



Outdoor recreation development in ZHENGZHOU WETLAND NATIONAL PARK, China, Wencan Li, MLA 2018.

LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE

combining art and science

The University of Idaho offers a seamless path from the B.S. Environmental Design major through the professionally accredited M. Landscape Architecture, making it possible to accelerate the completion of the accredited MLA. With these degrees you will be well positioned for competitive career opportunities in Landscape Architecture and closely related fields of community, regional and environmental planning.

Landscape architecture combines art and science and includes the planning, design and management of outdoor spaces in cities and regions of all sizes. Landscape Architects use the latest technology to develop solutions that address global issues including environmental quality, open space and habitat connectivity, water, food, energy and sustainability. As designers and environmental stewards, Landscape Architects shape the way we experience the built and natural world.



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I B.S. Environmental Design + M.L.A.

fall credits

spring credits

1	Larc 151 Intro to the Built Environment	3	TOTAL 15
	Art 121 Integrated Design Process I	3	
	Math 143** Pre-Calculus/Analytic Geometry	3	
	Social Science / Behavioral Course	3	
	Eng 101* Intro to College Writing	3	

TOTAL 16	Larc 150 Landscape, Culture & Environment	3
	Art 100 Intro to Art: Why Art Matters	3
	Gen Ed Communication Course	3
	Gen Ed GEOL 101/Lab	4
	Eng 102* College Writing and Rhetoric	3

2	Larc 210 Land. Arch. Rep & Media	3	TOTAL 15
	Larc 251 Intro Principles of Site Design	3	
	Larc 252 Design Foundations Studio	6	
	Larc 288 Plant Materials & Design I	3	

TOTAL 16	Larc 253 Design Process Studio	6
	Larc 389 History of Landscape Architecture	3
	BIOL 102/ Lab Biology & Society	4
	FOR 221 Principles of Ecology	3

3RD YEAR GATE: PORTFOLIO AND APPLICATION REQUIRED

3	Larc 353/355 Design Studio 1 & 2	6	TOTAL 16
	Larc 340 Grading Drainage & Stormwater Mgt	4	
	Larc 358 Professional Office Practice	2	
	Soil 205 The Soil Ecosystem	3	

TOTAL 16	Larc 363/365 Design Studio 3 & 4	6
	Larc 341 Construction Detailing & Documentation	4
	Larc 395 GIS Applications in Land Planning	3
	General Education	3

GRADUATE GATE: APPLICATION REQUIRED

4	Larc elective ⁽¹⁾	3	TOTAL 15
	Larc elective	3	
	Larc or approved elective ⁽³⁾	3	
	ENVS 420 Intro to Bioregional Planning	3	
	Gen Ed Humanities course	3	

TOTAL 15	Larc elective ⁽²⁾	3
	Larc elective	3
	Larc or approved elective ⁽⁴⁾	3
	Larc 480 the Resilient Landscape	3
	GE American Diversity Course	3

Total major degree credits 124

5	Larc 558 Graduate Studio 3	6	TOTAL 12
	Larc Elective	3	
	Graduate Elective	3	

TOTAL 12	Larc 562 Graduate Studio 4	6
	Larc 555 Master's Project Preparation	3
	Graduate Elective	3

6	Larc 599 Graduate Studio 3 OR	6	TOTAL 9
	Larc 500 Graduate Thesis	varies	
	Graduate Elective	3	

TOTAL 6-9	Larc 599 Graduate Studio 4 OR	6
	Larc 500 Graduate Thesis	varies
	Graduate Elective	3

Total BSED to MLA degree credits 160

* Degree-seeking students must be enrolled in Eng 090, 101, or 102 until they have passed Engl 102
 **Math 143 Alternative is Statistics 251, 3 credits
 *** MLA program is offered on the Moscow Campus and at the University of Idaho Boise.
 GenEd requirements included in above:
 ENGL 101 and ENGL 102 fulfill GenEd J-3-a requirements
 BIOL 102 / L and GEOL 101 / L fulfill GenEd J-3-c requirements
 MATH 143 fulfills GenEd J-3-d requirements
 ARCH 151 - Satisfies 3 credits of GenEd J-3-e Artistic / Humanistic WoK
 LARC 480 fulfills GenEd J-3-g requirements

(1) Larc 453/455 Design Studio 5 & 6 6cr
 (2) Larc 463/465 Design Studio 7 & 8 6cr
 (3) Larc481 Urban Systems in Ecology 3cr
 (4) Larc380 Water Conservation Tech. 3cr



3 Year Landscape Architecture M.L.A.

professional accredited degree in landscape architecture

3 Year MLA Plan

	fall	credits		spring	credits
1	Larc 510 Adv. Design Representation	3	TOTAL 15	Larc 556 Graduate Studio 2	6
	Larc 512 Landscape Analysis and Site Planning	3		Larc 589 History&Theory Landscape Arch.	3
	Larc 554 Graduate Studio I	6		Larc 395 GIS App. in Landscape Planning	4
	Larc 488 Plant Materials Design I	3		TOTAL 13	
2	Larc 558 Graduate Studio 3	6	TOTAL 12	Larc 562 Graduate Studio 4	6
	Larc 358 Professional Practice	2		Larc 441 Construction Materials & Documentation	4
	Larc 440 Grading Drainage & Stormwater	4		Larc 555 Master's Project Preparation	3
3	Larc 500 Thesis or LARC 599 Master's Project	6	TOTAL 9	Larc 500 Thesis or LARC 599 Master's Project	6
	Graduate Elective ⁽¹⁾	3		Graduate Elective ⁽²⁾	3
Total credits required for graduation					71

2 Year MLA Plan for students with advanced standing

Students entering the MLA program with undergraduate degrees in Landscape Architecture, Architecture or a closely related field may be given up to one full year of advanced standing. They follow a 2-year plan of study.

1	Larc 558 Graduate Studio 3	6	TOTAL 9	Larc 562 Graduate Studio 4	6	TOTAL 12
	Graduate Elective	3		Larc 555 Master's Project Preparation	3	
2	Larc 500 Thesis or LARC 599 Master's Project	6	TOTAL 9	Larc 500 Thesis or LARC 599 Master's Project	6	TOTAL 9
	Graduate Elective	3		Graduate Elective	3	
Total major degree credits					39	