






Professional Development Credits

Ecology-Based Landscapes: A Virtual Education Series | January – March, 2021

Our virtual courses are preapproved for professional development credits from the organizations below. To obtain credits, please follow the directions for your professional designation. To inquire about obtaining credits with entities not listed here, please contact info@ndal.org.

Profession	Approved for credit by:	# Credits	How to Receive Credits
Accredited Organic Land Care Professional (AOLCP)	NOFA-AOLCP (Northeast Organic Farming Association Accredited Organic Land Care Professional) 	1 CEU per hour	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Indicate “NOFA” on the NDAL Course Portal when registering for your account. If you already have an account, ensure that your profile includes this designation. 1. Please self-report your CEUs to NOFA by sending a copy of your registration confirmation.
Certified Arborist	International Society of Arboriculture (ISA) 	anticipated	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Indicate “ISA” on the NDAL Course Portal when registering for your account. If you already have an account, ensure that your profile includes this designation. 2. Your name will be submitted to ISA for credit.
Landscape Architect	Landscape Architecture Continuing Education System (LA CES / ASLA)* 	<p>Individual Sessions: See https://laces.asla.org/ndal (NDAL’s LACES page is updated as courses are approved)</p> <p>Prairie-side Chats: 1.5 CEUs (for Parts 1&2, 3&4 anticipated)</p> <p>Intensive Course: 3 CEUs per day</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Indicate “ASLA” on the NDAL Course Portal when registering for your account. If you already have an account, ensure that your profile includes this designation. 2. Complete the session quizzes included with the course materials on the Portal by the due date listed on the Portal & confirmation emails. 3. Your name will be submitted to LACES and your completion certificate will be emailed to you. Track your credit hours at laces.asla.org.

Landscape Designer	Association of Professional Landscape Designers (APLD) 	Individual Sessions: 3 CEUs each Prairie-side Chats: 1.5 CEUs each Intensive Course: 3 CEUs per day	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 4. Indicate “APLD” on the NDAL Course Portal when registering for your account. If you already have an account, ensure that your profile includes this designation. 5. Your name will be submitted to APLD and your completion certificate will be emailed to you.
Massachusetts Certified Horticulturist	MA Nursery & Landscape Association 	1 MCH credit per program	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Indicate “MNLA” on the NDAL Course Portal when registering for your account. If you already have an account, ensure that your profile includes this designation. 2. Your name will be submitted for MCH credit.

*Virtual courses meet LA CES standards for health, safety, and welfare (HSW) subject matter. The following states within the regions we serve have continuing education requirements and accept LA CES-approved courses: NJ, CT, DE, KY, MD, NH, NY (as long as meets other state requirements), OH, PA, VA, WV, TN, SC, AL, WI, IA, IL, IN, and MO. States within the regions we serve that do not have active continuing education requirements include: MA, ME, RI, MI, and VT. Continuing education requirements by state are listed at www.asla.org/edrequirements.aspx or can be obtained through your state’s Board of Landscape Architecture.