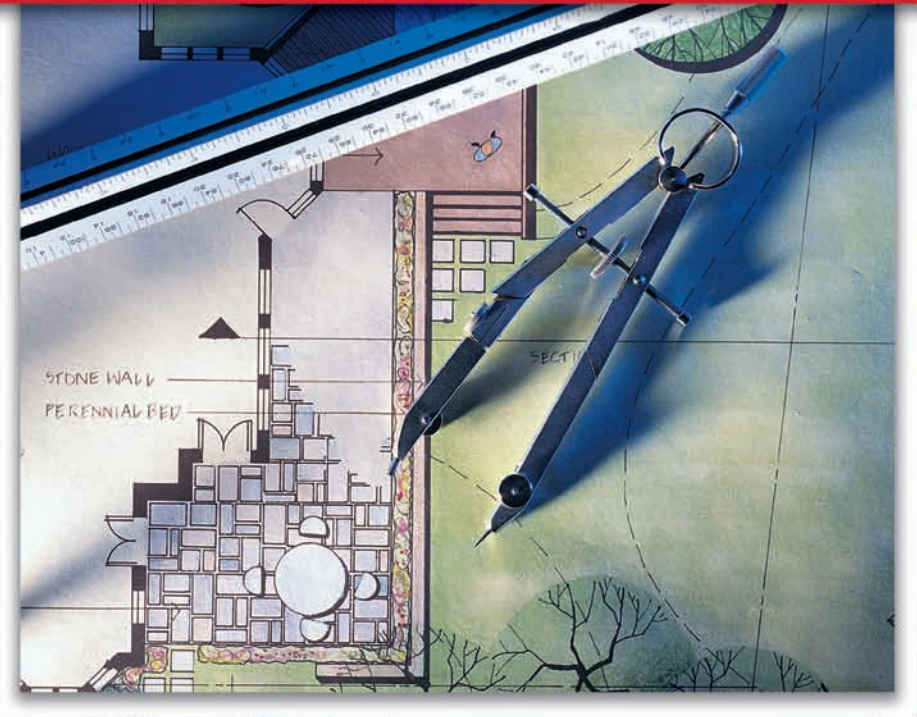


# LANDSCAPE DESIGN AND SUSTAINABLE LANDSCAPES

*George Washington*  
Washington, District of  
To all persons who read these  
Be it known that the President  
by virtue of the authority granted by  
have conf  
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*In witness whereof, we have hereunto  
and subscribed our names, in Washington,  
the thirtieth day of January, two*



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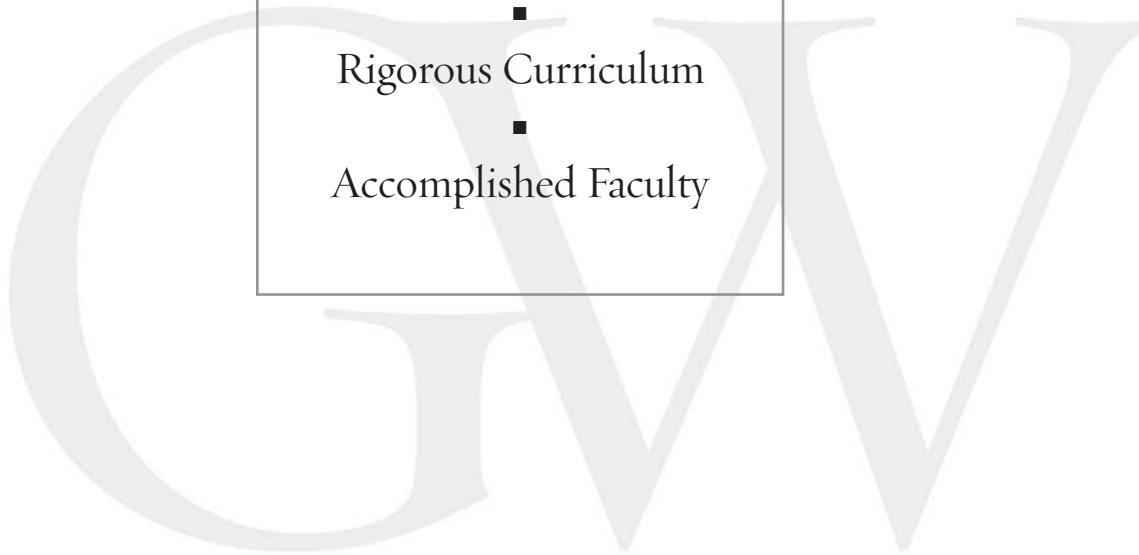
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**GW**'s Landscape Design program strives to be the premier mid-Atlantic source for highly professional education in small-scale landscape design. Maintaining an emphasis on rigorous design-based scholarship, the program seeks to sponsor healthy, safe and environmentally responsible life-styles in our neighborhoods through best practices in landscape design and conservation.

