

2023-24 BLA INFORMATION

BLA TUITION and FEES per quarter | Autumn 2023, Winter 2024, Spring 2024

For more details related to tuition and fees (Resident and Non-resident; per credit and part time; and other variations) and other variations, please see [UW OPB Quarterly Tuition and Fees](#)

Tuition category: Undergraduate

Full-time Tuition (10-18 credits/quarter)

	Quarterly Tuition	Annual Tuition
Resident (WA State)	\$4,215	\$12,643
Non-resident (non-WA State / International)	\$13,999	\$41,997

ESTIMATED FEES + OTHER COSTS FOR AN ACADEMIC YEAR (9 months Oct-June)

Autumn Quarter 2023 – Spring 2024 / 9 months

	Local student (living with relatives)	Traditional student (living on/off campus)	Student with dependents (living on/off campus)
Personal expenses	\$2,500	\$2,500	\$2,500
Books	\$900	\$900	\$900
Transportation (U-pass included in tuition)	\$800	\$500	\$1,600
Rent, utilities + food	\$5,700	\$18,000	\$22,250
Health insurance	varies	varies	varies
Total estimated living expenses	\$9,900	\$21,900	\$27,250
Resident tuition (In-state)	\$12,643	\$12,643	\$12,643
Total estimated costs – Resident*	\$22,543	\$34,543	\$39,893
Non-resident tuition (Out-of-state/International)	\$41,997	\$41,997	\$41,997
Total estimated costs – Non-resident*	\$51,897	\$63,897	\$69,247
Computer and software (first year investment)	\$3,000	\$3,000	\$3,000

* Does not include health insurance.

**Required ISHIP Health Insurance for International students is \$1,200 for the academic year ([International Students - Financial Ability Requirement](#))

Estimated costs are based on [Student Financial Aid - Student Budgets](#).

Other resources: [UW Student Financial Aid](#)
[UW Housing and Food Services - Housing and Dining Rates](#)

Health Insurance

Some [on-campus health services](#) are available for students.

U.S. Citizens: UW does not offer nor require health insurance for domestic students. Domestic students can seek coverage through [Washington Health Plan Finder](#). Learn more: <https://wellbeing.uw.edu/medical/insurance-cost/>

International Students: International students at 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. Learn more: [UW International Student Health Insurance Plan \(ISHIP\)](#) and [International Student Services - Health Insurance Requirement for International Students](#).

LENGTH OF PROGRAM

The standard timeline for BLA students is 9 quarters (or three years). However, students who enter the program with mostly completed general education requirements and significant progress towards BLA degree requirements may pursue an accelerated 7-quarter (two years plus one summer term) course sequence. When you enter the program, the Undergraduate Program Adviser will assess which sequence makes the most sense for you. You need to remain in sequence, as all landscape architecture and several directed elective courses are offered only once each academic year. Learn more: [UW//LA BLA Curriculum Guide](#)

BLA STUDENT DEMOGRAPHICS

Total students: 36 students (Autumn 2023)

64% female, 28% male, 8% nonbinary/trans

81% domestic

83% WA resident + 17% non-WA resident

38% non-caucasian (self identified)

19% international

DOUBLE MAJOR + MINOR STUDENTS

BLA + Other major: 2 (6%) – CHID, ART

BLA + Minor: 8 (22%) – ESRM, ARCH, R E, SPANISH, SCAN AREA, MAR BIO

ADMISSION RATES

Autumn 2023	20
Autumn 2022	15
Autumn 2021	16
Autumn 2020	18
Autumn 2019	17

GRADUATION RATES

Spring 2023	19
Spring 2022	11
Spring 2021	18
Spring 2020	8
Spring 2019	20

ALUMNI JOB PLACEMENT* as of June 2023

Class of 2022

8% Graduate Education
 33% Private Practice
 8% Government Practice
 17% Not Employed in Landscape Architecture
 33% Unknown

Class of 2021

17% Advanced Study + Research
 11% Private Practice
 5% Government Practice
 22% Landscape Horticulture/Design Build
 22% Not Employed in Landscape Architecture
 22% Unknown

Class of 2020

50% Private Practice
 12% Not Employed in Landscape Architecture
 38% Unknown

Class of 2019

10% Advanced Study + Research
 40% Private Practice
 5% Landscape Horticulture/Design Build
 40% Not Employed in Landscape Architecture
 5% Unknown