Transfer Options

Associate in Arts and Associate in Science Degrees
Applicants holding an Associate in Arts from an Illinois community college are admissible as juniors and are considered to have met the general education requirements. Students holding an Associate in Science or Associate in Arts and Sciences may be admissible as Juniors, but may still not be considered as fulfilling all their general education coursework. Course-by-course evaluation will take place.

Other Admission
Students wanting to get an early start on their studies at UIS can be admitted if they have completed a minimum of 30 transferable semester hours of college work from a regionally accredited college or university. Policy requires a minimum cumulative 2.0 grade point average (4.0 scale).

Admission to the junior year at UIS is granted to applicants who have completed 60 semester (90 quarter) hours of credit with a minimum cumulative 2.0 grade point average (4.0 scale) from a regionally accredited college or university. In addition, 37 semester hours of general education courses must be completed before graduation from UIS; it is preferred that these hours be completed prior to admission to UIS. UIS will accept up to 72 hours of lower-division courses toward the average total of 120 hours (AACSB majors accept 66 hours).

To avoid extending the number of courses necessary once at UIS, students are encouraged to complete general education courses prior to admission to the university. See listing of requirements on page 2.

Illinois articulation initiative (IAI)
UIS is a participant in (IAI), a statewide agreement designed to allow you to transfer your general education credit, as well as credit earned in select majors, between participating institutions. For more details refer to the UIS catalog or iTransfer: The Illinois transfer web site.

All courses (especially pre-requisites) are subject to department review. This guide should be utilized for preliminary advising purposes only. Final course evaluation is only completed when the student has been fully admitted to UIS.

2+2 Transfer Agreements and Joint/Dual Agreements
Check to see if your Community College has 2+2 Transfer Agreements and/or Joint/Dual Agreements articulated with UIS at http://www.uis.edu/admissions/transfer/index.html.

Any additional questions on Transfer Admissions, please contact Raymond Barnett (217) 206-6628 or rbarn2@uis.edu.
General Education Requirements
Admission for 30 or more transferable hours

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<th>Subject</th>
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<td>MATH</td>
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<td>MAT 109, 110, 112, 131, 132, 210, 240, 241, 242; SSC 120</td>
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<td>Physical Science</td>
<td>CHM 100, 110*; PHY 130, 151*</td>
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<td>Life Science</td>
<td>BIO 101*, 120, 205*</td>
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<td>3 Hours Oral</td>
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<td>SOCIAL SCIENCE</td>
<td>9</td>
<td>6 Hours Social</td>
<td>ECO 101, 201, 202; GEO 100, 110; HIS 105, 106, 125, 126, 285; POS 122, 223, 228, 267; PSY 101, 204, 206, 265; SOC 101, 102, 103, 105, 201, 203, 260; SSC 110</td>
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<td>HUMANITIES AND FINE ARTS</td>
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<td>1 Fine Arts</td>
<td>ART 111, 112, 113; MUS 100, 101, 105, 107,205; THE 110, 111</td>
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<td>1 Humanities</td>
<td>ENG 160, 170, 180, 221, 222, 231, 232, 240; MUS 205; PHL 100, 101, 102</td>
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Internships and Prior Learning

Internships and Prior Learning Services (IPL) consists of Internships, Prior Learning Assessment, and Service-Learning. These three programs allow students to earn ECCE Engagement credits and/or fulfill degree program requirements.

- Internship Services enables students to obtain real-world experience in their area of study.
- Prior Learning Assessment gives students an opportunity to earn credit for past college-level learning.
- Service-Learning courses allow students to engage with the community and develop an understanding of civic responsibility by providing community service to non-profit agencies as part of their coursework.

https://www.uis.edu/cas/contact/
Phone: (217) 206-6640
E-mail: ipl@uis.edu

International Students

International Students who have not completed Composition I, Composition II, and Speech Communications with a C or better are expected to submit an acceptable English Proficiency test score or submit a UIS-based test on English Proficiency.

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<th>TOEFL iBT</th>
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<td>Undergraduate Minimum</td>
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Pre-Professional Programs

UIS offers course work in Pre-Professional programs. Please contact Raymond Barnet at rbarn2@uis.edu to determine advisors.

