

College of Architecture and Design Computer Purchase Requirements for Fall 2013

2nd Year and Entering Graduates

These computer requirements apply to all undergraduate students entering the sophomore year (second year) of their program in summer or fall 2013, and graduate students entering their program in either summer or fall 2013.

For Entering Undergraduates

Freshmen students are required to wait and purchase a technology package that will be specified in May of 2014. College personnel will coordinate with students to purchase specific hardware and software required for their program of study. First year students should consider having a second-hand laptop for use in their freshman year.

About Your Technology Package

The College of Architecture and Design is specifying the following technology package for 2nd year Interior Design majors. Reliability, support, and productivity in relation to professional graphic applications have been key criteria in developing these specifications.

Where to Purchase Your Technology Package

All systems must be purchased through the University of Tennessee Bookstore Technology Center. Your computer will be pre-configured and installed with certain required software applications by Bookstore Technology Center staff at no additional cost.

When to Purchase Your Technology Package

All systems must be purchased through the Bookstore Technology Center between June 1st and July 3rd, 2013.

How to Purchase Your Technology Package

Forms of payment – Cash, check, MC, VISA, Discover in store. We cannot take credit cards over phone, email or fax. Distance orders must purchase a gift card online (more below)

Step one: Choose either the Mac Computer or Dell computer listed (If you wish to custom order the same model with greater capability-more RAM, larger hard drive- ask any sales associate and they will configure it for you)

Step two: choose a corresponding software/accessory pack:

1. Architecture – Mac
2. Architecture - Win
3. Interior Design – Mac
4. Interior Design- Win
5. Landscape Architecture- Mac
6. Landscape Architecture - Win

Step three: Stop by the Technology center to place your preorder. Payment will be made at time of pre-order. If you are unable to stop by the store to pre-order and pay in person, follow the steps below:

Go to <https://utbookstore.org/technology/personal-purchasing/ut-knoxville-student/>

Step 1- Download the coversheet and fill your selection from above. If you wish to add additional items (iPad, case, headphones etc.) – add them here.

Step 2- Download and fill out Adobe & Hardware software agreement. Follow the remaining steps on website –except we are not shipping these packages so no need to include shipping.

Send all of the above to the Technology Store via fax 865-974-3668 or scanned via email to bstc@utk.edu. We will respond with a quote that gives you the total for the package you have chosen.

Log in to the Bookstore webpage: utbookstore.org and choose Shop UTK on the far left. Enter Gift card in the search box.

Choose the bottom entry (no \$ amt.) Enter the amount of your quote and go to checkout. Pay with your credit card. In the order notes box write- your first & last name and "CoAD" to identify it as a preordered system. At the end just before checkout add the special shipping code to the discount code box to remove shipping charges.

Codes are as follows

Orders placed in June: 06shiptech
Orders placed in July: ship07tech

When and Where to Take Delivery of Your Technology Package

All technology packages will be available for pick-up at the Bookstore Technology Center as of August 12th 2013.

Technology Package Purchasing Exceptions

In certain exceptional circumstances, and only with the explicit permission of either the Director of the School of Architecture or the Chair of the Graduate Architecture Program, students may be allowed to purchase hardware from sources other than the Bookstore Technology Center. If this is the case you will still be required to purchase the required software applications from the BTC. Be aware that BTC staff will neither pre-configure systems nor install software applications on hardware purchased elsewhere.

For More Information Regarding the Purchase of Your Technology Package

For inquiries regarding Bookstore Technology Center purchasing procedures, please contact the BTC directly:

University of Tennessee Bookstore Technology Center
Carolyn P. Brown Memorial University Center
1502 West Cumberland Avenue
Phone: 865-974-2930
Email: uccs@utk.edu

For inquiries regarding the technical specifications included in the technology package, please contact the IT Coordinator for the College of Architecture and Design:

Jeff Wilkinson
IT Coordinator
College of Architecture and Design
Phone: (865) 974-3261
Email: jwilkin3@utk.edu

For inquiries regarding exceptions to the Bookstore Technology Center purchasing requirement, please contact either the Director of the School of Architecture or the Chair of the Graduate Architecture Program:

Scott W. Wall
Director of Architecture
College of Architecture and Design
Phone: (865) 974-5265
Email: swall2@utk.edu

George Dodds
Chair, Graduate Architecture Program
College of Architecture and Design
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Choose either Apple or Dell system. All configuration performed by UTK Bookstore Technology Center, except as noted.

Required Hardware

	Apple MacBook Pro 15"	\$2,163.00	Dell Precision Workstation M4700	\$1,999.00
Processor	2.6GHz i7 quad-core w/6MB L3 cache		2.7GHz i7-3740QM quad-core w/6MB L3 cache	
Memory	8GB SDRAM - 2 slots (8GB max.)		8GB SDRAM - 2 slots (32GB max.)	
Hard Drive	750GB SATA drive (7200rpm)		750GB SATA drive (7200rpm)	
Graphics Card	nVidia GeForce GT 650M w/ 1GB GDDR5		nVidia Quadro K2000M w/2GB VRAM	
Display	15.6" Hi Res. Glossy backlit display (1680x1050)		15.6" Ultra SharpAnti-glare backlit display (1920x1080)	
Optical Drive	8X DVD +/- RW optical drive		8X DVD +/- RW optical drive	
Ethernet	Gigabit		Gigabit	
Wireless	802.11n		802.11n	
Bluetooth	Yes		Yes	
Webcam	Yes		Yes	
Ports	2-USB 3.0 / 1-Firewire 800 / 1-Thunderbolt		2-USB 3.0 / 2-USB 2.0 / 1 combo: eSATA - USB 2.0 / 1-Firewire / 1-VGA / 1-HDMI	
Battery Life	7hr (wireless)		3.5-5 hours	
Operating System	OS X 10.8 (64 bit)		Windows7 Professional (64 bit)	
Weight	5.6 lbs		6.3 lbs	
Warranty	4 yr safeware warranty / accidental damage coverage	\$250.00	4 yr warranty / accidental damage coverage (included)	\$0.00
External 1TB Backup Drive	G-technology 1TB Hard drive	\$95.00	G-technology 1TB Hard drive	\$95.00
Dell 24" Widescreen HD LED Monitor 1920 x 1080 Resolution		\$199.00		\$199.00
Required Hardware Price		\$2,707.00		\$2,293.00

Required Software

Microsoft Windows 7 Professional	upgrade installed via BootCamp	\$115.00	(included)	\$0.00
Microsoft Office Professional Plus 2013 (365) Mac / Win 2 loads	4 yr subscription	\$79.00	4 yr subscription	\$79.00
Adobe CS6 Design Standard	(student install)	\$199.00	(student install)	\$199.00
Rhino 5	academic pricing	\$89.00	academic pricing	\$89.00
AutoCAD 2014	free academic download (student install)		free academic download (student install)	
Required Software Price		\$482.00		\$367.00
Total Required Items		\$3,189.00		\$2,660.00

Hardware Options

Dell 24" Ultra Sharp Monitor 1920x1200	price difference	add \$300.00	price difference	add \$300.00
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Software Options

Substitute Adobe 6 Design Premium	price difference	add \$150.00	price difference	add \$150.00
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