Courses are taught by experienced professionals, designers and landscape architects, who are actively practicing in their field. Courses are geared to small-scale residential and other landscape design applications with emphasis on sound design principles, good site engineering methods and the creative use of plant materials.

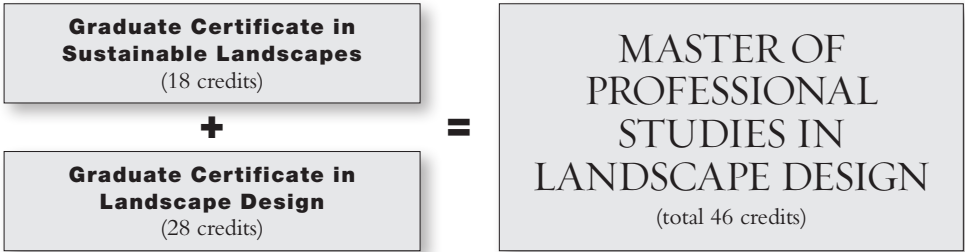
The Graduate Certificate in Sustainable Landscapes adds a solid understanding of the economic benefits of sustainable and energy-efficient landscape design. It includes the study of plants native to the Chesapeake Bay watershed, of best management practices for water and energy efficiency, using materials that promote good design for biodiversity, the restoration of wildlife habitat, and sustainable goals.

# MASTER OF PROFESSIONAL STUDIES IN LANDSCAPE DESIGN

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**STACK YOUR CREDENTIALS!**

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Customized for the working professional, GW’s Landscape Design program allows certificate or degree-based learning. The Graduate Certificate in Landscape Design stands alone as a program that will provide prestigious credentials for the practice of landscape design. The Graduate Certificate in Sustainable Landscapes provides an additional credential in best practices of sustainable design for experienced landscape designers and landscape architects. Stacking the two certificates together, students may earn a Master of Professional Studies in Landscape Design.

The master’s degree in Landscape Design is designed to provide professionals with the knowledge and experience needed to be at the forefront of a field that is increasingly focused on sustainable practices, at the neighborhood level.

# GRADUATE CERTIFICATE IN LANDSCAPE DESIGN



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CLASSES HELD IN ARLINGTON, VA AT:

GW Graduate Education Center, Arlington  
950 N. Glebe R.d., 6th Floor, Arlington, VA 22203  
(Metro: Ballston)

*and at*

GW's Virginia Science and Technology Campus  
44983 Knoll Square, Ashburn, VA 20147

*and at the*

U.S. National Arboretum and other local gardens

**[www.nearyou.gwu.edu/landscape](http://www.nearyou.gwu.edu/landscape)**

The Landscape Design Graduate Certificate program is ideally suited for individuals preparing for a professional career in landscape design, landscape professionals seeking to upgrade skills, amateurs with an interest in the art of garden design, institutional horticultural staff, nursery employees, and garden design writers. The program provides a background in horticulture, nursery and planting standards, and the creative process of design.

This highly successful program has a strong reputation in the regional industry. Area landscape design firms, plant nurseries, and design/build contractors frequently seek out graduates of this program, and graduates often go on to pursue advanced degrees in landscape architecture.

# PROGRAM FORMAT

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## TWO OPTIONS:

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### **GW GRADUATE EDUCATION CENTER, ARLINGTON IN ARLINGTON, VA (METRO: BALLSTON)**

- Introductory courses offered 5 terms per year

### **GW'S VIRGINIA SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY CAMPUS, IN ASHBURN, VA**

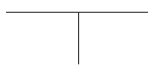
- Designed to be completed in 2 to 2½ years as a cohort group
- Introductory courses offered 2 to 3 times each fall semester

### **PROGRAM AT A GLANCE**

This part-time Graduate Certificate program offers classes evenings and weekends in five eight-week terms during the calendar year.