- Pre-Chiropractic Medicine
- Pre-Dental
- Pre-Law
- Pre-Occupational Therapy
- Pre-Optometry
- Pre-Pharmacy
- Pre-Physical Therapy
- Pre-Podiatry
- Pre-Veterinary Medicine

Available Minors

- Accountancy
- African-American Studies
- Anthropology
- Biology
- Business (general)
- Chemistry
- Communications
- Computer Science
- Criminology and Criminal Justice
- Economics
- English
- Environmental Studies
- Finance
- History
- International Studies
- Liberty Studies
- Management
- Management Information Systems
- Marketing
- Mathematical Sciences
- Music
- Philosophy
- Political Science
- Pre-Medical
- Psychology
- Public Health
- Social Responsibility and Leadership
- Sociology
- Spanish
- Sports Management
- Teacher Education – Elementary
- Teacher Education – Secondary
- Theatre
- Visual Arts
- Women and Gender Studies

Child Advocacy Studies can be added as an option to many majors.
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<td>Accounting</td>
<td>Financial/Managerial Accounting Statistics Business Calculus or Calculus I Macro/Micro Economics</td>
<td>ACC 101 &amp; 102 MAT 110 or 210 MAT 312 OR 240 ECO 201 &amp; 202</td>
<td><a href="http://www.uis.edu/accountancy/">www.uis.edu/accountancy/</a> 217-206-6541 <a href="mailto:acc@uis.edu">acc@uis.edu</a></td>
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<td>Biology</td>
<td>Biology (8 semester hours w/ lab) IAI-approved Math course General Chemistry (8 semester hours w/ lab) Organic Chemistry (4 hours w/ lab) Recommended: Organic Chemistry II</td>
<td>For information on exact equivalent courses for your school with UIS, please contact the Biology Department.</td>
<td><a href="http://www.uis.edu/biology/">www.uis.edu/biology/</a> 217-206-6630 <a href="mailto:bio@uis.edu">bio@uis.edu</a></td>
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<tr>
<td>Biochemistry</td>
<td>General Chemistry I and II Organic Chemistry I and II Calculus I and II (Calculus-based) Physics I and II</td>
<td>For information on exact equivalent courses for your school with UIS, please contact the Chemistry Department.</td>
<td><a href="http://www.uis.edu/chemistry/">www.uis.edu/chemistry/</a> 217-206-6589 <a href="mailto:che@uis.edu">che@uis.edu</a></td>
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<td>Business Administration comprehensive, finance, management concentration, marketing concentration, sports management</td>
<td>Financial Accounting Managerial Accounting Statistics Business Calculus (or Finite Math or Calculus I) Macro-Economics Micro-Economics</td>
<td>ACC 101 ACC 102 MAT 110 or 210 MAT 132, 131, OR 240 ECO 201 ECO 202</td>
<td><a href="http://www.uis.edu/bba/">www.uis.edu/bba/</a> 217-206-6780 <a href="mailto:Headrick.karen@uis.edu">Headrick.karen@uis.edu</a></td>
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<td>Chemistry</td>
<td>General Chemistry I and II Organic Chemistry w/ lab I and II Calculus I and II Physics, calculus-based I and II</td>
<td>For information on exact equivalent courses for your school with UIS, please contact the Chemistry Department.</td>
<td><a href="http://www.uis.edu/chemistry/">www.uis.edu/chemistry/</a> 217-206-6589 <a href="mailto:che@uis.edu">che@uis.edu</a></td>
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<td>Communication</td>
<td>No specific requirements. Recommended: Composition I and II Speech Online program requirements /recommendations are the same.</td>
<td>ENG 101 &amp; 102 SPE 120</td>
<td><a href="http://www.uis.edu/communicaton/">www.uis.edu/communicaton/</a> 217-206-6790 <a href="mailto:com@uis.edu">com@uis.edu</a></td>
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<td>Computer Science and Information Security</td>
<td>Recommended: Calculus I or Business Calculus Discrete Math or Finite Math Statistics Equivalent of two semesters of Java programming experience</td>
<td>MAT 240 OR 132 MAT 131 MAT 210</td>
<td><a href="http://csc.uis.edu">csc.uis.edu</a> 217-206-6700 <a href="mailto:csc@uis.edu">csc@uis.edu</a></td>
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| **Criminology and Criminal Justice**        | **Recommended:** General Education Math  
  2 semesters of Composition  
  Introduction to Criminal Justice  
  Additional 3-6 hours of lower-division Criminal Justice courses | ENG 101 & 102  
  CRM 101          | [www.uis.edu/criminaljustice/](http://www.uis.edu/criminaljustice/)  
  217-206-6301  
  crj@uis.edu       |
| **Economics**                               | Financial Accounting  
  Managerial Accounting  
  Statistics  
  Business Calculus (or Finite Math or Calculus I)  
  Macro-Economics  
  Micro-Economics | ACC 101  
  ACC 102  
  MAT 210  
  MAT 132, 103, OR 240  
  ECO 201  
  ECO 202 | [www.uis.edu/economics/](http://www.uis.edu/economics/)  
  217-206-7174  
  eco@uis.edu       |
| **Education**                               | Educational Psychology  
  Intro to Child Psychology/Child Development (Required for Elementary Education)  
  Adolescent Psychology (Required for Secondary Education)  
  Intro to Teacher Education  
  Pre-Teaching Clinical Experience (30 hrs. of Service learning work with school-aged children) | EDU 201  
  PSY 221  
  EDU 101          | [www.uis.edu/teachereducation/](http://www.uis.edu/teachereducation/)  
  217-206-6682  
  tep@uis.edu       |
| **English**                                 | Composition I and II  
  Creative Writing course  
  2 survey-breadth courses in literature  
  Additional Requirements for Online Program: 3.00/4.00 GPA  
  Minimum of 30 semester hours of lower-division credit required and an extra creative-writing course | ENG 101 & 102  
  ENG 211 or 212  
  ENG 221, 222, 231, 232, 240, 250 | [www.uis.edu/english/](http://www.uis.edu/english/)  
  217-206-6779  
  eng-ga@uis.edu       |
| **Environmental Studies**                   | Recommended: Course in Environmental Sciences/Biology  
  Composition I and II | BIO 120 OR 108  
