

# Architectural & Engineering Technology

## 2018 – 2019 ADMISSION INFORMATION

### Program Description

The Faculty of Science at TRU offers a three year Architectural & Engineering Technology (ARET) Diploma.

The ARET at TRU emphasizes the design processes in building, civil and mechanical technologies, involving design projects for building structures, subdivisions, municipal services, and electrical, plumbing, lighting and HVAC (heating, ventilating and air-conditioning) systems.

The ARET program is accredited by the Canadian Technology Accreditation Board (CTAB) in the Building discipline. Students enrolled in the program are eligible for a FREE student membership with the Applied Science Technologists and Technicians in BC. After graduation and two years of related experience, individuals can apply to become certified as an Applied Science Technologist (AScT.) a widely recognized professional credential.

**Intake Dates** Fall (September) semester

### Admission Requirements

#### Academic Requirements:

- BC Grade 12 (or equivalent) or Mature Student Status
- English 12/English 12 First Peoples with a minimum 73% or equivalent
- Foundations of Math 12 or Pre-Calculus 11 or higher with a minimum 67% or equivalent
- Physic 11 or higher or equivalent

Please note students need a strong background in physics and math. Those applicants whose math and physics requirements are more than five years old

and other applicants who math and physics skills are weak should consider “refresher” courses in these subjects prior to applying for the ARET program.

For assistance in developing your academic plan to meet the ARET program requirements, please contact Academic Advising at [advising@tru.ca](mailto:advising@tru.ca) or 250-828-5075. Additional information is available at [www.tru.ca/advising](http://www.tru.ca/advising)

Admission to the ARET program is on a first-applied, first-admitted basis using the date by which applicants have met all of the admission requirements.

### How to Apply

1. **Submit your application** online at [www.tru.ca/admissions/apply](http://www.tru.ca/admissions/apply)
2. **Pay the application fee:**
  - a. \$28.68 for Canadian citizens or permanent residents
3. **Submit official high school transcripts.** For current high school students please submit final Grade 11 grades and an interim Grade 12 statement listing courses you are taking this year.
4. **Submit any post-secondary transcripts.**
5. **Submit any required supporting documents.**

#### Next Steps:

1. We will contact you within 2-3 weeks to confirm that we have received your application.
2. Use the check-list in this package to make sure you have included all the supporting documents

required for the program you are applying to. All documents must be submitted in order for your application to be considered.

3. Once we have reviewed your application and applicable supporting documents, we will notify you about the admission decision.
4. Once you have been admitted, you will have to pay a commitment fee of \$500 to confirm your spot and enable you to register in courses.

Further information regarding the Architectural & Engineering Technology program can be found at [www.tru.ca/science/programs/aret](http://www.tru.ca/science/programs/aret)

Additional information regarding various TRU support services, including Disability Services, Counselling, Services for Aboriginal Students and Student Awards and Financial Aid, as well as Housing can be found at [www.tru.ca/services](http://www.tru.ca/services)

## **Program Application Admissions Checklist**

Please check off and include all of the following:

- Application form
- Application fee \$28.68
- Official Ministry of Education high school transcript
- Any official post-secondary transcript(s)

## **Need Help? Contact Us**

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