- 18 courses, 28 credits required (includes two introductory courses)
- In Arlington, VA: Studio design classes meet one evening per week at the GW Graduate Education Center, Arlington and plants classes meet at the U.S. National Arboretum and other local public gardens on weekday or Saturday mornings.
- In Ashburn, VA: Studio design classes meet one evening per week at the Virginia Science and Technology Campus in Ashburn and plants classes meet at local public gardens on Saturday mornings. Students are expected to move through the program together in cohort groups.

# COURSE OF STUDY



Two introductory courses (PSLD 6100 & 6102) plus 26 credit hours (PSLD 6201, 6202, 6203, 6204, 6232, 6233, 6234, 6235, 6220, 6222, 6224, 6226, 6228, 6212, 6213, 6240) with a GPA of 3.0 or above. Students must complete the program within five years of their admission to the program. Permission from the instructor is required for students to take courses 6201 and above if not yet admitted to the Graduate Certificate program. A maximum of six credits (including introductory courses) can be taken in non-degree status.

## *Schedule of Classes by Term*

### **Graduate Education Center, Arlington Landscape Design Program**

<b>Fall I</b>	<b>Fall II</b>	<b>Spring I</b>	<b>Spring II</b>	<b>Summer</b>
<i>Sept-Oct</i>	<i>Nov-Jan</i>	<i>Jan-Mar</i>	<i>Apr-May</i>	<i>June-July</i>
PSLD 6100	PSLD 6100	PSLD 6100	PSLD 6100	PSLD 6100
	PSLD 6102		PSLD 6102	PSLD 6102
PSLD 6201	PSLD 6202	PSLD 6201	PSLD 6202	PSLD 6201 / PSLD 6202*
PSLD 6203	PSLD 6204	PSLD 6203	PSLD 6204	PSLD 6203 / PSLD 6204*
PSLD 6232	PSLD 6233	PSLD 6232	PSLD 6233	
PSLD 6234	PSLD 6235	PSLD 6234	PSLD 6235	
PSLD 6220	PSLD 6222	PSLD 6224	PSLD 6226	PSLD 6228
	PSLD 6212	PSLD 6213	PSLD 6212	PSLD 6213
		PSLD 6240		PSLD 6240

\* Combined courses are sometimes offered as summer intensive courses

### **Virginia Science and Technology Campus Landscape Design Program**

	<b>Fall I</b>	<b>Fall II</b>	<b>Spring I</b>	<b>Spring II</b>	<b>Summer</b>
	<i>Sept-Oct</i>	<i>Nov-Jan</i>	<i>Jan-Mar</i>	<i>Apr-May</i>	<i>June-July</i>
<b>Year 1</b>	PSLD 6100	PSLD 6100	PSLD 6201	PSLD 6202	PSLD 6212
		PSLD 6102	PSLD 6224	PSLD 6226	PSLD 6228
<b>Year 2</b>	PSLD 6203	PSLD 6204	PSLD 6232	PSLD 6233	PSLD 6213
	PSLD 6220	PSLD 6222			
<b>Year 3</b>	PSLD 6234	PSLD 6235	PSLD 6240		

*Note: This schedule is subject to change in response to cohort needs*



# COURSE DESCRIPTIONS

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## INTRODUCTORY COURSES

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*These courses must be completed with a grade of B or higher in non-degree status. See page 15.*

### **PSLD 6100 Landscape Graphics (1 credit)**

Learn to use drafting equipment and develop graphic and sketching skills. Course work includes landscape plans, section, elevation, and axonometric drawings, and an introduction in the use of color media. Entry-level course. Materials & equipment purchased for this class are used in all studio courses.

### **PSLD 6102 Introduction to Plants (1 credit)**

A survey course in Plant Science which introduces students to the common groups of plants with a general focus on the structure and function of higher vascular plants. An entry-level course, this is a prerequisite for the Woody Plants series.

