

There are five regular Departments of Instruction, in each of which Diplomas are granted, viz. :—

1. Civil Engineering (including Sanitary Engineering).
2. Mining Engineering.
3. Mechanical and Electrical Engineering.
4. Architecture.
5. Analytical and Applied Chemistry.

The instruction given in each of these departments is designed to give the student a thorough knowledge of the scientific principles underlying the practice in the several professions, and also such a training as may make him immediately useful when he enters into active professional work.

DIPLOMA.

The regular course in each department is of three years' duration, and leads to the Diploma of the School. The instruction is given partly in the lecture rooms and partly in the drafting rooms, laboratories and field. A certain amount of work is laid out for the long vacation. The course of study in each department is general, and beyond the selection of his department the student has no opportunity to specialize.

DEGREE OF B. A. Sc.

After the general course is finished the Diploma of the School is granted, and the student is at liberty either to enter the active life of his profession or to spend another year in special work. This year is called the fourth, or post-graduate, year. Students electing to proceed with their studies are allowed to select two subjects from an approved list, and are required to confine their whole attention to these subjects during the fourth year. The subjects on this list are such as require a large amount of time to be devoted to laboratory and other practical work. The advanced theoretical instruction is given either at the beginning or end of the working-day, in order not to break up the time allotted to practical work. During this year the student is required to prepare a Thesis on some subject connected with his work. The practical examinations are held by the School, while the written examinations and the examination of the Theses are held by the University. After complying with all requirements, the candidate receives from the University the degree of Bachelor of Applied Science (B. A. Sc.).

PROFESSIONAL DEGREES.

Bachelors of Applied Science may, after three years spent in professional work, present themselves for the degrees of Civil Engineer (C. E.), Mining Engineer (M. E.), Mechanical Engineer (M. E.), or Electrical Engineer (E. E.), as the case may be, subject to the rules and regulations established by the University.