environment.

Theses & Dissertations @ Princeton and Elsewhere

Princeton Specific

- **Dissertations & Theses**: Covers scholarship from most U.S. universities with some international coverage. Full text coverage begins with 1997+ but indexing includes scholarship dating back to 1861. To search PU Dissertations, follow this link to a subset of the Proquest Dissertations.

- **SoA Design Theses**: The School of Architecture maintains an archive of student theses from 1930s through the present. To search the index of projects or access the collection, contact the Visual Resources Curator. This collection includes both graduate and undergraduate projects.

- **Princeton Senior Theses Database**: A search catalog of senior theses written from 1929 through the present. Approximately 60,000 records are included but not all departments are represented. Theses can be searched by author, advisor, department, or year. The Mudd Manuscript Library collects and maintains the primary copies.

- **SoA Library Senior Thesis Collection**: The School of Architecture Library has a small subset of SoA senior theses. These essays can be found in the library Main Catalog by an author search or by a call number browse search for "Sen. Th." Many of these theses have not been formatted for primary copy but rather include color images, fold-outs, dust jackets, etc. This small collection does not circulate.

Architecture Theses & Dissertations Beyond Princeton

- **Harvard's Graduate School of Design**: A guide for finding masters theses and doctoral dissertations specific to the GSD.

- **MIT Architecture Dissertations & Theses**: A basic list organized by author of the thesis or dissertation. Each entry includes the title of the work, brief "where are they now" info, and links to the works in MIT's Barton catalog.

- **UC-Berkeley's Guide to Architecture & Environmental Design Theses and Dissertations**: Explains how you can find these works in the UCB system.

- **Architecture Association's School of Architecture Theses**: Theses can be searched via the online catalogue by selecting the 'AA Theses' menu option from the upper left-hand drop-down menu.

- **Georgia Tech College of Architecture Theses & Dissertations Database**

- **UMass-Amherst's Architecture Masters Theses Collection**

- **Illinois Institute of Technology's College of Architecture Thesis Collection**

- **UIUC's Dept. of Landscape Architecture and Urban Planning Checklist**: Links to pages with basic details about theses, projects, and dissertations from the Departments of Landscape Architecture and Urban Planning up to 2006 (update pending). This link will take you to the dedicated Landscape Architecture Thesis Database.
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