  ENG 101 & 102 | [www.uis.edu/environmentalstudies/](http://www.uis.edu/environmentalstudies/)  
  217-206-6720  
  ens@uis.edu       |
| **Exercise Science**                        | **Recommended:** 2 Semesters of Anatomy and Physiology  
  General Chemistry I  
  Statistics  
  Nutrition  
  Composition I & II  
  Speech  
  Calculus or Business Calculus  
  Psychology  
  Sociology | BIO 211 & 212  
  CHM 110 & 120  
  MAT 210  
  NUT 110  
  ENG 101 & 102  
  SPE 120  
  MAT 240  
  PSY 101  
  SOC 101 | [www.uis.edu/exercisescience/](http://www.uis.edu/exercisescience/)  
  217-206-6589  
  exercisescience@uis.edu       |
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| Global Studies                | **Recommended:** Composition I and II  
Micro-Economics and Macro-Economics  
Non-US History  
Four semesters of a foreign language (at C or better)  
Two courses from different categories of historical regions and themes (for example World History, European History, U.S. History, Middle East History, East Asian History, African History, etc.) – they cannot be in the same historical category/region/theme  
Composition I and II  
*Additional Requirements for Online Program:* 2.50/4.00 GPA Online program requires statement of intent (not more than 500 words) | ENG 101 & 102  
ECO 202 & 201  
HIS 125, 126, 285; INS 100, or 155  
SPN 202  
ENG 101 & 102 | www.uis.edu/globalstudies/  
217-206-6646  
hfros1@uis.edu |
| History                       | Online applicants living more than 50 miles from campus or living with a disability will be given priority consideration.  
Two courses from different categories of historical regions and themes (for example World History, European History, U.S. History, Middle East History, East Asian History, African History, etc.) – they cannot be in the same historical category/region/theme  
Composition I and II | HIS 105, 106, 125, 126, 217, 260, 270, 285, 294  
ENG 101 & 102 | www.uis.edu/history/  
217-206-6779  
his@uis.edu  
Online applicants should e-mail their personal statement to his@uis.edu. |
| Legal Studies                 | **Recommended:** Composition I and II  
**Recommended:** American Politics*  
Course in the American legal system*  
*Grade of “C” or better | ENG 101 & 102  
POS 122 | www.uis.edu/legalstudies/  
217-206-8340  
les@uis.edu |
| Liberal Studies               | Composition I and II  
*Requirements for Online Program:*  
All General Education completed  
Personal interview by phone or in person | ENG 101 & 102 | www.uis.edu/liberalstudies/  
217-206-7456  
lis@uis.edu |
| Management Information Systems| Financial/Managerial Accounting  
Statistics  
Business Calculus or Calculus I  
Macro-Economics  
Micro-Economics  
A Behavioral Science course  
Healthcare Information concentration. | ACC 101 & 102  
MAT 210  
MAT 132 OR 240  
ECO 201  
ECO 202  
i.e. PSY, SOC | http://mis.uis.edu/  
217-206-6067  
mis@uis.edu |
| Mathematical Sciences         | 3 semesters of Calculus | MAT 240, 241, & 242 | www.uis.edu/math/  
217-206-6770  
mat@uis.edu |
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<td>8 hours of Biological Sciences (should include a course in Anatomy and Physiology or Physiology) General Chemistry I and II Organic Chemistry I Microbiology w/ lab Statistics or Higher Math Recommended: Organic Chemistry II Genetics</td>
<td>BIO 111, 211, 212 CHM 110 &amp; 120 CHM 210 BIO 200 MAT 240 CHM 220</td>
<td><a href="http://www.uis.edu/clinicalabscience/">www.uis.edu/clinicalabscience/</a> 217-206-6589 <a href="mailto:cls@uis.edu">cls@uis.edu</a> MLS application is to be found in PDF form on the MLS website</td>
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<td><strong>Philosophy</strong></td>
<td>Recommended: 1 course in Philosophy Additional Requirements for Online Program: 3.00/4.00 GPA Composition I</td>
<td>PHL 100, 101, 102, 104, 110 ENG 101</td>
<td><a href="http://www.uis.edu/philosophy/">www.uis.edu/philosophy/</a> 217-206-6790 <a href="mailto:phi@uis.edu">phi@uis.edu</a> Online applicants must submit writing sample and statement of purpose to <a href="mailto:phi@uis.edu">phi@uis.edu</a></td>
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<td><strong>Political Science</strong></td>
<td>Recommended: American Government/Politics Composition I and II Additional Requirements for Online Program: 3.00/4.00 GPA</td>
<td>POS 122 ENG 101 &amp; 102</td>
<td><a href="http://www.uis.edu/politicalscience/">www.uis.edu/politicalscience/</a> 217-206-6646 <a href="mailto:pos@uis.edu">pos@uis.edu</a></td>
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<tr>
<td><strong>Practical Politics</strong></td>
<td>3.00/4.00 GPA for all previous college work Basic course in American Government/Politics</td>
<td>POS 122</td>
<td><a href="http://www.uis.edu/politicalscience/">www.uis.edu/politicalscience/</a> 217-206-6646 <a href="mailto:pos@uis.edu">pos@uis.edu</a></td>
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<td><strong>Pre-Medical Concentration</strong></td>
<td>Biology (1-year w/ lab) Calculus-based Physics (1 year) General Chemistry (1 year) Organic Chemistry (1 year) Calculus I</td>
<td>For information on exact equivalent courses for your school with UIS, please contact the Pre-Med Department.</td>
<td><a href="http://www.uis.edu/premed/">www.uis.edu/premed/</a> 217-206-6589 <a href="mailto:premed@uis.edu">premed@uis.edu</a></td>
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<tr>
<td><strong>Psychology</strong></td>
<td>Composition I and II* Introduction to Psychology* *Grace of “C” or better</td>
<td>ENG 101 &amp; 102 PSY 101</td>
<td><a href="http://www.uis.edu/psychology/">www.uis.edu/psychology/</a> 217-206-6696 <a href="mailto:psy@uis.edu">psy@uis.edu</a></td>
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*Separate application must be submitted by March 1 to assure consideration for the following fall class.

