

Bachelor of the Built Environment (Landscape Architecture) (ABB003.1)

Please note these are the 2019 details for this course

Domestic students

Selection rank	NEW
Delivery mode	
Location	Bruce, Canberra
Duration	3.0 years
Faculty	Faculty of Arts and Design
Discipline	School of Design and the Built Environment
UAC code	363006
English language requirements	An IELTS Academic score of 6.0 overall, with no band score below 6.0 (or equivalent).
	View IELTS equivalences

International students

Academic entry requirements	To study at UC, you'll need to meet our academic entry requirements and any admission requirements specific to your course. Please read your course admission requirements below. To find out whether you meet UC's academic entry requirements, visit our academic entry requirements page.
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[View UC's academic entry requirements](#)

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Duration 3.0 years

Faculty Faculty of Arts and Design

Discipline School of Design and the Built Environment

CRICOS code 095577F

English language requirements An IELTS Academic score of 6.0 overall, with no band score below 6.0 (or equivalent).

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About this course

Create exceptional outdoor spaces

Landscape architecture involves the planning and design of outdoor areas in both public and private settings, such as parks, gardens, campuses, commercial centres and waterfront developments. By studying at UC you'll examine the complexities of urban and regional spaces across all layers of the landscape, while investigating topical issues in landscape architecture theory and practice. The rich and culturally diverse ways in which landscapes are understood will be explored, especially from Indigenous perspectives.

This dynamic and innovative course combines research-led teaching with practical learning including design studio activities, seminars, tutorials and field trips. At the conclusion of your course, you can choose to either forge an immediate career in the industry, or enrol in a one-year Bachelor of Landscape Architecture (Honours).

Study a Bachelor of the Built Environment (Landscape Architecture) at UC and you will:

- learn to read, interpret and analyse the landscape and built environment across a range of scales – from the suburban to the regional
- develop and evaluate responses to issues that contextualise the Australian landscape and the built environment
- draw on cultural, historical and theoretical frameworks to support your ideas
- visually and verbally evaluate a range of design solutions

- utilise digital technologies in a range of professional environments.

Work Integrated Learning

A feature of this course includes engaging with leading design professionals and industry practitioners to gain valuable real-world landscape architecture experience through the delivery of a series of 'live' projects. Internships at local, national and international landscape architecture and urban design firms are encouraged, as well as with local councils and government departments.

Career opportunities

- Landscape designer
- Urban designer
- Administrator
- Policymaker
- Landscape assessment officer

Course-specific information

Signature overseas study options have been tailored specifically to this course to ensure that students are globally connected. You'll be provided with the opportunity to work with leading practitioners and students at a variety of overseas institutions.

Professional accreditation

None.

Admission requirements

Admission to this course is based on an entrance rank. A rank can be achieved by the following means:

- Year 12 ATAR
- other Australian Qualification
- work experience
- overseas qualification

We also offer a number of entry initiatives that give you the opportunity to gain entry to the University via alternate pathway programs and admissions schemes.

More information is available on our Alternative Entry page: <http://www.canberra.edu.au/future-students/applications/apply-now/alternative-entry>

Assumed knowledge

None.

Periods course is open for new admissions

This course is not open for new admissions.

Credit arrangements

There are currently no formal credit transfer arrangements for entry to this course. Any previous study or work experience will only be considered as part of the application process in accordance with current [course rules](#) and [university policy](#).

Course requirements

Bachelor of the Built Environment (Landscape Architecture) (ABB003) | 72 credit points

Required - 57 credit points as follows

[Expand All](#) | [Collapse All](#)

Core Major in the Built Environment (CM0004) | 24 credit points

Required - Must pass 9 credit points as follows

[BE: Analysis Studio \(11014\) | 3 credit points – Level 1](#)

[Heritage Conservation \(11015\) | 3 credit points – Level 1](#)

[BE: History and Culture \(11016\) | 3 credit points – Level 1](#)

Restricted Choice - 15 credit points as follows

Part A - Must pass 3 credit points from the following

[Pixels and Polygons \(11013\) | 3 credit points – Level 1](#)

[BE Digital Design Techniques 01: Fundamentals \(11624\) | 3 credit points – Level 1](#)

Note:

- - From 2020 unit 11624 BE Digital Design Techniques 01: Fundamentals has replaced unit 11013 Pixels & Polygons. Students who have not already passed 11013 must complete 11624.

