

2026-2027 Bachelor of Landscape Architecture (BLA) Curriculum

Year 1	
First Semester ○ LARC 1150 - Intro to Landscape Architecture 3 Cr ○ LARC 1280 1281 - Technical Graphics 3 Cr ○ LARC 1510 - Basic Design I 3 Cr ○ Arts and Humanities (Non-Lit) Requirement 3 Cr ¹ ○ ENGL 1030 - Composition and Rhetoric 3 Cr Total Credit Hours: 15 Gen Eds: 6	Second Semester ○ LARC 1160 - History of Landscape Architecture 3 Cr ○ LARC 1520 - Basic Design II 6 Cr ○ LARC 1580 1581 - Digital Representation I 3 Cr ○ COMM 1500 - Introduction to Human Communication 3 Cr <i>or</i> COMM 2500 - Public Speaking 3 Cr ○ Global Challenge Requirement Lower-Level 3 Cr Total Credit Hours: 18 Gen Eds: 6
Year 2	
First Semester ○ BIOL 1030 - General Biology I 3 Cr ² ○ BIOL 1050 - General Biology Laboratory I 1 Cr ² ○ LARC 2140 - Plants in the Landscape 3 Cr ³ ○ LARC 2510 2511 - LA Design Fund. 6 Cr ○ LARC 2620 2621 - Design Implementation I 3 Cr Total Credit Hours: 16 Gen Eds: 4 Select Study Abroad Fall of 2nd Year	Second Semester ○ LARC 2150 - Planting Design 3 Cr ³ ○ LARC 2550 2551 - Community Design Studio 6 Cr ○ LARC 3620 3621- Design Implementation II 3 Cr ○ Elective: LARC 2580 2581 - Digital Rep. II 3 Cr ○ Mathematics Requirement 3 Cr ¹ Total Credit Hours: 18 Gen Eds: 3
Year 3	
First Semester ○ LARC 4540 4541 - Urban Design Studio 6 Credits ○ LARC 4620 4621 - Design Implementation III 3 Cr ○ LARC 3810 - LA Professional Practice 3 Cr ○ Social Science Requirement 3 Cr ¹ Total Credit Hours: 15 Gen Eds: 3	Second Semester ○ LARC 3190 - Off-Campus Field Study 3 Cr ⁴ ○ LARC 3210 - Landscape Architectural Seminar 3 Cr ⁴ ○ LARC 3550 3551 - Off-Campus Studio 6 Cr ⁴ Total Credit Hours: 12 Gen Eds: 0
Year 4	
First Semester ○ LARC 3510 3511- Regional Design and Ecology 6 Cr ○ LARC 4530 - Capstone Seminar 3 Cr ○ Arts and Humanities (Literature) Requirement 3 Cr ¹ ○ Elective 3 Credits Total Credit Hours: 15 Gen Eds: 3	Second Semester ○ LARC 4550 - LA Capstone Project 6 Cr ⁶ ○ SC Reach Act or Elective Cr ⁵ ○ Social Science Requirement 3 Credits ¹ ○ LARC 4230 - Environmental Issues in Landscape Architecture (Upper-Level Global Challenge Course) 3 Cr Total Credit Hours: 15 Gen Eds: 9
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Footnotes ¹ See General Education Requirements. ² Any course that meets the Natural Science with Lab General Education Requirement may be substituted. ³ Any 3000- or 4000-level HORT course may be substituted with advisor approval. ⁴ Any 3000- or 4000-level ARCH or LARC course may be substituted with advisor approval. ⁵ See SC Reach Act Requirement ⁶ Capstone Studio must be completed on campus the semester of graduation. The Capstone project is not offered in the summer and is only offered in the fall and spring semesters.	