DEGREE PLACEMENT REVIEW PROCESS

REQUIRED MATERIALS TO SUBMIT by Monday, February 1, 2016, 4:30 p.m. to:

Studio Placement Review – Architecture
Michael Brick, Student Affairs Coordinator
University of Maryland School of Architecture, Planning & Preservation
1200 Architecture Building
3835 Campus Drive
College Park, MD 20742-1411

APPLICATION FORM (TWO COPIES)
Place one copy in the first page of your portfolio. Submit a second copy with the rest of your materials.

TRANSCRIPTS (Do not include in portfolio)
Submit official transcripts of academic record for ALL colleges/universities previously attended. Transcripts from the University of Maryland may be unofficial copies and may be from TESTUDO so as to include the Spring 2016 courses that you have registered for. Please be sure to include your name and UID number on your transcripts. For students who have transferred to the University of Maryland, please submit transcripts from all previous institutions attended so your grades can be verified. Transcripts may be unofficial.

PORTFOLIO
Please see detailed list of portfolio requirements on the following page.

ESSAY (Do not include in portfolio)
You must submit a one to two (1-2) page typed double-spaced essay responding to one of the following:

- Why do you want to pursue Architecture as a major?
- Who/What inspires you to pursue an Architecture-related field?
- Why is Architecture important to society?
- What is an Architect's responsibility to society?
- How do Architecture and Sustainability relate to each other?

LETTER OF CIRCUMSTANCE (OPTIONAL)
You may submit an additional statement that describes any extenuating circumstance relevant to your application. For example, if you have not met a satisfactory grade in a previous course and feel there are extenuating circumstances involved, you should use this opportunity to explain in more detail.