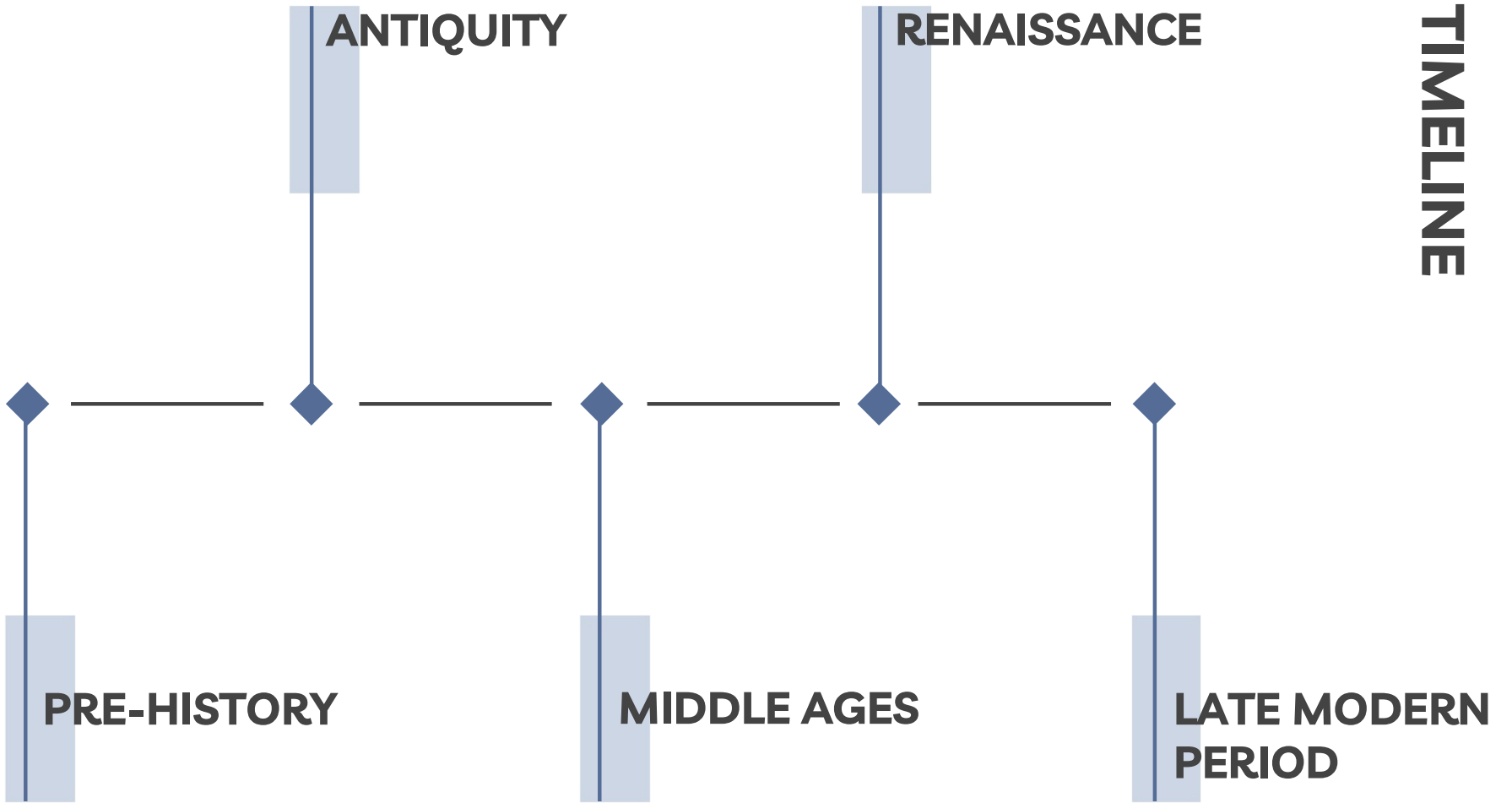




EVOLUTION OF LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE

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TIMELINE



PRE-HISTORY

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PRE- HISTORIC

01



Babylon Gardens

600 BCE

Hanging Gardens of Babylon, ancient gardens considered one of the Seven Wonders of the World and thought to have been located near the royal palace in Babylon.



ANTIQUITY

02

Roman

Roman architecture was unlike anything that had come before. The Persians, Egyptians, Greeks and Etruscans all had monumental architecture. The grandeur of their buildings, though, was largely external. Buildings were designed to be impressive when viewed from outside. A good example is this ancient Greek Temple in Paestum, Italy.