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## CORE COURSES

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### **PSLD 6201 Introduction to Design (2 credits)**

Develop an understanding of design tools available to the landscape designer through analysis of existing landscapes, exploring design through media other than the landscape, and a final design project. Group projects, in-class reviews, and an introduction to study models, research techniques, and writing begin to create a vocabulary with which students can both describe and critique their designs and the work of others. Prerequisite: PSLD 6100.

### **PSLD 6202 Site Analysis (2 credits)**

Learn to inventory and record existing site conditions including slope, soil, microclimate, and context. Studio work includes base plans, sections, and site program. Two Saturday or Sunday field exercises are required for this course. The dates are discussed at the first class. Prerequisite: PSLD 6201.

### **PSLD 6203 Site Engineering (2 credits)**

Learn the principles and techniques of basic site engineering, including grading, drainage, earthwork, and the design of steps, ramps, walls and terraces. Prerequisite: PSLD 6202.

### **PSLD 6204 Construction Methods & Materials (2 credits)**

Develop an understanding of commonly used landscape construction materials, including stone, concrete, masonry and wood. Learn to incorporate design elements such as decks, patios, fences and walkways into the landscape. Prerequisite: PSLD 6203.

### **PSLD 6232 Site Design I (2 credits)**

Through lectures, site visits, and design projects, this studio design course focuses on analyzing the requirements of the program and the site to develop designs that respond both to client needs and environmental context. Continued development of graphic techniques. Prerequisite: PSLD 6204.

### **PSLD 6233 Site Design II (2 credits)**

Continuation of Site Design I. Moving through a series of projects, this course examines different issues in context, program and client requirements. Prerequisite: PSLD 6232.

**PSLD 6234 Planting Design I (2 credits)**

This studio course focuses on the use of plants as an important design element. Topics include plants in contemporary design, plant characteristics, cultural requirements, environmental factors, plant selection, the process of planting design, planting specifications, planting details, planting cost estimates, and continued development of graphic skills. Prerequisite: PSLD 6233 and PSLD 6220, 6222, 6224, 6226 and 6228.

**PSLD 6235 Planting Design II (2 credits)**

Continuation of Planting Design I.  
Prerequisite: PSLD 6234

**PSLD 6220-6228 (1 credit each)**

Identification characteristics, design applications and aesthetic, functional and cultural aspects of approximately 60 trees, shrubs, vines and flowering plants for each of the periods specified. Lectures and field study. Prerequisite: PSLD 6102.

PSLD 6220 Woody Landscape Plants for Early Fall

PSLD 6222 Woody Landscape Plants for Late Fall

PSLD 6224 Woody Landscape Plants for Early Spring

PSLD 6226 Woody Landscape Plants for Late Spring

PSLD 6228 Woody Landscape Plants for Summer

**PSLD 6212 History of Landscape Design (2 credits)**

Slide-illustrated lectures present the major traditions in landscape design history. Readings, in-class exercises, and out-of-class projects may be required. Prerequisite: PSLD 6100.

**PSLD 6213 Contemporary Themes in Landscape Design Seminar (1 credit)**

Faculty-moderated active discussions on contemporary movements in landscape architecture. Readings, in-class exercises, and out-of-class projects may be required. Prerequisite: PSLD 6212.

**PSLD 6240 Comprehensive Project (2 credits)**

Capstone course. Under the direction of a practicing professional, you will prepare a full set of design and working drawings for a selected site. Completed projects are presented to a jury of professionals.

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CLASSES OFFERED VIA SHORT-TERM COURSES  
IN ARLINGTON, VA  
COMBINED WITH DISTANCE LEARNING

**[www.nearyou.gwu.edu/landscape](http://www.nearyou.gwu.edu/landscape)**

The mission of the Graduate Certificate in Sustainable Landscapes is to provide an innovative and relevant curriculum that reflects changing social attitudes towards the conservation and sustainability of our living environments. Landscape designers increasingly will be called upon to provide design and implementation services that apply new strategies of plant and water conservation and energy efficiency. The Sustainable Landscapes program strives to provide advanced landscape design students and experienced landscape design professionals with a fundamental understanding of best practices in landscape conservation and sustainability, adapted to the small-scale landscapes: residential, small commercial, parks and school yards.

