

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN SUSTAINABLE BUILT ENVIRONMENTS

Accelerated Master's Program (AMP): Master of Landscape Architecture

Fall 1			Spring 1		
SBE 195A	Introduction to Sustainability	1	SBE 195B	Careers in Sustainability	1
ENGL 101	First-Year Composition	3	ENGL 102	First-Year Composition	3
MATH 112	College Algebra	3	ECOL 182R	Introductory Biology II: Lecture	3
EVS 260	Environmental Studies	3	ECOL 182L	Introductory Biology II: Lab	1
UNIV 101	Intro to the Gen Ed Experience	1	SBS 200	Introduction to Statistics	4
	Second Language Semester 1	4		Second Language Semester 2	4
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Fall 2			Spring 2		
SBE 201	Sustainable Design and Planning	3	SBE 202	Professional Communication and Presentation	3
SBE 223	History of Sustainability Solutions	3	CHEE 204	Water & Energy *	3
PHYS 110	Intro Physics I: Lecture/Lab	4	ECON 200	Basic Economic Issues**	3
	Gen Ed: Building Connections	3		Gen Ed: Expl Perspectives - Artist	3
	Gen Ed: Expl Perspectives – Hum.	3		Gen Ed: Civic Institutions	3
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Declare Emphasis in Sustainable Landscapes, Apply to MLA AMP in Year 3					
Fall 3			Spring 3		
LAR 470	Intro to GIS for PLG and LAR~	4	SBE 424	Urban Ecology	3
SBE 301	Introduction to Design Thinking	4	PHIL 323	Environmental Ethics***	3
GEOG 367	Population Geography	3	LAR 428	Landscape Planning † ~	3
LAR 420	Plant materials † ~	4	PLG 408	Climate Action Planning †	3
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Summer 3					
SBE 393	Professional Internship	3			
		3			
Begin MLA AMP in Year 4^^					
Fall 4			Spring 4		
SBE 480	Research Methods	3	SBE 498	Senior Capstone	3
LAR 510	Design Studio I ^	6	ARC 471S	Contemporary Arch & Urban Theory	3
LAR 555	Landscape Construction	3	LAR 511	Design Studio II ^	6
LAR 440	Contemporary Land Arch † ~	3	LAR 554	Site Engineering	3
UNIV 301	General Education Portfolio	1	LAR 322	Landscape Analysis † ~	3
		19			18
Complete BSSBE Program/Start MLA					
Fall 5			Spring 5		
LAR 610	Design Studio III	6	LAR 611	Design Studio IV	6
LAR 526	Planting Design	4	LAR 596B	Landscape Architecture Seminar II	1
		10	LAR 560	Professional Practice	2
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Fall 6			Spring 6		
LAR 612	Design Studio V	6	LAR 596D	Landscape Architecture Seminar IV	2
LAR 596C	Landscape Architecture Seminar III	2	LAR909/910	Master's Report/Thesis	6-9
		8			8-11

This is only one possible plan of study, please work closely with your academic advisor to develop your path to degree.



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Fulfills the General Education requirements for:

- * Exploring Perspectives - Natural Scientist
- ** Exploring Perspectives - Social Scientist
- *** Building Connections

- † Emphasis area course.
- ~ Eligible for advanced standing credit in the MLA.
- ^ 12 units are shared with MLA program (up to 12 AMP units are allowed).
- ^^ Must have a GPA of 3.30 and at least 90 BSSBE units complete at the beginning of Fall 4.

BSSBE EMPHASIS AREAS

BSSBE Students are required to select one of the following emphasis areas (6 courses, 18 units). Students planning to AMP into the MLA program are advised to select the Sustainable Landscapes Emphasis, since most of these courses are eligible for advanced standing credit in the MLA and will shorten time to degree.

- Heritage Conservation
- Sustainable Buildings
- Sustainable Communities
- **Sustainable Landscapes**
- Sustainable Real Estate Development

Sustainable Landscapes

Learn about environmental design, planning and management challenges and how to overcome them. Study subjects such as water harvesting, passive cooling, urban heat island mitigation, climate adaptability and how landscapes can improve human health. Explore urban ecology, natural resource management and environmental policy.

Main Campus

- LAR 420 Plant Materials
- LAR 322 Landscape Analysis
- LAR 423 Landscape Ecology
- LAR 440 Contemporary Landscape Architecture
- LAR 428 Landscape Planning
- PLG 408 Climate Action Planning



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