Part C - Must pass 3 credit points from the following

[Professional Practice 2: Work Integrated Learning \(11018\) | 3 credit points – Level 3](#)

[Professional Practice: WIL Studio 3 \(11574\) | 3 credit points – Level 3](#)

[Professional Practice \(Advanced Industry Studios\) \(11834\) | 3 credit points – Level 3](#)

Note:

- - Bruce Campus: From 2022 unit 11834 Prof Prac (Adv Industry Studios) has replaced unit 11574 Prof Prac: WIL Studio 3. Students who have not already passed 11018 or 11574 must complete 11834.
- - South Bank Campus: Students are still required to complete unit 11018 Professional

Practice 2.

Part B - Must pass 3 credit points from the following

[Professional Practice 1: Work Integrated Learning \(11017\) | 3 credit points – Level 2](#)

[Professional Practice \(Industry Studios\) \(11831\) | 3 credit points – Level 2](#)

Note:

- - Bruce Campus: From 2022 unit 11831 Prof Prac (Industry Studios) has replaced 11017 Professional Practice 1 at Bruce Campus. Students who have not already passed 11017 must complete 11831.
- - South Bank Campus: Students are still required to complete unit 11017 Professional Practice 1.

Part D - Must pass 3 credit points from the following

[Professional Orientation \(Built Environment\) \(10334\) | 3 credit points – Level 1](#)

[Professional Orientation \(Creative Industries and Digital Design\) \(11591\) | 3 credit points – Level 1](#)

Note:

- - Bruce Campus students to undertake 10334 Professional Orientation (Built Environment).
- - South Bank Campus students to undertake 11591 Professional Orientation (Creative Industries and Digital Design).

Part E - Must pass 3 credit points from the following

[Professional Evidence \(Built Environment\) \(11019\) | 3 credit points – Level 3](#)

[Professional Evidence \(Creative Industries and Digital Design\) \(11592\) | 3 credit points – Level 3](#)

Note:

- - Bruce Campus students to undertake 11019 Professional Evidence (Built Environment).
- - South Bank Campus students to undertake 11592 Professional Evidence (Creative Industries and Digital Design).

Specialist Major in Landscape Architecture (SM0015) | 33 credit points

Required - Must pass 33 credit points as follows

[Plants and Animals \(623\) | 3 credit points – Level 1](#)

[Built Environment Technology 1 \(10187\) | 3 credit points – Level 1](#)

[BE: Design Studio \(11020\) | 3 credit points – Level 1](#)

BE: Visual Communication (11021) | 3 credit points – Level 1

Landscape Architecture Theory (11032) | 3 credit points – Level 2

Landscape Architecture Design 2 (11033) | 3 credit points – Level 2

Landscape Architecture Documentation (11034) | 3 credit points – Level 3

Three Dimensional Landscape (11035) | 3 credit points – Level 2

Landscape Systems (11037) | 3 credit points – Level 3

Landscape Architecture Design 5 (11038) | 3 credit points – Level 3

Connections to Country (11128) | 3 credit points – Level 2

Open Electives - 15 credit points as follows

- - Must pass 15 credit points from anywhere in the University, as a breadth minor and/or as individual units.

In addition to course requirements, in order to successfully complete your course you must meet the inherent requirements. Please refer to the [inherent requirements statement](#) applicable to your course

Typical study pattern

UC - Canberra, Bruce

Standard Full Time, Semester 1 Commencing

Year 1

Semester 1

BE: Analysis Studio (11014)

BE: History and Culture (11016)

BE: Visual Communication (11021)

Professional Orientation (Built Environment) (10334)

Semester 2

BE: Design Studio (11020)

Built Environment Technology 1 (10187)

Heritage Conservation (11015)

Pixels and Polygons (11013)

Year 2

Semester 1

[Landscape Architecture Design 2 \(11033\)](#)

[Landscape Architecture Theory \(11032\)](#)

[Three Dimensional Landscape \(11035\)](#)

Open Elective Unit

Semester 2

[Connections to Country \(11128\)](#)

[Plants and Animals \(623\)](#)

[Professional Practice 1: Work Integrated Learning \(11017\)](#)

Open Elective Unit

Year 3

Semester 1

[Landscape Architecture Documentation \(11034\)](#)

[Landscape Systems \(11037\)](#)

[Professional Practice: WIL Studio 3 \(11574\)](#)

Open Elective Unit

Semester 2

[Landscape Architecture Design 5 \(11038\)](#)

[Professional Evidence \(Built Environment\) \(11019\)](#)

Two Open Elective Units

Course information

Course duration

Standard 3 years full-time or equivalent. Maximum 10 years.

