



Beijing Forestry University Prospectus 2026

Discover
Your Next Chapter in
**Landscape
Architecture**



About the School of Landscape Architecture

The School of Landscape Architecture at Beijing Forestry University is among the pioneering institutions in China, offering degree programs in landscape architecture with a tradition dating back to 1951.

Founded in 1951, the school has consistently held a distinguished position as an educational institution and a research center in the development of Landscape Architecture. Its primary mission is to advance research and promote innovative design practices in both natural and built environments. Currently, the school offers degree programs in five disciplines: Landscape Architecture, Architecture, Urban Planning, Horticulture, and Tourism Management.

Seven decades of development have transformed the School of Landscape Architecture into the largest student body and faculty cohort among all the landscape architectural education institutions in China. Throughout its history, it has played a pivotal role in nurturing numerous professionals in the field of landscape architecture.

Our world-renowned faculty consists of leading authorities or emerging voices in the field. They possess expertise across a wide spectrum of subjects including landscape planning and design, landscape history and theory, ecological restoration, landscape planting, landscape construction, and architecture. As such, our faculty members are well-equipped to provide expert insights and guidance on planning, design, and construction matters. In our commitment to fostering a global perspective, we regularly invite distinguished practitioners and theorists from around the world to deliver lectures and participate in symposiums. This practice enriches the academic discourse within our institution and ensures that our students benefit from a truly international perspective.

Leveraging the rich heritage of landscape architecture education, the school is committed to enhancing students' international communication skills, academic innovation capability, comprehensive professional expertise, and practice proficiency. Students are encouraged to employ rigorous theoretical frameworks and research methodologies to explore various dimensions of landscape architecture, encompassing environmental, socio-cultural, and economic aspects. This research pursuit aims to contribute original findings that advance theories, methods, and knowledge within the field.

Our alumni in Landscape Architecture have embarked on rewarding and productive careers, spanning not only mainland China but also extending their influence worldwide. They assume prominent leadership positions within the field, characterized by their impressive skills in creativity and critical thinking. Furthermore, they possess a profound mastery of historical insights, technology, and technique—a testament to their comprehensive education.

Of paramount importance is their proactivity and ability to inspire, qualities that distinguish our graduates. As evidenced by the exceptional work of current and past students, the School of Landscape Architecture at BFU remains committed to delivering an unparalleled education in Landscape Architecture, and this commitment will endure into the future.

PROGRAMS OFFERED IN ENGLISH

- **Master in Landscape Architecture (MLA)**

This 3-year program is meticulously designed to nurture top professionals who can seamlessly integrate research and practice within the realm of landscape architecture. Students enrolled in this program will acquire a comprehensive understanding of fundamental landscape architectural theories, and develop the capability to identify academic challenges and engage in cutting-edge research within this discipline.

- **Ph.D. in Landscape Architecture**

The Ph.D. Program in Landscape Architecture is dedicated to advanced and interdisciplinary research in the field of landscape architecture. Leveraging the expertise of our internationally renowned faculty and diverse campus resources, this Ph.D. program equips students for careers in academia, research institutions, NGOs, government, and professional consultation. It is an ideal choice for those aspiring to make significant contributions to the field of landscape architecture.

RESEARCH DIRECTIONS

Landscape Planning and Design

Landscape History and Theory

Ecological Restoration

Ecological Human Settlement

Landscape Planting

Landscape Construction and Architecture

COURSE EXAMPLES

- LA STUDIO-I (small-scale site design)
Landform design
LA and city
MLA STUDIO-II (Chinese classical architecture and garden design
Natural plants identification and application
The development of Chinese cities
Ecological restoration
- LA STUDIO-III (Urban open space design)
Landscape plant planning and design
Chinese garden art
Design and research
Field trip
LA STUDIO-IV(Natural ecosystem design)
Landscape hydraulics and construction
Ecology and design
Tourism planning
GIS technology and application
Project management and company management