# PROGRAM FORMAT

## PROGRAM AT A GLANCE

This part-time Graduate Certificate program is offered via intensive weekend courses at the GW Graduate Education Center, Arlington with distance learning units in between. Students meet for 2-3 weekends, including one all-day field trip, every semester.

- 9 courses; 18 credits required
- Designed to be completed in 16 months
- Designed to accommodate work schedule of landscape professionals
- Intensive courses meet over long weekends September through the following December (15 credits)
- 2 Distance Learning (DL) courses (3 credits)

# COURSE OF STUDY

Students must complete PSLD 6260, 6261, 6262, 6264, 6265, 6266, 6268, 6269, and 6270 with a GPA of 3.0 or above. Students must complete the program within five years of their admission to the program.

### *Schedule of Classes by Term*

#### **Graduate Certificate in Sustainable Landscapes**

<b>Fall</b>	<b>Fall II</b>	<b>Spring I</b>	<b>Spring II</b>	<b>Summer</b>	<b>Fall I</b>	<b>Fall II</b>
<i>Sept-Oct</i>	<i>Nov-Dec</i>	<i>Jan-Mar</i>	<i>Apr-May</i>	<i>Jun-Aug</i>	<i>Sept-Oct</i>	<i>Nov-Dec</i>
PSLD 6260 PSLD 6265	PSLD 6261	PSLD 6262	PSLD 6264	PSLD 6268 PSLD 6269 DL	PSLD 6266 DL	PSLD 6270

*DL= Distance Learning*

# COURSE DESCRIPTIONS

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## Sustainable Landscapes Program

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### **PSLD 6260 Introduction to Sustainable Design (2 credits)**

Sustainable Design defined as working within an environmental system to meet today's needs without negative effects on future generations. The interaction of forest systems, air and water to form an ecosystem. An overview of current practice in conservation and design in the built environment.

### **PSLD 6261 Ecology of the Built Environment (2 credits)**

Establishes the fundamental ecological framework for the curriculum. Explores concepts and theories behind natural communities and their ecological relationships and introduces landscape tools that address how ecology and landscape purify and clean water and air, and restore damaged and eroded environments.

### **PSLD 6262 Tools for Sustainable Design (3 credits)**

"Reduce/reuse/recycle" as an approach to design and material selection for energy efficiency. Using natural resources when siting buildings and designing landscapes. Approaches to conserving water and avoiding point-source pollution on a site-by-site basis. Design, technology and plant selections for green roofs.

### **PSLD 6264 Native Plants I (2 credits)**

### **PSLD 6265 Native Plants II (1 credit)**

Identification and design characteristics of native plant material. Understanding the fundamental natural framework that defines ecological plant communities of the mid-Atlantic region.

### **PSLD 6266 Ecological Restoration (1 credit)**

Many plants imported from other regions of the world have escaped their original confines and invaded woodlands and landscapes. Techniques for removal of exotic invasives and ecosystem restoration.

### **PSLD 6268 Sustainable Design Methods (2 credits)**

Studio course for application of native plants to specific sites. Students develop conceptual designs with aesthetic and ecological priorities and learn the importance of preparing soils for urban conditions, for tree planting and residential gardens.

### **PSLD 6269 Sustenance and the Landscape (2 credits)**

Strategies and techniques for introducing edible materials to the landscape as an aspect of sustainable management of resources. Exploration of urban agriculture as a method for local food sourcing.

### **PSLD 6270 Sustainable Design Charrette (3 credits)**

Studio design thesis course. Expansion of techniques to unify sustainable elements in a single creation. Either singly or in groups, students follow a focused design, development and juried presentation process on a fully sustainable, complete site design.

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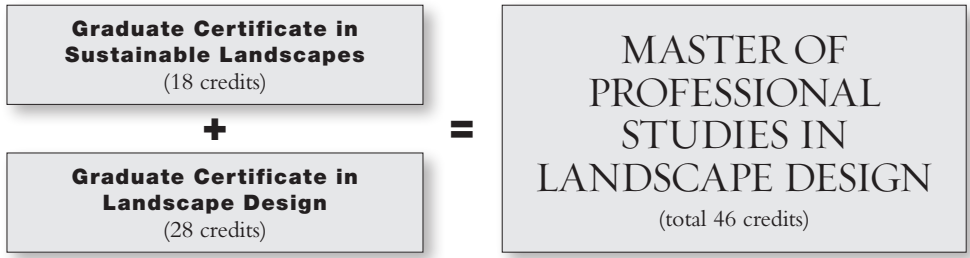
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You may earn a Master of Professional Studies in Landscape Design by successfully completing the course requirements for both certificate programs.

