

## 2020-2021 BLA + MLA Information

### **TUITION AND FEES per quarter | Autumn 2020, Winter 2021, Spring 2021**

For more details related to Resident (In-State), Part-Time Status, Non-Resident (Out-of-State)/International students, and other variations, please see link (pgs. 1, 2, 3, 4, 31, 32) (pgs 33-34 for Dual MLA/MArch):

<http://www.washington.edu/opb/tuition-fees/current-tuition-and-fees-dashboards/quarterly-tuition-and-fees-pdf-files/>

#### **Bachelor of Landscape Architecture (BLA) Tuition**

Resident (In-State)

10-18 credits: \$3,915/per quarter

Part-Time Tuition (min. 2 credits): \$383/per credit (min. \$851)

Overload Tuition (above 18 credits): add \$354/per credit

Non-Resident (Out-of-State)/International

10-18 credits: \$13,038/per quarter

Part-Time Tuition (min. 2 credits): \$1295/per credit (min. \$2,678)

Overload Tuition (above 18 credits): add \$1267/per credit

#### **Master of Landscape Architecture (MLA) Tuition – Built Environment - Const Mgmt, Land Arch, Urb Des Plan**

Resident (In-State)

7-18 credits: \$5,850/per quarter

Part-Time Tuition: \$823/per credit (min. 2 credits) (min. \$1,735)

Overload Tuition (above 18 credits): \$783/per credit

Non-Resident (Out-of-State)/International

7-18 credits: \$10,127/per quarter

Part-Time Tuition: \$1434/per credit (min. 2 credits) (min. \$2,957)

Overload Tuition (above 18 credits): add \$1394/per credit

#### **Fees + Other Costs (for both BLA + MLA)\* - <https://www.washington.edu/financialaid/getting-started/student-budgets/>**

- Studio, Construction, Computer Lab courses, etc.: \$50/per class; average \$350/year
- Private Transportation: \$471 Living on/off campus; \$687 Living w/Parents/Relatives - NOTE: \$258/year fee for U-Pass for METRO bus is included in tuition; \$1320 Commuter/Non UPass
- Housing/Rent, Utilities, Food (**9 months**) estimated at:
  - \$4,458 (lives with parents/relative)
  - \$13,887 (traditional student - single, living on/off campus)
  - \$17,316 (with dependents)Housing rates for University of Washington dormitories & other UofW housing:  
<https://hfs.uw.edu/Housing-Agreements/Rates>
- Personal expenses: \$2,316/year
- Computer and Software: \$3,000 (first year investment)
- Books: \$900/year
- Health Insurance: varies

The UW Student Health Insurance Plan (SHIP) terminated on September 19, 2014 and will not be offered to students, who are U.S. citizens or permanent residents, after this date. Under The Affordable Care Act, starting January 1, 2014, most Americans will be required to have health insurance or pay a penalty. This is called "The Individual Mandate." To avoid the penalty, you need insurance that qualifies as Minimum Essential Coverage. See options: <http://wellbeing.uw.edu/medical/insurance-cost/>

**International students** at the University of Washington (UW) are required by Federal and State laws to maintain health insurance, while studying in the United States. UW's International students are automatically enrolled for student-only coverage each quarter they register for classes.

See: <https://iship.washington.edu/>

<https://iss.washington.edu/student-life/health-insurance/>

The cost for International students is \$385/quarter (or \$1155/9 months; \$1540/year).

See: <https://www.uwb.edu/cie/current-students/health-insurance/cost-and-coverage>

Total estimated costs to attend the University of Washington for one academic year with full-time credit load each quarter (Autumn 2020, Winter 2021, Spring 2021):

First year, add \$3,000, if you need to buy a computer and software.

BLA, Resident (In-State) (lives with relatives): \$11,745 + \$8,711 = \$20,456, plus health care

BLA, Resident (In-State) (pays rent): \$11,745 + \$17,924 = \$29,669, plus health care

BLA, Non-Resident (Out-of-State): \$39,114 + \$17,924 = \$57,038, plus health care

MLA, Resident (In-State) (lives with relatives): \$17,550 + \$9,269 = \$26,819, plus health care

MLA, Resident (In-State) (pays rent): \$17,550 + \$22,127 = \$39,677, plus health care

MLA, Non-Resident (Out-of-State): \$30,380 + \$23,041 = \$53,421, plus health care

\*Based on data from UW websites:

<https://www.washington.edu/financialaid/>

<https://www.washington.edu/financialaid/getting-started/student-budgets/>

<https://iship.washington.edu/>

<https://iss.washington.edu/student-life/health-insurance/>

<https://www.uwb.edu/cie/current-students/health-insurance/cost-and-coverage>

<https://hfs.uw.edu/Housing-Agreements/Rates>

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### **STUDENT DEMOGRAPHICS**

The Master of Landscape Architecture Program is 70% female and 30% male. (86 MLA Students)

The Bachelor of Landscape Architecture Program is 66% female and 34% male. (32 BLA Students)

### **LENGTH OF PROGRAM**

Bachelor of Landscape Architecture program is offered as a five academic-year degree or a four academic-year plus summer quarter between the third and fourth years. Pre-requisite and General Education requirements need to be fulfilled before starting the BLA major, in the third year of undergraduate studies, if doing the seven quarter BLA program.

For details, see: <http://www.washington.edu/students/genecat/academic/larch.html>

<http://larch.be.uw.edu/programs/undergraduate/>

Master of Landscape Architecture program is offered as a two or three academic-year program. The three academic-year MLA I is for students entering the MLA program, without an accredited undergraduate degree in landscape architecture or architecture, as a first professional degree program. The two academic-year MLA II is for students who have an accredited undergraduate degree in landscape architecture or architecture. For details, see:

<http://larch.be.uw.edu/programs/graduate/>

### **ADMISSION, GRADUATION AND RETENTION RATES**

The BLA Program admitted 17 students in Autumn 2019 (usually admit 15-18).

The MLA I Program admitted 16 students in Autumn 2019

The MLA II Program admitted 12 students in Autumn 2019 to join the previous 19 students (that were MLA I students upon entering), so 31 total in this class.

The BLA Program graduated 20 students in Spring 2019.

The MLA Program graduated 25 students in Spring 2019. Of these 25, 1 received a concurrent Master of Urban Planning (MUP) and 3 received a concurrent Master of Architecture (M Arch).

There were 39 students in the BLA Program (Autumn 2018).

There were 92 students in the MLA Program (Autumn 2018).

There are 33 students in the BLA Program (Autumn 2019).

There are 86 students in the MLA Program (Autumn 2019).

In the past fourteen years (2006-2020), the BLA Program has graduated 254 students.

In the past fourteen years (2006-2020), the MLA Program has graduated 339 students.