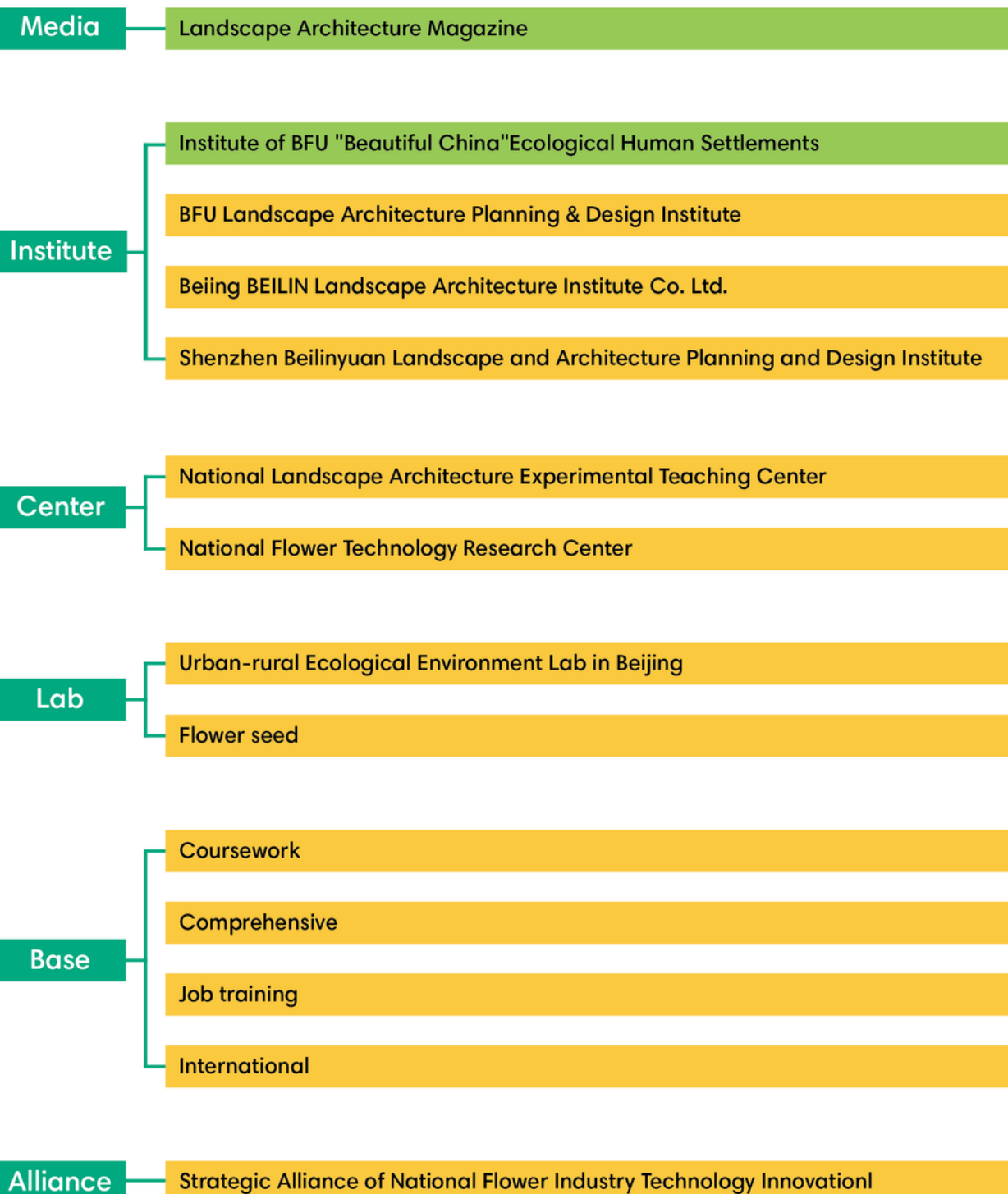




KEY FEATURES

- Inclusion in the 'Plan of First-class Discipline' endorsed by the Ministry of Education, China
- Real-world projects: Our curriculum emphasizes practical assignments centered on actual sites and solutions, ensuring students gain hands-on experience
- Interdisciplinary collaboration: We foster collaboration with other schools at BFU specializing in environment-related fields, promoting interdisciplinary learning and innovative approaches

