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Your Path to Landscape Architecture



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Art and design
meet the environment

Do you like:

- The environment, science, and art?
- Being creative and solving complex problems?
- Working with people?

Landscape architecture could be just the creative career you've been looking for.



Central Park didn't just *happen*

Landscape architecture takes on analysis, planning, design, and management of anything **under the sun**. From Central Park to your local playground, chances are, the trees, plants, and features have been carefully designed so you can get the most out of your experience outdoors.

What? You didn't notice all the work put into your local park? **Good! That means landscape architects are doing their job well.**

Yeah, landscape architects make the city and rural landscape look good — but they're also problem solvers who analyze the environmental impact of proposed development, plan for pedestrian and automobile traffic, and determine the best use of each site.



ASLA 2013 Professional General Design Honor Award: Ottosen Entry Garden Desert Botanical, Phoenix.
Image: Bill Timmerman and Adam Rodriguez



ASLA 2013 Professional General Design Honor Award: High Line, Section 2, New York City. Image: Iwan Baan



ASLA 2012 Professional General Design Honor Award: Canada's Sugar Beach, Toronto. Image: Nicola Pietrangeli

Landscape architecture
is **everywhere**

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This is ***your path!***

Sure, landscape architecture sounds great, but is it really for you? Go to asla.org/yourpath to take a tour of the profession, and watch as OLIN's Columbus Circle project in New York goes from design, to construction, to the beautiful public space it is today.

Find out which schools near you have landscape architecture programs, hear personal stories from landscape architects, and learn more about why this field is so important to our communities and the environment.



Interested, but still have
some *questions?*

Landscape architecture is a seriously awesome profession, and we want you to be a part of it. The American Society of Landscape Architects is here to help with any questions you might have, no matter how small. Just email YourPath@asla.org and we'll get back to you quickly.



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