

Department of Architectural Technology
Bachelor of Technology in Architectural Technology

ARCH 3510 ARCHITECTURAL DESIGN V

Commercial Project

Assignment 2.1 Precedent Study of Commercial space

Each of you have been given a store in the neighborhood of our site.

1. Draw a diagram of the space – showing entrance, displays, approach (sidewalk) cashier, changing rooms, bathrooms....
2. Draw an exterior elevation of the space
3. Show photographs of the space – (will need to ask permission to photograph inside)
4. Answer the following:
 - What does your store sell?
 - Where is it located – busy street, corner, infill, who are the neighbors?
 - What materials are used? Flooring, walls, ceiling, displays,
 - What colors?
 - Lighting? General, decorative? (draw or photograph)
 - How do they display their items?
 - What materials are used on the storefront?
 - How is the store name displayed?
 - What is the logo? Does it have one? Colors/materials?
 - What would you change to this store in regards to design?
 - What works best in their design?

HOMEWORK: Board 2.1: Precedent Study board - DUE: NEXT CLASS