RESOURCES



Highlight

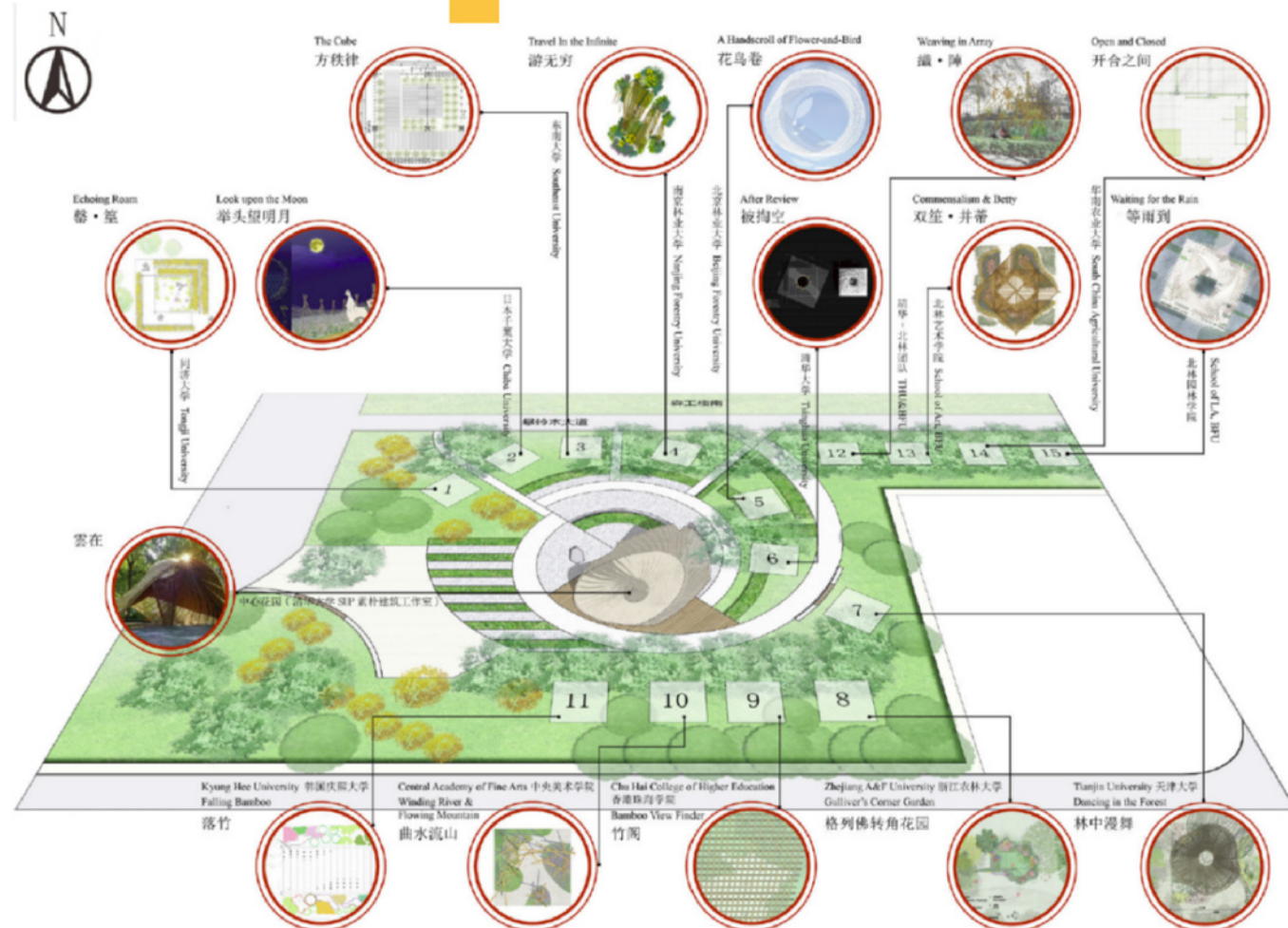
BFU International Garden-making Festival

September 23 – October 7, 2018
•Theme: “Bamboo Pavilion · Garden”
•1 Exhibition Pavilion
•15 competition gardens



The 2018 International Peer Review on Landscape Architecture at BFU

“Landscape Architecture at Beijing Forestry University has ambitious goals and occupies a strong leadership position in China. It has an international reputation and its influence is felt around the world. BFU offers the largest and most comprehensive provision of landscape architecture in China. It is the only School in the world where Landscape Architecture is the lead discipline for Landscape Design, Architecture, Urban Planning, Regional Planning, Horticulture and Tourism Management.”





