Public Information for the Master of Landscape Architecture

The Landscape Architectural Accreditation Board (LAAB) requires accredited programs to provide reliable information to the public. This information is intended to help potential students make informed application decisions.

Tuition and Fees
For a complete list of student fees and for a per-credit-hour breakdown of tuition rates, please refer to the University’s Comprehensive Tuition and Fee Schedule. Students entering the Master of Landscape Architecture (MLA) complete primarily graduate level courses.

The estimated cost of attendance (including room, board, medical insurance, food, books and supplies, etc.) for the 2021-22 academic year for full time graduate students is:

- In-state = $28,318  (Tuition + Fees = $5,651/semester)
- Out-of-state = $44,554  (Tuition + Fees = $15,269/semester)
- Western Regional Graduate Program = $33,970  (Tuition + Fees = $8,477/semester)

Additionally, there is a one-time required computer purchase. For more information about recommended computer equipment specification, please see our Computer Studio webpage.

Scholarships and Assistantships: In AY 2021-22, the University of Idaho Landscape Architecture program awarded $58,662 in scholarships and assistantships.

Student Retention and Graduation Rates:
The retention rate for the MLA program reflects the percentage of students who continue from the first year to the second year. The graduation rate for the MLA program reflects the percentage of students who complete the MLA within 5 years of enrolling.

Beginning in AY2022, the retention rate for the BSLA program is no longer provided here as the program is replaced by the BS, Environmental Design.

Student Retention Rate, AY 2021-22 = 95%
Student Graduation Rate, AY 2021-22 = 95%

The program has awarded the following number of degrees over the past five years:

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**Employment Status**
In 2021, all graduating students that sought employment in landscape architecture or a closely related field were able to secure entry-level positions within 3 months of graduation. No MLA students in this period went on to seek advanced degrees in landscape architecture or other disciplines.

**Accreditation**
The University of Idaho Master of Landscape Architecture (MLA) is a professional program and is fully accredited by LAAB. Starting in 2022, students may gain advanced standing in the MLA program after completing the pre-professional B.S., Environmental Design degree program. This allows students to complete the accredited MLA in 6 years, or 5.5 years if they choose to enroll in the summer study abroad program in Italy, which provides 9 credits of graduate coursework (equivalent to one full semester of graduate study).

For more information on accreditation and the LAAB, see: [www.asla.org/accreditationlaab.aspx](http://www.asla.org/accreditationlaab.aspx)

**Helpful Prospective Student Information Links**

Landscape Architecture Home Page: [www.uidaho.edu/caa/programs/landscape-architecture](http://www.uidaho.edu/caa/programs/landscape-architecture)


Admission Information: [www.uidaho.edu/admissions](http://www.uidaho.edu/admissions)

Financial Aid and Scholarships: [www.uidaho.edu/financialaid](http://www.uidaho.edu/financialaid)

UI College of Graduate studies: [www.uidaho.edu/cogs](http://www.uidaho.edu/cogs)