Learning outcomes

Learning outcomes	Related graduate attributes
Read, interpret and analyse the landscape and built environment at a range of scales from the suburban to the regional scale.	1.1 UC graduates are professional: employ up-to-date and relevant knowledge and skills; 1.3 UC graduates are professional: use creativity, critical

	<p>thinking, analysis and research skills to solve theoretical and real-world problems;</p> <p>1.5 UC graduates are professional: display initiative and drive, and use their organisational skills to plan and manage their workload;</p> <p>2.2 UC graduates are global citizens: adopt an informed and balanced approach across professional and international boundaries;</p> <p>3.1 UC graduates are lifelong learners: reflect on their own practice, updating and adapting their knowledge and skills for continual professional and academic development; and</p> <p>3.2 UC graduates are lifelong learners: be self-aware.</p>
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Develop and evaluate responses to issues that contextualise the Australian landscape and the built environment drawings on cultural, historical and theoretical frameworks.

- 1.1 UC graduates are professional: employ up-to-date and relevant knowledge and skills;
- 1.3 UC graduates are professional: use creativity, critical thinking, analysis and research skills to solve theoretical and real-world problems;
- 1.4 UC graduates are professional: work collaboratively as part of a team, negotiate, and resolve conflict;
- 1.5 UC graduates are professional: display initiative and drive, and use their organisational skills to plan and manage their workload;
- 2.1 UC graduates are global citizens: think globally about issues in their profession;
- 2.3 UC graduates are global citizens: understand issues in their profession from the perspective of other cultures;
- 2.4 UC graduates are global citizens: communicate effectively in diverse cultural and social settings;
- 2.6 UC graduates are global citizens: behave ethically and

sustainably in their professional and personal lives;

3.2 UC graduates are lifelong learners: be self-aware; and

3.3 UC graduates are lifelong learners: adapt to complexity, ambiguity and change by being flexible and keen to engage with new ideas.

Evaluate and present a range of solutions to the design of landscape and the built environment through verbal and visual means including effectively utilising digital technologies in a range of professional environments.

1.1 UC graduates are professional: employ up-to-date and relevant knowledge and skills;

1.2 UC graduates are professional: communicate effectively;

1.4 UC graduates are professional: work collaboratively as part of a team, negotiate, and resolve conflict;

1.6 UC graduates are professional: take pride in their professional and personal integrity,

2.4 UC graduates are global citizens: communicate effectively in diverse cultural and social settings;

2.5 UC graduates are global citizens: make creative use of technology in their learning and professional lives;

3.3 UC graduates are lifelong learners: adapt to complexity, ambiguity and change by being flexible and keen to engage with new ideas; and

3.4 UC graduates are lifelong learners: evaluate and adopt new technology.

Majors

- [Core Major in the Built Environment \(CM0004\)](#)
- [Specialist Major in Landscape Architecture \(SM0015\)](#)

Awards

Award

Official abbreviation

Bachelor of the Built Environment (Landscape Architecture)	BBuiltEnv (LArch)
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Honours

High performing students may be eligible for enrolment in the Bachelor of Landscape Architecture (Honours).

Enquiries

Student category	Contact details
Prospective Domestic Students:	Email study@canberra.edu.au or Phone 1800 UNI CAN (1800 864 226)
Prospective International Students:	Email international@canberra.edu.au or Phone +61 2 6201 5342
Current and Commencing Students:	Email artsanddesign.enquiries@canberra.edu.au or Phone (02) 6201 2570 or 6206 3887

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UC acknowledges the Ngunnawal people, traditional custodians of the lands where Bruce campus is situated. We wish to acknowledge and respect their continuing culture and the contribution they make to the life of Canberra and the region. We also acknowledge all other First Nations Peoples on whose lands we gather.