AVAILABLE SCHOLARSHIP TYPES

Check out the full range of scholarships and assess your eligibility to apply.
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- Chinese Government Scholarship (CGS)
- Beijing Government Scholarship (BGS)
- Experience Beilin Scholarship (EBS)

STARTING AT BFU

Student Design Competition

IFLA International Student Competition

13^{1st} Prize | 5^{2nd} Prize | 6^{3rd} Prize

IFLA APR International Student Competition

ASLA Student Awards

**China-Japan-South Korea
Landscape Architecture Student Competition**

Chinese Landscape Architecture Student Competition

UIA International Student Competition in Architectural Design

01 Find Your Program and Review the Admission Requirements
Check your eligibility and find the best program for you.

02 Submit Your Application Form and Required Documentation
Complete your admission application form and select your scholarship application intention in the [BFU International Application Portal](http://bjfu.at0086.cn/student) (bjfu.at0086.cn/student). Submit your application materials as well.

03 First Round of Application Review
You may be requested to resubmit your application if your supporting documents need to be updated.

04 Complete Your Application Fee Payment
The application fee needs to be successfully paid after the first round of review.

05 Second Round Application Review
Your application will be reviewed by distinguished committees of the schools at Beijing Forestry University.

06 Wait to Hear from Us

FACULTIES



CAI, Jun
Professor

Research Areas:
Tourism Planning /Nature Reserves and Open Space Management /Landscape
Heritage Conservation



DONG, Cong
Professor

Research Areas:
History of Chinese Architecture /History of Chinese Landscape Architecture /
Landscape Architectural Design



DONG, Li
Professor

Research Areas:
Landscape Plant Resources and Applications / Landscape Planning and Design/
Landscape Ecology and Ecological Restoration



GUO, Wei
Professor

Research Areas:
Vernacular Landscape and Vernacular Settlement /Urban Public Space Studies &
Community Development



LI, Xiong
Professor

Research Areas:
Landscape Architecture Planning and Design /History and Theory of Landscape
Architecture /Landscape Planning and Ecological Restoration /Landscape
Architecture



LI, Chi
Professor

Research Areas:
Urban Design /Urban Green Space Planning /Landscape Planning and Design



LI, Liang
Professor

Research Areas:
Landscape Infrastructure /Green Infrastructure /Greenway and Ecological Network
Planning and Design /Community Development



LIU, Zhicheng
Professor

Research Areas:
Landscape Architecture Planning and Design /History and Theory of Landscape
Architecture /Landscape Planning and Ecological Restoration /Landscape
Architecture



YIN, Hao
Professor

Research Areas:
Landscape Planning and Design /Urban and Rural Living Environments /Landscape
Plant Planning and Design



YU, Chao
Professor

Research Areas:
Ornamental Plant Germplasm Resources & Genetic Breeding /Propagation and
Cultivation Techniques /Molecular Formation Mechanism of Important Traits



ZHANG, Jinshi
Professor

Research Areas:
Landscape Architecture and Urbanization /Rural Landscape /Urban Open Space
System



ZHENG, Xi
Professor

Research Areas:
Landscape Architecture Planning and Design /History and Theory of Landscape
Architecture /Landscape Architecture



GE, Xiaoyu
Associate Professor

Research Areas:
Landscape Architecture Engineering and Technology /Regional Ecological Network
Construction and Ecological Conservation & Restoration



HUANG, Xiao
Associate Professor

Research Areas:
Traditional Landscape Architecture History and Theory /Landscape Heritage and
Conservation



WANG, Peiyong
Associate Professor

Research Areas:
Landscape Engineering /Sponge City Construction /Landscape Engineering Man-
agement



XIAO, Yao
Associate Professor

Research Areas:
Landscape Planning and Design



YE, Yu
Associate Professor

Research Areas:
Landscape Design / Landscape Ecological Restoration



WANG, Xin
Lecturer

Research Areas:
Landscape Planning and Design / Digital Landscapes



XU, Fang
Lecturer

Research Areas:
Landscape Planning and Ecological Restoration / Greenfield Carbon Sinks

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Application Related Questions

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