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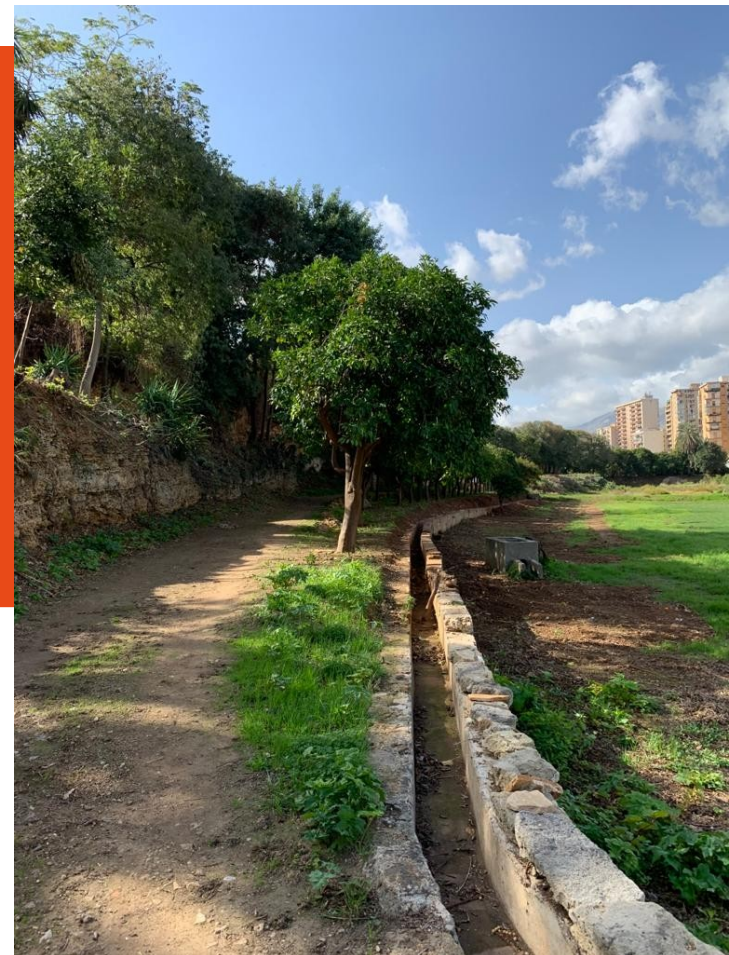


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*Master Degree Course*

# **ARCHITETTURA DEL PAESAGGIO LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE**

*(Italian degree classification: LM-3)*



## MD Landscape Architecture – Cultural Landscapes Management

### European Landscape Convention

(Florence - Italy, October 20<sup>th</sup>, 2000) - <https://www.coe.int/en/web/landscape>

### Article 6 - B Training and education

«.....Each Party undertakes to promote:

- a. **training for specialists** in landscape appraisal and operations;*
- b. **multidisciplinary training programmes** in landscape policy, protection, management and planning, for professionals in the private and public sectors and for associations concerned;*
- c. **school and university courses** which, in the relevant subject areas, address the values attaching to landscapes and the issues raised by their protection, management and planning. ....»*

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New Landscape Declaration  
(LAF, Landscape Architecture Foundation, Philadelphia 2016)

*Across borders and beyond walls, from city centers to the last wilderness, humanity's common ground is the landscape itself.*

*Coordination of contiguous professions*

As designers versed in **both environmental and cultural systems**, landscape architects are uniquely positioned to **bring related professions together** into new alliances to address complex social and ecological problems.

Landscape architects bring different and often competing interests together so as to give artistic physical form and integrated function to the ideals of equity, sustainability, resiliency and democracy.



