

The focus of the course is understanding architecture and design theory through details and materials.

The course is not particularly a technical course, conveying but aims to discuss know-how, but aims to discuss details and materials as a part of architectural design and theory.

Detail in architecture; will be elaborated in different themes such as a motif, a joint or as a representation of construction

Likewise building materials will be investigated in terms of their impacts on architectural discourse as well as the popular material culture of the society.

ARCH 472:
Understanding
Through Details Architecture

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Tuesday /
10.00-12.50
MEF-FADA/A-215

During the semester, students will be asked to make detailed drawings during short trips to modern buildings in Istanbul. These first-hand experiences will be developed by studio critiques based on theoretical and critical texts.

At the end of the course, a lexicon will be created from all students; midterm drawings and writings.