## **PROGRAM AT A GLANCE**

- 46 credit program
- Requires completion of the Graduate Certificate in Landscape Design followed by the Graduate Certificate in Sustainable Landscapes.
- Courses for the Graduate Certificate in Landscape Design are offered in Arlington, VA, Ashburn, VA and at local public gardens.
- Courses for the Graduate Certificate in Sustainable Landscapes are offered via short-term courses in Arlington, VA, with distance learning courses in-between.

**STACKABLE CREDENTIALS**



GW’s Master of Professional Studies in Landscape Design is a unique program that prepares students for careers as landscape designers with in-depth knowledge of sustainable design practices, focusing on small-scale and residential projects. The degree program includes the courses in the Landscape Design program and those in the Sustainable Landscapes curriculum. Classes are scheduled in the evening and on weekends to accommodate the schedules of students in career transition.

*Please go to page 4 for detailed information on the Landscape Design curriculum, and page 9 for detailed information on the Sustainable Landscapes curriculum.*

The Master of Professional Studies in Landscape Design provides an innovative alternative to a Master of Landscape Architecture (M.L.A.) for students wishing to practice small-scale landscape design.

**How does landscape design differ from landscape architecture?**

As a profession, landscape architecture focuses on larger-scale, multi-use projects, involving multi-disciplinary teams of designers and engineers. The three-year M.L.A. is a professionally accredited degree that can lead to professional licensure for landscape architects. GW enjoys a unique partnership with local landscape architecture programs such as Virginia Tech (Washington–Alexandria Architecture Center) and the University of Maryland, allowing GW graduates that are interested in landscape architecture favorable opportunities for transfer.

Please visit the following websites for more information on the professions of landscape design and landscape architecture, and regional M.L.A. programs:

- www.asla.org,
- www.lar.arch.vt.edu,
- www.apld.org,
- www.larch.umd.edu

# ADMISSIONS INFORMATION




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## ADMISSIONS REQUIREMENTS FOR NEW APPLICANTS

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### MASTER'S DEGREE/GRADUATE CERTIFICATE IN LANDSCAPE DESIGN

- Bachelor's degree from an accredited institution of higher learning with a minimum GPA of 3.0
- Completion of PSLD 6100 and PSLD 6102 or equivalent with a grade of B or higher in each.

### GRADUATE CERTIFICATE IN SUSTAINABLE LANDSCAPES:

- Bachelor's degree from an accredited institution of higher learning with a minimum GPA of 3.0.
- Completion of GW's Graduate Certificate in Landscape Design, OR
- Submission of a portfolio showing evidence of sufficient training and/or experience in landscape design to complete advanced coursework in the field.

Graduate-level coursework will also be considered in the evaluation process.

### Application Requirements for New Applicants:

	Application	\$60 Application Fee	Statement of Purpose	Official Transcripts	Resume	Portfolio	Letters of Recommendation	Completion of PSLD 6100 and 6102
Master's degree	X	X	X	X	X		X (2 required)	X
Landscape Design Graduate Certificate	X	X	X	X	X			X
Graduate Certificate in Sustainable Landscapes	X	X	X	X	X	X	X (2 required)	



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### NON-DEGREE APPLICATION PROCEDURE FOR INTRODUCTORY COURSES

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Students who have a bachelor's degree from an accredited institution of higher learning are welcome to apply to take the introductory courses PSLD 6100, Landscape Graphics and PSLD 6102, Introduction to Plants in non-degree status.

You must complete the Application for Non-Degree Admission at <http://www.gwu.edu/nondegree>. A non-refundable application fee of \$25, payable by credit card (MasterCard/Visa), is due at the time of online application. No supporting documents are required. You will be notified about your admission via e-mail within **two** business days. At that time, you will be assigned a GW ID number. You must use the GW ID number to register for classes.