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**UNISCAPE**, European Network of Universities dedicated to landscape studies and education



**IFLA Europe** (International Federation of Landscape Architects)

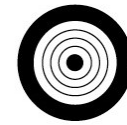
“a professionally qualified person recognised by an IFLA registered professional association (or otherwise, as regulated by national law) operating in the field of landscape architecture”



**ECLAS** (European Council of Landscape Architecture Schools) within the cooperation IFLA-ECLAS



# MATERA DECLARATION MAY 2019 by AIAPP



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Il giorno 10 maggio 2019 a Matera  
capitale europea della cultura 2019

AIAPP - Associazione Italiana  
di Architettura del Paesaggio

Visti la Convenzione europea del Paesaggio, l'art. 9 della  
Costituzione, la Carta nazionale del Paesaggio, il  
manifesto per il progetto del paesaggio equo e  
sostenibile IFLA Torino 2016 propone la seguente  
dichiarazione:

**Il paesaggio è patrimonio naturale e culturale  
diffuso e consolidato dei territori e delle popolazioni,  
“bene comune” e leva di un responsabile e rinnovato  
sviluppo economico sostenibile del nostro Paese.**

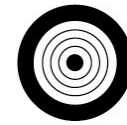


Considering the European Landscape Convention, Italian  
Constitution, National Landscape Charter, the IFLA  
Manifesto from 2016 for equal and sustainable  
landscapes,  
this declaration is proposed:

**Landscape is a widespread and consolidated natural  
and cultural heritage of territories and populations, a  
“common good” and a lever for a responsible and  
renewed sustainable economic development of our  
country.**

**To this end, a network of alliances between**

# AGRICULTURAL AND FOREST ITALIAN LANDSCAPE MANIFESTO MAY 2018



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### Science and the Italian Agricultural and Forest Landscape: a Manifesto

*Rome, the Italian Senate, May 2018*

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- need for a **transdisciplinary** approach that goes beyond the boundaries between the different ecosystems, agricultural, forest, pasture, and considers them as a *unicum* in a **territorial continuum** that follows a gradient of Nature from the old woods to the outskirts of large cities, in order **to heal the cultural severance**, both ecological and functional;
- centrality of green infrastructures and elements such as trees outside the forest in the ecological and functional connection within agroecosystems;
- need to recognize the landscape as a **place of cultural identity** of the populations, and therefore to consider in the processes of change the values and recommendations regarding the protection, management and planning of all landscapes according to the European Landscape Convention;

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## LEARNING OBJECTIVES



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### MD Landscape Architecture – Cultural Landscapes Management

- A complete and multidisciplinary training course, starting from solid bases of reference based on Landscape Culture
- A professional fully empowered of the necessary technical and cognitive tools to practice landscape architecture profession in an international scenario

## MD Landscape Architecture – Cultural Landscapes Management

### MD Course Organization

#### Master Degree title:

Architettura del Paesaggio - *Landscape Architecture*

#### Two curricula

**Design and Planning**



1. Architettura del  
Paesaggio  
*delivered in Italian*

**Running plans and Management**

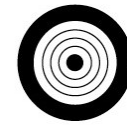


2. Cultural Landscapes  
Management  
*delivered in English*

***Focusing on Cultural Landscapes  
(Cases study)***



# VENUES



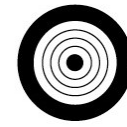
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Classes will be given both in the historical venue of the Botanical garden of the University of Palermo and in the facilities available in the main University campus

*The Aula Lanza and  
the former Herbarium (in the Gymnasium)  
at the Botanical Garden in Palermo*





## MD Landscape Architecture – Cultural Landscapes Management

Together with the Botanical Garden, also the facilities available in the main University campus in **Viale delle Scienze al Parco d'Orléans**, and the contiguous historical *Parco della Fossa della Garofala* site will be the places of a valuable learning experience



