

## Landscape Architecture & Environmental Planning at the University of California, Berkeley

The Department of Landscape Architecture & Environmental Planning (LAEP) at UC Berkeley offers three **Master of Landscape Architecture (M.L.A.)** degree tracks that are structured to equip students with advanced design and planning skills:

- The three-year M.L.A. degree track (MLA 3D) is the first professional degree accredited by the American Society of Landscape Architects (ASLA). This degree is for students with non-design backgrounds.
- The two-year M.L.A. degree track (MLA 2D) is the second professional degree for those students with first degrees in landscape architecture, architecture, or environmental design.
- The department also offers a two-year environmental planning program (MLA EP) leading to the M.L.A. degree for students with a strong background in the environmental sciences or management.

### MLA: Visiting

Please contact the LAEP Graduate Student Affairs Officer <laepgrad@berkeley.edu> to schedule a visit.

For a campus tour, please see the UC Berkeley Visitor Services website.

<http://visitors.berkeley.edu/tour/general.shtml>

### MLA: Admissions

We begin accepting applications for fall semester every September. The deadline for applications is December 17 of each year. To apply to our MLA program, please complete the UC Berkeley Online Application

<http://grad.berkeley.edu/admissions/apply/>

### MLA: Average admissions statistics per year

Total applications	250
Applicants admitted	50
Applicants who matriculate to UCB	25

**MLA: Cost of attendance (full-time) for one academic year**

Fees	\$ 16,209.50
Non-Resident Supplemental Tuition	\$ 12,245.00
Professional Degree Supplemental Tuition	\$ 6,000.00
Estimated Housing Costs	\$ 18,000.00
Estimated Costs of Books and Material	\$ 2,500.00
Total	\$ 54,954.50

**MLA: Current student statistics (2014-2015)**

Total number of students	62	
Male students	17	27%
Female students	45	73%
Students of under-represented populations	10	16%
International students	18	29%
Countries represented in student body	8	

**MLA: Student retention and graduation rates**

	Spring 2015	Spring 2014	Spring 2013	Spring 2012
Number of graduating students	27	29	22	28
Graduating in normative time	27	28	20	25
Percentage graduating in normative time	100%	97%	91%	89%
Attrition (students who left program)	0	1	0	0

**MLA: Student demographics**

2014-2015	Male	Female	Total	Percent
Hispanics of any race	2	5	7	11%
White	9	18	27	44%
African American	0	3	3	5%
Asian American	1	3	4	6%
Mixed	1	1	2	3%
Other/Don't know	0	0	0	0%
International	6	13	19	31%
Total	19	43	62	

<b>2013-2014</b>	Male	Female	Total	Percent
Hispanics of any race	1	6	7	10%
White	13	23	36	50%
African American	1	2	3	4%
Asian American	1	6	7	10%
Mixed	0	1	1	1%
Other/Don't know	0	0	0	0%
International	5	13	18	25%
Total	21	51	72	

<b>2012-2013</b>	Male	Female	Total	Percent
Hispanics of any race	2	4	6	9%
White	13	26	39	59%
African American	1	2	3	5%
Asian American	5	2	7	11%
Mixed	0	1	1	2%
Other/Don't know	0	0	0	0%
International	2	8	10	15%
Total	23	43	66	

<b>2011-2012</b>	Male	Female	Total	Percent
Hispanics of any race	3	2	5	7%
White	13	28	41	61%
African American	1	0	1	1%
Asian American	2	5	7	10%
Mixed	0	2	2	3%
Other/Don't know	0	0	0	0%
International	3	8	11	16%
Total	22	45	67	

<b>2010-2011</b>	Male	Female	Total	Percent
Hispanics of any race	2	3	5	8%
White	11	37	48	74%
African American	0	0	0	0%
Asian American	1	4	5	8%
Mixed	0	3	3	5%
Other/Don't know	0	0	0	0%
International	3	1	4	6%
Total	17	48	65	