I. Pathways to General Education 42 - 45 Credit Hours

II. Landscape Architecture Core Degree Requirements 51 Credit Hours

III. Requirements for BLA Major (+9 in Pathways) 39 Credit Hours

IV. Restricted Electives 9 Credit Hours

V. Free Electives 9 - 12 Credit Hours

Total Credit Hours 153 Credit Hours

Departmental Policies

Satisfactory progress toward degree: In addition to successful completion of the University requirements, all students must achieve a minimum 2.0 GPA by the end of the semester in which the 50th credit hour is attempted. All students must receive a C- or higher in all Core Degree Required Courses and technology courses (2164, 3154, 3164 and 3044).

In-major GPA and an overall GPA: A 2.0 GPA is required for graduation.

Prerequisites: Some courses listed on this checksheet may have prerequisites and/or corequisites; please consult the University Course Catalog or check with your advisor.

Restricted Major Requirements: Students who make application to Landscape Architecture through the change of major process must meet the following requirements prior to entering the major: (1) Minimum 2.0 overall GPA prior to ARCH 1015, and (2) Application Interview with Landscape Architecture Program Chair.

Pathways Curriculum 42-45 Credits Required (12 fulfilled in major)

Pathway 1 - Discourse (9 credits: 6 foundational + 3 advanced/applied)
ENGL 1105 (1f) First Year Writing
ENGL 1106 (1f) First Year Writing
*LAR 4034 (1a) Evolution of the American Landscape

Note: LAR 4034 can count as either Pathway 1a or 2

Pathway 2 - Critical Thinking in the Humanities (6 credits)
Select from any approved Humanities courses

Pathway 3 - Reasoning in the Social Sciences (6 credits)
*LAR 3264 People, Community and Place (Pre: 2254)
Select from any approved Social Science courses

Pathway 4 - Reasoning in the Natural Sciences (6 credits)
GEOS 1004 Introduction to Earth Science
Select from any approved Natural Science course, except as noted

Note: LAR 1254 does NOT count as Concept 4 for LAR majors

Pathway 5 - Quantitative and Computational Thinking (9 credits: 6 foundational + 3 advanced/applied)
Pathway 5f, select from approved list

Approved Pathway 5f courses (choose from the following pairs):
- MATH 1014 (5f) Precalc with Transcendental (3CR) and MATH 1025 (5f) Elementary Calculus (3CR), or
- MATH 1025 (5f) Elementary Calculus (3CR) and MATH 1026 (5f) Elementary Calculus (3CR), or
- MATH 1225 (5f) Calculus of a Single Variable (3CR) and MATH 1226 (5f) Calculus of a Single Variable (3CR), or
- MATH 1535 (5f) Geometry & Mathematics of Design (3CR) and MATH 1536 (5f) Geometry & Mathematics of Design (3CR)

Pathway 6 - Critique and Practice in Design and the Arts (6 credits: 3 design + 3 arts)
Select from any approved Concept 6 course

Pathway 7 - Critical Analysis of Identify and Equity in the United States (3 credits)
Select from any approved Ident & Equity course

II. Bachelor of Landscape Architecture Degree Core Requirements  51 Credits Required

* LAR 2015 (Pre: ARCH 1016) LAR Studio: Process/Place I  6
* LAR 2016 (Pre: 2015) LAR Studio: Process/Place II  6
* LAR 3015 (Pre: 2016) LAR Studio: Site Program Community I  6
* LAR 3016 (Pre: 3015) LAR Studio: Site Program Community II  6
* LAR 4014 (Pre: 3016, 3164) Design and Construction Documents  6
* LAR 4084 (Pre: 4014) Landscape Design and Planning Studio  6,  6
  \hspace{1cm} LAR 4084 is taken twice, for a maximum of 12 credits
* LAR 4094 Senior Project  9

III. Bachelor of Landscape Architecture Major Requirements  39 Credits Required

* ARCH 1015 Foundation Design Lab  6
* ARCH 1016 Foundation Design Lab  6
* LAR 1254 Environment and Natural Systems  3
* LAR 1264 See Understand & Represent Landscape (Pathway 6a or 6d)  3 (Pathways Course)
* LAR 2164 Landform Function and Aesthetics (Pre: 1264)  4
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*Note: Credit hours for courses noted as a Pathways course, and used a Pathways course, are not counted in the 39 credit hours of major requirements.*
### IV. Restricted Elective Requirements  
9 Credits Required

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**Earth Science Electives:**
- CSES 3134 (ENSC 3134) Soils in the Landscape (3CR), or
- GEOS 3304 (CSES 3304) (GEOG 3304) Geomorphology (3CR) (Pre: GEOS 1104 or 2104, or 2024 or GEOG 1104), or
- FREC 4354 Forest Soil and Watershed Management (3CR) (Pre: CSES 3114 or FREC 2004 or ENSC 3114 or GEOS 3614 or CSES 3134 or ENSC 3134), or
- GEOS 3614 (CSES 3114) (ENSC 3114) Soils (Pre: CHEM 1036), or
- Another approved within the spirit and intention of the earth science elective

**Plant Science Electives:**
- HORT 3325 Woody Landscape Plants (3CR) (lecture and lab), or
- HORT 3326 Woody Landscape Plants (3CR) (lecture and lab), or
- FREC 2314 Forest Biology and Dendrology (2CR), & FREC 2324 Dendrology Laboratory (1CR) (Pre: BIOL 1106 or BIOL 1106), or
- HORT 2134 Plants and Greenspaces Urban Community (3CR), or
- Another approved within the spirit and intention of the plant sciences elective

### V. Free Electives  
9 - 12 Credits Required

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**University and Admissions Foreign Language Requirement**  
No Credits Count Toward Degree

Complete one of following options:
- 2 years of a single foreign, classical or sign language in high school, or
- Complete FL 1105-1106, or equivalent in college (these 6 credit hours do not count toward the 153 required for graduation)

**Additional Notes**

*Courses noted with an asterisk are included in the calculation of In-Major GPA*