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### APPLICATION PROCEDURES FOR CERTIFICATES OR DEGREE PROGRAM

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#### Please Note:

- One official or certified transcript is required from each institution of higher education attended, whether or not a degree was conferred.
- Standardized tests: No GRE or GMAT is required. International Students may need to submit Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL) scores.

*Current students and alumni: Please visit our website at [www.nearyou.gwu.edu/landscape](http://www.nearyou.gwu.edu/landscape) for admission and application requirements.*

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### APPLICATION DEADLINES

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#### Master's Degree and Graduate Certificate in Landscape Design

- Fall Admission: **April 1**
- Spring Admission: **October 1**
- Summer Admission: **March 1**

*Applications are accepted on a rolling admissions basis, however the above deadlines must be met if applying for financial aid.*

#### Graduate Certificate In Sustainable Landscapes

- **June 1**

*Please check [www.nearyou.gwu.edu/landscape](http://www.nearyou.gwu.edu/landscape) for updated application deadlines.*

**TRANSFER CREDIT, WAIVERS, AND  
ADVANCED STANDING**

Transfer of credit will be allowed on a case-by-case basis. Approval for transfer of credit is limited to a maximum of one-quarter of the credit hours of graduate course work required for the graduate program from enrollment at GW in nondegree status or from another degree-granting school of this University or another regionally accredited College or University. For a transfer of credit to be approved, all the following criteria must be met:

- The course work must be from an accredited institution.
- The course work must have been taken within two years prior to admission to the certificate programs or five years prior to admission to the master's program.
- Student must have received a grade of B or higher in each course for which transfer credit is sought.
- The course work must be approved by the academic program director as applying towards program requirements.
- The course work must be at a graduate level or at a junior or senior undergraduate level.

Credit applied toward a previous degree may not be transferred. In the Landscape Design Graduate Certificate Program, the Woody Plants sequence of six credits (PSLD 6102, 6220, 6222, 6224, 6226, 6228) may be waived by registering and sitting for a Comprehensive Plants Examination.

**MASTER'S DEGREE OR CERTIFICATE  
COMPLETION REQUIREMENTS**

Students must maintain a grade point average of 3.0 (B) or higher. Students are expected to be continuously enrolled and actively engaged in fulfilling the requirements of the program each semester.

Students must complete the program within five (5) years of admission. Requests for leave of absence and other interruptions of course work should be submitted in writing to the program office at the College of Professional Studies.

**FINANCIAL AID**

To apply for Stafford or alternative education loans to finance your graduate education, visit the GW graduate financial aid site at: [www.colonialcentral.gwu.edu](http://www.colonialcentral.gwu.edu).

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**From the West on I-66:** Take exit 71 to North Fairfax Drive (toward VA-120/Glebe Road). Turn right onto N. Glebe Road. The building will be on your right.

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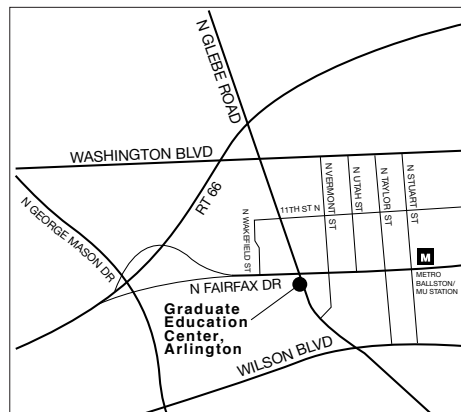
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### Metered Parking:

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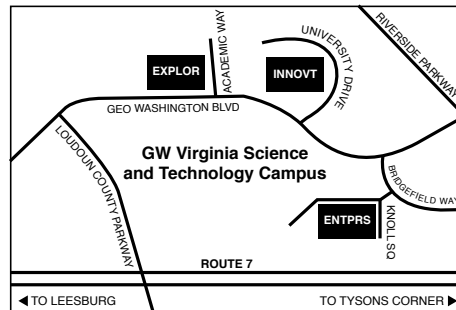
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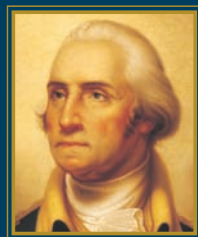
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