

Application Requirements

For Ph.D.

Candidates should have;

- B.S. or M.S. degree and at least one of these degrees should be in City and Regional Planning Department (CRP) or in related tracks of CRP,
- Min. 65 METU EPE Result,
- Min. 60 ALES (Quantitative),
- Min. 3.00 B.S. CGPA,
- Min. 3.50 M.S. CGPA,
- 2 Reference Letters,
- Letter of intention (included in the online form),
- A M.S. Degree,
- Portfolio (studies carried out during BSc, M.S. etc.),
- M.S. Thesis,
- Interview,
- Either minimum B.S. CGPA score have to be 3.00 or minimum M.S. CGPA score have to be 3.50

For Ph.D. on B.S.

Candidates should have;

- B.S. degree in City and Regional Planning Department (CRP) or in related tracks of CRP,
- Min. 65 METU EPE Result,
- Min. 70 ALES (Quantitative),
- Min. 3.00 B.S. CGPA,
- 2 Reference Letters,
- Letter of intention (included in the online form),
- Portfolio (studies carried out during BSc, etc.),
- Interview

City and Regional Planning Doctoral Program



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CITY AND REGIONAL PLANNING DOCTORAL PROGRAM

Graduate School of Natural and Applied Sciences

OVERVIEW

Started education with a graduate program in 1961, Department of City and Regional Planning in METU has been offering a PhD degree in City and Regional Planning since the 1977-1978 academic year. The PhD program is organized as an 8-Semester Program (4 years). In the first four semesters, students are expected to take 8 courses. In addition to the must courses "New Tendencies in Planning" and "Space Concepts and Organization in the New Age", five other elective courses should be taken. The program, also, offers a thesis seminar course as a non-credit course.

After the finishing the courses, the students take the Proficiency Exam in City and Regional Planning. Upon successful completion of the proficiency exam, research studies and thesis writing process begin. The thesis working process is regularly supervised by the Thesis Supervisory Committees appointed by the Department.

Our department also offers an Integrated PhD program to be followed after Bachelor's Degree.

Research Fields

City Planning, Regional Planning, Urban Design, Transportation Planning, Cultural Heritage and Conservation, Ecology and Planning, Urban Transformation, Gentrification, Tourism, Risk Management, Disaster Planning, Mitigation Planning



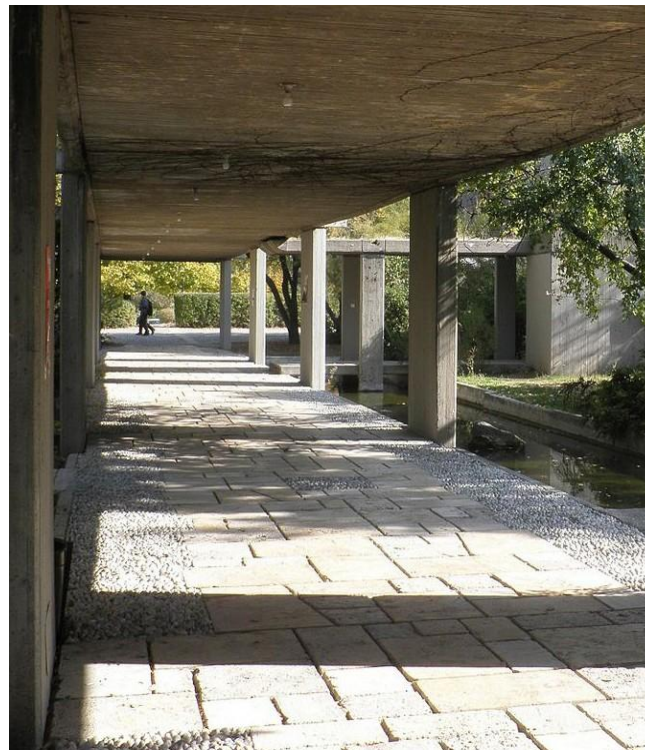
Curriculum

CRP 601 New Tendencies in Planning (3-0)3
CRP 602 Space Concepts and Organization in the New Age (3-0)3
CRP 600 Ph.D. Thesis NC
CRP 640 Doctoral Seminar NC
5 elective courses

Total Minimum Credit: 21
Number of courses with credit (min): 7

Elective Courses

CP 524 Application of Advanced Statistical Methods
CP 527 Modernity, Postmodernity and Urban Studies
CP 531 Cultural heritage Management
CP 537 Urban Property Development and Planning
CP 550 Solar Energy and Urban Planning
CP 551 Theories and Principles of Urban Design
CP 558 New Modes of Intervention in Planning
CP 704 Transport Policy



CP 706 The Strategic Spatial Planning: Principles, Techniques and Practices
RP 511 Planning Theory
RP 532 Methods of Regional Analysis and Spatial Organization
RP 534 Changing Economic and Political Structure
CP 564 Urban Systems and National Development
UD701 Urban Space Research

* Apart from the elective courses offered by the Department, other graduate courses can be taken from the Faculty of Architecture and other faculties, with the approval of the supervisor and taking the thesis topic into consideration.

Year of Commencement: 1977-1978 Academic Year
Total Number of Students Graduated- 2013: 94