



MASTER OF LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE PROGRAM OVERVIEW



The MLA program has been in existence since 1958. Since that time the program's mission has been to train "entry level" professional landscape architects. Our curriculum focuses on design, construction and planning components as well as the visual quality, research and technological aspects of the Discipline. Computer graphics, Geographic Information System, erosion control and plant material courses are also offered. In addition the program offers professional practice, history and research methods courses to round out the student's education.

The mission of the Master of Landscape Architecture program is to prepare students to become professional landscape architects in the private and/or public sector of practice. Our MLA graduates are educated in a manner so as to be competent in the spatial configuration, environmental design and land use planning strategy formulation of land use plans to solve landscape problems. Our curriculum is structured to influence our teaching and professional instruction to foster students' critical analysis and critical thinking.

We strive to build a knowledge base of how humans investigate, interact with and benefit from connections with the natural and built environment. We encourage our students to be lifelong learners and leaders in their field.

Admissions Deadlines

December 1: Application deadline for financial aid

March 15: Deadline for all applications

CURRICULUM

Leveling Year (Three-Year Program)		
LAND 601	Design Theory	5 hours
LAND 612	Site Development	4 hours
LAND 645	Practice Diversity	3 hours
LAND 655	Landscape Architectural Communications	3 hours
LAND 602	Design Application	5 hours
LAND 614	Site Construction	3 hours
	Elective (degree related)	3 hours
	Total	26 hours

Advanced Year (All MLA Students)		
LAND 620	Open Space Development 1	5 hours
HORT 608	Plants for Landscape Design	4 hours
ESSM 600	Ecology and Land Uses	3 hours
LAND 621	Open Space Development II	5 hours
LAND 681	Seminar	1 hour
LAND 640	Research Methods	3 hours
LAND 630	Development of Landscape Architecture	3 hours
	Total	24 hours

Summer		
LAND 684	Internship	0-1 hours
	Total	0-1 hours

Final Year (All MLA Students)		
LAND 693	Professional Study	3 hours
	Elective	3 hours
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LAND 646	Professional Practice	3 hours
LAND 693	Professional Study	4 hours
	Elective	3 hours
	Total	19 hours



APPLYING TO MLA

To apply, please visit
tx.ag/MLAadmissions

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