All General Education must be completed, along with at least 60 hours of lower-division courses.

Personal Interview and Faculty References may be required.

**Recommended:**

- BIO 111, 211, 212
- CHM 110 & 120
- CHM 210
- BIO 200
- MAT 240
- CHM 220

**Philosophy**

- PHL 100, 101, 102, 104, 110
- ENG 101

**Political Science**

- POS 122
- ENG 101 & 102

**Pre-Medical Concentration**

- For information on exact equivalent courses for your school with UIS, please contact the Pre-Med Department.

**Psychology**

- ENG 101 & 102
- PSY 101

**Philosophy**

- PHL 100, 101, 102, 104, 110
- ENG 101

**Political Science**

- POS 122
- ENG 101 & 102

**Pre-Medical Concentration**

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**Psychology**

- ENG 101 & 102
- PSY 101
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<td>Introduction to Psychology Intro to Sociology/Intro to Anthropology American Government/Politics Statistics</td>
<td>PSY 101  SOC 101 OR 201  SOC 102  MAT 210</td>
<td><a href="http://www.uis.edu/socialwork/">www.uis.edu/socialwork/</a>  217-206-6687  <a href="mailto:swk@uis.edu">swk@uis.edu</a></td>
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<tr>
<td>Sociology/Anthropology</td>
<td>Recommended: Intro to Sociology or Intro to Anthropology</td>
<td>SOC 101 OR SOC 201</td>
<td><a href="http://www.uis.edu/sociologyanthropology/">www.uis.edu/sociologyanthropology/</a>  217-206-6962  <a href="mailto:soa@uis.edu">soa@uis.edu</a></td>
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<td>Theatre</td>
<td>Recommended: Theatre Appreciation Intro to Acting Theatre practicum</td>
<td>THE 110  THE 120  THE 130</td>
<td><a href="http://www.uis.edu/theatre/">www.uis.edu/theatre/</a>  217-206-6240  <a href="mailto:theatre@uis.edu">theatre@uis.edu</a></td>
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<td>Visual Arts</td>
<td>2-D Design 3-D Design Drawing I 2 semesters of Art History Introductory-level art studio course in a specific discipline</td>
<td>ART 121  ART 122  ART 131  ART 112 &amp; 113  ART 133, 141, 151, 161, 162, 171, 193</td>
<td><a href="http://www.uis.edu/visualarts/">www.uis.edu/visualarts/</a>  217-206-6240  <a href="mailto:art@uis.edu">art@uis.edu</a></td>
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