

SUMMER PROGRAMS

EXPERIMENT IN ARCHITECTURE

EXPERIMENT IN LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE

The Experiment in Architecture program at IIT Architecture Chicago introduces high school students to the city of Chicago and its rich architectural heritage, highlighting the works of industry legends and leaders such as Ludwig Mies van der Rohe, Frank Lloyd Wright, Rem Koolhaas, Helmut Jahn, Nagle Hartray, Frank Gehry, and many others. The Experiment in Architecture summer program connects students to Chicago-based firms such as Gensler, UrbanWorks, Holabird + Root, and SOM.

The Experiment in Landscape Architecture program at IIT Architecture Chicago introduces students to the city of Chicago and its rich landscape architecture heritage, highlighting the works of Frederick Law Olmsted, Jens Jensen, Alfred Caldwell, Dan Kiley, Laurie Olin, Kathryn Gustafson, Piet Oudolf, and others. The Experiment in Landscape Architecture program also connects students to prominent Chicago-based landscape architecture firms.

FORMAT

Experiment in Architecture and Experiment in Landscape Architecture welcome you to Illinois Tech's world-renowned "campus in a park" designed by the architect Ludwig Mies van der Rohe, with the landscape architect Alfred Caldwell. Because enrollment is limited, you can expect individual attention from your studio instructors.

Programs begin with instruction in freehand sketching with an emphasis on interpreting and visualizing the world around us, followed by studio classes, and finish with a session on developing and focusing career plans. In addition, you will tour the city of Chicago—on foot, by train, and by boat! Programs conclude with an exhibition and reception for students and their families.

THE PROGRAMS

If you are currently enrolled in high school and looking to the future, our summer programs are designed for you. Program fees cover all studio materials, readings, museum admission, and meals. CTA passes are provided for use on our off-campus tours, office visits, and residential session weekend activities.

EXPERIMENT IN ARCHITECTURE

COST: \$1,725

Cost includes a 13-night stay at an Illinois Tech residence hall and meals at The Commons cafeteria.

RESIDENTIAL SESSION I: JUNE 18–JULY 1

RESIDENTIAL SESSION II: JULY 9–JULY 22

EXPERIMENT IN LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE

COST: \$500

Daily lunches will be provided either at our field trip site or at The Commons Cafeteria.

COMMUTER SESSION: JULY 17–JULY 21

9 a.m.–5 p.m. daily

APPLY TODAY


Experiment in Architecture: arch.iit.edu/study/eia

Experiment in Landscape Architecture: arch.iit.edu/study/eila

The application deadline for summer 2017 is Saturday, April 15, 2017. All admission decisions will be made by Monday, May 15, 2017.

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