



**NOTICE**  
**of test of ability to study architecture for the 2020/2021 academic year**  
**(ENROLMENT IN THE NEXT YEAR)**

The ability test to study architecture, which may be taken only once in the academic year, will be held in the premises of the Faculty of Architecture of the University of Ljubljana, Zoisova 12, 1000 Ljubljana, according to the following schedule:

**WEDNESDAY**      **8 July 2020**      **at 9.00 am**    interviews with candidates

**YOU MUST BRING TO THE TEST:**

- personal identification document (identity card, passport, driving licence also acceptable);
- **personal portfolio in A3 horizontal format;**
- photocopy of certificate of payment, showing surname and name of candidate.

Before the test, you must settle the amount of **EUR 62.50**, to cover the costs of preparation and implementation of the test, **as per the attached invoice.**

The ability test to study architecture for candidates enrolling in a higher year of study under the criteria for transfer or the conditions applying to accelerated progression is composed of two parts (elements):

1. Assessment of the candidate's personal portfolio, which includes the candidate's representative study assignments from their studies to date from which they are progressing. (First part of the test is assessed at up to 10 points)
2. Interview with the candidate (oral test), which should reveal the candidate's interests, motives, awareness, vitality and personal traits, as well as their connection with architecture. (Second part of the test is assessed at up to 10 points).

In an interview with the candidate before a three-member committee, we seek to reveal:

- the motives and emotional affinity with architecture;
- their mental ease in conversation;
- a grasp of the environment (*culture, general events, location, forms, etc.*);
- objectivity (*evaluation of the space, relationships, circumstances, etc.*);
- the desire for change or innovation (*correction of circumstances or relationships*);
- imagination or wealth of ideas (*in proposed works or changes*);
- ability to seek new paths or approaches;
- possibly originality (*in presenting concepts*);
- organisational skills (*in a narrative or drawn presentation*);
- critical thinking with regard to forms, development phenomena, processes in culture and so forth.

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Candidates from abroad, who due to the epidemiological situation in their countries cannot for practical reasons attend the ability test in the July session, will be allowed to take the test in the autumn session. These candidates must notify their non-attendance to the head of the Student Affairs office by e-mail at: [mojca.rozman@fa.uni-lj.si](mailto:mojca.rozman@fa.uni-lj.si) no later than by 8 July 2020.

The ability test will be conducted in person and candidates will be required to abide consistently by the measures and recommendations of the National Institute of Public Health (NIJZ) regarding containment of the spread of COVID-19 infection. All instructions related to the progress and implementation of the ability test will be posted on the UL FA website [www.fa.uni-lj.si](http://www.fa.uni-lj.si) and candidates will be notified of this by e-mail.

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