In the first millennium, Rome had an indigenous domestic garden tradition: ownership of a garden was viewed as essential to the identity of the Roman citizen. The Romans developed the most extensive garden tradition of antiquity.





MIDDLE AGES

03



Medieval Gardens

Medieval gardens style was dominated by monasteries and manor houses. Herbs were grown for medicine and gardens were an important food source.





English Kings

English royal courts were equipped with large lawns instead of animal farms like the "commoners" which highlighted wealth discrepancies. Royal families "wasted" grass lawns because they could afford to.





RENAISSANCE

04

Villa d'Este

- 16th century villa in Tivoli, Italy
- Famous for its Renaissance garden
- Designed by Cardinal Ippolito d'Este in 1550-1568
- Because of its carefully planned design the construction of the villa and the gardens required the demolition of houses, public buildings and roads
- Cardinal Ippolito d'Este was sued by 12 residents due to this
- Renaissance style principles are found in the gardens

- The garden is divided in equal squares of 30m
- Terraces
- Fountains
- Grottos
- Etc.

Remarkable pieces:

- The Hundred Fountains
- The Oval Fountain
- The Grotto of Hercules
- The fountain of Neptune



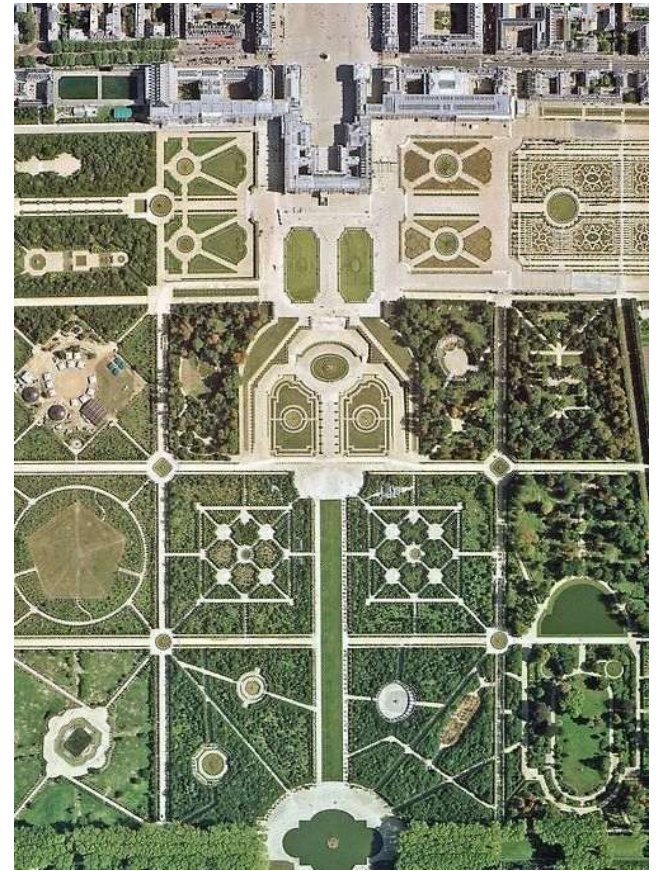




Versailles Gardens

In 1661 Louis XIV entrusted André Le Nôtre with the creation and renovation of the gardens of Versailles

The gardens of Versailles contain no less than 400 statues, making them the largest open-air sculpture museum in the world! The sculptures along the walks are made of marble, while those in the fountains they decorate are often of gilded lead or metal.





LATE MODERN PERIOD



Urban Planning in the Late Modern Period in North America

- Tended toward a utopianism in urban planning
- Shift from beauty to technology
- Minimalistic
- Driven by capitalism



Late Modern Period in North America

During the 19th century

-Term "Landscape Architecture" is first used by Gilbert Laing Meason in 1828

Frederick Law Olmsted

- 1822-1903
- Father of Landscape Architecture in North America
- landscape architect, journalist, social critic and public administrator
- passed down his landscape architecture philosophy to his children and students: creating a mix of useful, healthful and aesthetic living spaces

New York Central Park

- Winning design by Olmsted and Vaux in 1863
- Adopted landscape architect as a professional title and used it to describe their work for the planning of urban park systems

Modernist Landscape Architects

- Garrett Eckbo
 - Dan Kiley
- They had a wild garden aesthetic inspired by Romantic Naturalism



In Montreal

The Video





This effect is also noticed in the Mount Royal

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