DEPARTMENT OF LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE AND URBAN PLANNING

Landscape Architecture

Landscape architecture is the profession providing landscape planning, design, and management services to enhance and protect natural and built environments. Landscape architecture as a discipline is devoted to understanding and managing the human and environmental forces that change the landscape. Landscape architects plan and design places for the health, safety, and welfare of citizens through systematic decision-making that integrates science, art, and technology. Individual and community quality of life are enhanced by a design process to improve, protect, and create ecologically sustainable, socially equitable, and economically feasible landscapes. Landscape architects work in urban, suburban and wilderness environments. Our graduates have gained distinction for projects as varied in scale as private gardens, residential communities, urban plazas, college campuses, park facilities and regional conservation plans.

The Bachelor in Landscape Architecture (BLA) program is nationally accredited as a professional degree program. The mission of the program is to prepare students to become professional landscape architects in private and public sector practice. Our educational goal is to produce graduates motivated to be leaders in the field and professionals who are intellectually active, broadly-educated citizens and life-long learners.

Urban and Regional Planning

The Bachelor of Science in Urban and Regional Planning degree program emphasizes the social, economic, cultural and natural factors that govern how communities and society are shaped. Coursework provides students with the knowledge and skills needed to develop solutions to community and regional growth and development issues that face our state and nation. Students have an opportunity to specialize in specific aspects of community and regional planning and development issues along with internship and service-learning experiences locally, nationally, and/or internationally.

Faculty

Booth, Geoffrey J, Associate Professor
Land Arch & Urban Planning
MA, University of Queensland, 1987

Brown, Robert D, Professor
Land Arch & Urban Planning
PHD, University of Guelph, 1985
MLA, University of Guelph, 1982

Calvesbert, Tyrene, Visiting Lecturer
Land Arch & Urban Planning
MUP, Graduate School of Architecture, Planning and Preservation, 2019

Cooper Jr, John T, Associate Professor of the Practice
Land Arch & Urban Planning
PHD, University of North Carolina - Chapel Hill, 2004

Cowell Jr, Robert S, Visiting Assistant Professor
Land Arch & Urban Planning
MS, University of Tennessee, 1994

Davis, Deidra, Instructional Assistant Professor
Land Arch & Urban Planning
PHD, Southern Illinois University, 2017

Dvorak, Bruce D, Associate Professor
Land Arch & Urban Planning
MLA, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, 1994

Early, Timothy, Associate Professor of the Practice
Land Arch & Urban Planning
MS, Texas A&M University, 1991

Giusti, Cecilia Hundskopf, Associate Professor
Land Arch & Urban Planning
PHD, The University of Texas - Austin, 2001

Goddard, Tara B, Assistant Professor
Land Arch & Urban Planning
PHD, Portland State University, 2017

Golbabai, Justin, Associate Professor of the Practice
Land Arch & Urban Planning
CERT, American Institute of Certified Planners, 2015

Huang, Chang S, Associate Professor
Land Arch & Urban Planning
PHD, University of Pennsylvania, 1995

Hurst, Kenneth R, Assistant Professor of the Practice
Land Arch & Urban Planning
PHD, Texas A&M University, 2016
MLA, University of Oklahoma, 1988

Jourdan, Dawn E, Professor
Land Arch & Urban Planning
PHD, Florida State University, 2004
JD, University of Kansas, 2000

Kim, Youjung, Lecturer
Land Arch & Urban Planning
PHD, Texas A&M University, 2019

Lee, Chanam, Professor
Land Arch & Urban Planning
PHD, University of Washington, 2004

Lee, Ryun Jung, Lecturer
Land Arch & Urban Planning
PHD, Texas A&M University, 2018

Li, Dongying, Assistant Professor
Land Arch & Urban Planning
PHD, University of Illinois - Champaign, 2016

Li, Wei, Associate Professor
Land Arch & Urban Planning
PHD, University of California, Irvine, 2011
Majors

- Bachelor of Landscape Architecture in Landscape Architecture (http://catalog.tamu.edu/undergraduate/architecture/landscape-architecture-urban-planning/bla/)
- Bachelor of Science in Urban and Regional Planning, Urban Design Track (http://catalog.tamu.edu/undergraduate/architecture/landscape-architecture-urban-planning/urban-regional-planning-bs-urban-design-track/)
- Bachelor of Science in Urban and Regional Planning, Urban Policy Track (http://catalog.tamu.edu/undergraduate/architecture/landscape-architecture-urban-planning/urban-regional-planning-bs/)
- Bachelor of Science in Urban and Regional Planning and Master of Land and Property Development, 5-Year Degree Program (http://catalog.tamu.edu/undergraduate/architecture/landscape-architecture-urban-planning/bs-mlp/)
- Bachelor of Science in Urban and Regional Planning and Master of Urban Planning, 5-Year Degree Program (http://catalog.tamu.edu/undergraduate/architecture/landscape-architecture-urban-planning/bs-mup/)

Minors

- Urban and Regional Planning Minor (http://catalog.tamu.edu/undergraduate/architecture/landscape-architecture-urban-planning/urban-planning-minor/)