



University College Dublin
Ireland's Global University



MArchSc Landscape Studies (One Year Full Time)

In 2011, the UCD School of Architecture, Planning & Environmental Policy celebrated 100 years. The School has long led the way for architecture in Ireland. Its undergraduate, graduate and research programmes cover all aspects of the practice of architecture and

landscape architecture, as well as advanced areas of conservation, sustainability, history and urbanism. Its faculty includes many leading figures in architectural practice as well as internationally-recognised researchers. Its graduates are working all over the world.

Why study at UCD?



Tradition

Established 1854, with 160 years of teaching & research excellence



Global profile

UCD is ranked in the top 1% of higher education institutions worldwide



Global community

Over 6,000 international students from over 130 countries study at UCD



Global careers

Degrees with high employability; dedicated careers support; 2 year stay-back visa (for non-EU students)



Safety

Modern parkland campus with 24 hour security, minutes from Dublin city centre

Offers an interdisciplinary and flexible curriculum

A year of fundamentally interdisciplinary study that will make you think differently about the landscape and your role in caring for it. The curriculum is very flexible and students choose elective modules that allow them to pursue their personal strands of interest about cultural, ecological or design matters.

Course Content and Structure

90 credits
taught masters

30 credits
taught modules

30 credits
studio

30 credits
thesis

Modules include:

- Landscape Research Methods
- Geographical Information Systems for Policy and Planning
- Postgraduate Studio
- Two Elective Module
- Multi-disciplinary Approaches to the Landscape
- Integrated Landscape Studio
- Thesis Module





Career Opportunities

A common challenge in the future will include the management of landscape resources and infrastructures. Those with advanced qualifications in this field will have a distinct advantage over others hoping to shape the future of the built and natural environment.

Graduates of this programme may participate in changing the way that local and everyday landscapes are perceived, designed, planned and protected, all over the world.



Student Profile

Dhivyaa Chelvan, India, Student

I chose the MArchSc in Landscape Architecture in UCD as I hold a professional architecture degree (B.Arch) from India and I was looking for a one-year masters to enhance my knowledge on landscape. Additionally, the studio is multi-disciplinary combining all strands of Architecture. Overall, I have found the quality of the education and infrastructure outstanding in UCD. Initially after I graduate, I would like to find a job as a building and outdoor space design architect, but my long term goal is to complete a PhD and work as an academic. UCD has given me a very good foundation to move in this direction.

Facilities and Resources

The School of Architecture, Planning & Environmental Policy offers dedicated studio space for its students, a dedicated architecture library and map room, access to fully equipped computer facilities, a building laboratory space with a wide range of equipment including laser cutters and CNC router, and access to monitoring and simulation equipment in the Earth Institute.

Apply Now

This programme receives significant interest so please apply early online at www.ucd.ie/apply

Entry Requirements

- A 4-year bachelors degree with a minimum upper second class honours (NFQ level 8) or international equivalence in a relevant programme.
- Applicants whose first language is not English must also demonstrate English language proficiency of IELTS 6.5 (no band less than 6.0 in each element), or equivalent.

International Students

- Stay in Ireland after graduating for 24 months to seek employment
- Approved by US Dept. of Education for federally supported loans
- Apply for Non-EU Scholarships: www.ucd.ie/international/scholarships

Related Masters Programmes of Interest

- MLA Master of Landscape Architecture
- MArch Architecture
- MArchSc Sustainable Building Design & Performance

Fees

Fee information is available www.ucd.ie/fees

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