

2023-24 MLA INFORMATION

MLA 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) see [UW Office of Planning + Budgeting - Current Tuition and Fees Dashboards](#)

Tuition category: College of Built Environment - Const Mgmt, Land Arch, Urb Des Plan
Graduate program: Landscape Architecture / Landscape Architecture (Advanced Standing)

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

	Quarterly Tuition	Annual Tuition
Resident (WA State)	\$6,028	\$18,084
Non-resident (non-WA State / International)	\$10,443	\$31,329

ESTIMATED FEES + OTHER COSTS FOR AN ACADEMIC YEAR

Autumn Quarter 2023 – Spring 2024 / 9 months

	Student (living with relative)	Student (living on/off campus)
Personal Expenses	\$2,500	\$2,500
Books	\$900	\$900
Transportation (U-pass included in tuition)	\$800	\$1600
Rent, utilities + food	\$5,750	\$22,250
Health care	varies	varies
Health Insurance**	varies	varies
Total Estimated Living Expenses	\$9,950	\$27,250
Resident Tuition (In-state)	\$18,084	\$18,084
Total Estimated Costs – Resident*	\$28,034	\$45,334
Non-Resident Tuition (Out-of-state/International)	\$31,329	\$31,329
Total Estimated Costs – Non-resident*	\$41,2799	\$58,579
Computer and software (first year investment)	\$3,000	\$3,000

* Does not include health insurance or health care costs.

**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](#).

International Students should also reference financial information at [International Students - Financial Ability Requirement](#) for the estimated total expenses for the Financial Ability Requirement for F-1 visas.

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](#).

International Students: International students 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 Master of Landscape Architecture program is offered as two tracks – MLA I (3-year track) and MLA II (2-year track). The 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 MLA II is for students who have an accredited undergraduate degree in landscape architecture or architecture. Learn more: [UW//LA MLA Graduate Programs](#)

MLA STUDENT DEMOGRAPHICS

Total students: 82 students (Autumn 2023)

72% female, 26% male, 2% not specified

54% domestic

70% WA resident +30% Non-WA resident

48% BIPOC (self identified)

46% international

CONCURRENT DEGREE STUDENTS

MLA/Master of Architecture: 11 (13%)

MLA/Master of Urban Planning: 8 (10%)

ADMISSION RATES

	Autumn 2023	Autumn 2022	Autumn 2021	Autumn 2020
MLA I students admitted	17	18	16	17
MLA II students admitted	11	14	15	14
+ continuing students	15	18	20	15
Total Cohort	26	32	35	29

GRADUATION RATES

	Spring 2023	Spring 2022	Spring 2021	Spring 2020
MLA	20	11	29	16
Concurrent MLA / MUP	1	2	1	4
Concurrent MLA / MArch	1	1	1	5
Total Students Graduated	22	14	31	25

ALUMNI JOB PLACEMENT

	Class of 2022	Class of 2021	Class of 2020	Class of 2019
Private Practice	10	21	16	23
Government/Public Practice	1	6	1	2
Teaching	0	0	1	2
Landscape Hort/Design Build	0	2	1	0
Advanced Study + Research	0	3	0	0
Not Employed in LA	0	2	3	1
Unknown	1	1	4	0