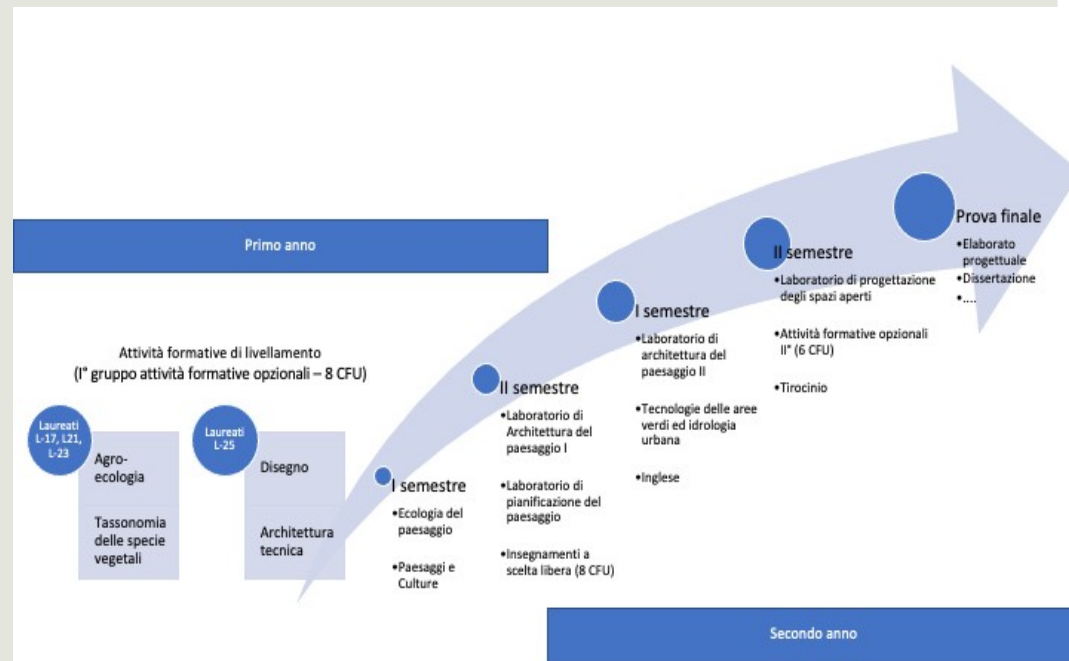
# COURSE ORGANIZATION

## Learning path the Italian curriculum in Landscape Architecture

Landscape Architecture is an interdisciplinary Science gathering highly diverse competences and Cultures

The MD course is **mostly targeted** to first degree graduates in Architectural and Agricultural Sciences first.

Specifically suited learning tracks have been planned to level-out differences in the starting knowledge of Architectural and Agricultural graduates





*curriculum*  
**Cultural Landscapes  
Management**



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**I year  
I semester**

- Introduction to Cultural Landscapes
- Landscape ecology
- Traditional agricultural Landscapes
- Laboratory of Landscape Architecture

**I year  
II semester**

- Sustainable management of agricultural landscapes
- Land evaluation and regional planning
- Laboratory of Landscape experience

**Free choice  
courses (8 ECTS)**

**II year  
I semester  
(Study Cases)**

- Sustainable open space design
- Laboratory of landscape conservation
- Landscape Design for Heritage

**II year - II semester  
Free choice profiles  
(13 ECTS)**

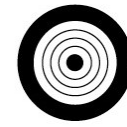
Lab of Food Culture and Landscapes (Profile 1)

Value of Biodiversity in Agricultural Landscapes (Profile 2)

Lab of Landscape Design (Profile 3)

Lab of Heritage and Cultural Landscapes (Profile 4)

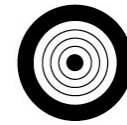
Internship (6 ECTS)  
Thesis work (10 ECTS)



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# **FRAMEWORK WITH SUBJECTS AND MODULES**

# A PATH TO INTERNATIONALIZATION



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**Planning the track to the  
international joint curriculum**

*Steps for the proposal of the  
curriculum in*  
**Cultural Landscapes  
Management**

Delivery in English  
language



course  
sharing/exchange  
(12 ECTS)



joint curriculum

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## PARTNERSHIP CONTRIBUTION

**Step 1**  
Delivery in English language

*LECTURES  
SEMINARS  
WOKSHOPS*



*MODULES*