

Landscape Architectural Accreditation Board Report

The Landscape Architectural Accreditation Board met on August 1-2, 2011.

The LAAB made the following accreditation decisions:

Granted candidacy status to:

Iowa State University – course of study leading to the first professional MLA degree

Rutgers – The State University of New Jersey – course of study leading to the first professional MLA degree

Granted accreditation for six years (due to expire on December 31, 2016) to:

Ball State University – course of study leading to the first professional MLA degree (visit delayed from fall semester)

Granted accreditation for six years due to expire on June 30, 2017 to:

California State Polytechnic University – course of study leading to the first professional MLA degree

Louisiana State University – course of study leading to the first professional BLA degree

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Mississippi State University – course of study leading to the first professional BLA degree

Ohio State University – course of study leading to the first professional BSLA degree

University of Oklahoma – course of study leading to the first professional MLA degree

University of Oregon – course of study leading to the first professional BLA degree

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Pennsylvania State University – course of study leading to the first professional BLA degree

Texas A & M University – course of study leading to the first professional MLA degree

Utah State University – course of study leading to the first professional BLA degree

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West Virginia University – course of study leading to the first professional BSLA degree

Granted accreditation for four years (due to expire on June 30, 2015) to:

Harvard University – course of study leading to the first professional MLA degree

Granted provisional accreditation for two years to:

California State Polytechnic State University – course of study leading to the first professional BSLA degree

Washington State University - course of study leading to the first professional BLA degree

The LAAB thanks the following members of the Roster of Visiting Evaluators (ROVE) who participated as visiting team members (team chairs in bold):

Iowa State University – Tony Barnes, FASLA

Rutgers University – Bernie Dahl, FASLA

Ball State University – **Pat Taylor, FASLA**, Roger Schluntz, FAIA, and Chet Thomas, ASLA

California State Polytechnic University BLSA – **Stephanie Rolley, FASLA**, Noelle Cockette, and Kurt Culbertson, FASLA

California State Polytechnic University MLA – **Scott Shannon, ASLA**, Liska Chan, and Ken Fowler, ASLA

Harvard University – **Dean Bork, ASLA**, Dawn Barrett, and Robby Layton, FASLA

Louisiana State University BLA - **Scott Weinberg, FASLA**, Elizabeth Brabec, and William S. Burton, FASLA

Louisiana State University MLA – **Terry Clements, ASLA**, Chris Silver, and Rodney Swink, FASLA

Mississippi State University – **Gary Kesler, FASLA**, Michael J. Andrejasich, AIA and Jim Wike, ASLA

Ohio State University – **Warren Rauhe, ASLA**, Dr. Mary Anne Alabanza Akers and David Walters, ASLA

University of Oklahoma – **Art Rice**, Dr. Claudia Goetz Phillips, and Terry J. DeWan, ASLA

University of Oregon BLA – **Kenneth R. Brooks, FASLA**, Lake Douglas, ASLA, and Fran Beatty, ASLA

University of Oregon MLA – **Thomas Woodfin, ASLA**, Dr. Gene A. Merrell, and Dr. Marcha Johnson, ASLA
Pennsylvania State University – **Les Smith, ASLA**, Dr. Lorraine Davis, and Robert J. Golde, ASLA
Texas A & M University – **Ron Stoltz, ASLA**, Daniel Ortega, ASLA, and Lynn Crump, ASLA
Utah State University BLA – **Dennis Law, FASLA**, Mark Westa, ASLA, and Bob Callans, FASLA
Utah State University MLA – **Jack Ahern, FASLA**, David Baird, AIA, and Kent Watson, FASLA
Washington State University – **Alf Simon, ASLA**, Dr. Lolly Tai, FASLA, and Steve Noll, ASLA
West Virginia University – **Malcolm Cairns, FASLA**, Vini Nathan, and Mike Leigh, ASLA

Mary E. Myers, ASLA from Temple University was elected to succeed Whitney Talcott, FASLA as LAAB chair on January 1, 2012.

To review LAAB documents, the list of accredited programs or information on how to apply to the Roster of Visiting Evaluators (ROVE – the site visitor selection pool) visit the: [LAAB website](#).