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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<td>MATH 118, 122, 125, 144, 146, 204, 207, 208, 209</td>
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<td>SCIENCE</td>
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<td>ASTR 201; CHEM 121*, 201*; GEOG 201; GEOL 201; PHYS 221*, 235*; PHYS 201, 107, 111*, 112*, 118</td>
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<td>6 Hours Social</td>
<td>ANT 201, 202; BIO 201; ECON 201, 202; GEOG 101, 102; HIST 111, 112, 141, 142, 215, 225, 243, 247, 248; PLSCI 201, 204, 207; PSYC 201, 207, 211; SOC 201, 203, 205, 207; SOCSCI 101, 102</td>
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<td>HUMANITIES AND FINE ARTS</td>
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<td>1 Fine Arts</td>
<td>ART 103; FNART 104, 105, 107, 108, 109, 110; HUM 123, 143, 144, 145, 201, 202, 203, 205, 207, 208, 210, 212, 215; LIT 155; MUS 121, 124, 183, 221; THR ART 131, 134</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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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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| Accounting                                   | Financial/Managerial Accounting Statistics  
Macro/Micro Economics                  | BUS 181 & 182  
MATH 125  
MATH 204 OR 207  
ECON 201 & 202 | www.uis.edu/accountancy/  
217-206-6541  
acc@uis.edu                                      |
| Biology                                      | 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* | For information on exact equivalent courses for your school with UIS, please contact the Biology Department. | www.uis.edu/biology/  
217-206-6630  
bio@uis.edu                                      |
| Biochemistry                                 | General Chemistry I and II  
Organic Chemistry I and II  
Calculus I and II  
*Recommended: Organic Chemistry II*  
*Calculus-based* Physics I and II | For information on exact equivalent courses for your school with UIS, please contact the Chemistry Department. | www.uis.edu/chemistry/  
217-206-6589  
che@uis.edu                                      |
| Business Administration comprehensive, finance, management concentration, marketing concentration, sports management | Financial Accounting  
Managerial Accounting  
Statistics  
Business Calculus (or Finite Math or Calculus I)  
Macro-Economics  
Micro-Economics | BUS 181  
BUS 182  
MATH 125  
MATH 204, 144, OR 207  
ECON 201  
ECON 202 | www.uis.edu/bba/  
217-206-6780  
Headrick.karen@uis.edu                                      |
| Chemistry                                    | General Chemistry I and II  
Organic Chemistry w/ lab I and II  
Calculus I and II  
Physics, calculus-based I and II | For information on exact equivalent courses for your school with UIS, please contact the Chemistry Department. | www.uis.edu/chemistry/  
217-206-6589  
che@uis.edu                                      |
| Communication                                | No specific requirements.  
*Recommended: Composition I and II  
Speech*  
*Online program requirements/recommendations are the same.* | ENG 101 & 102  
SPEC 101 | www.uis.edu/communicaton/  
217-206-6790  
com@uis.edu                                      |
| Computer Science and Information Security    | *Recommended: Calculus I or Business Calculus  
Discrete Math or Finite Math Statistics  
Equivalent of two semesters of Java programming experience* | MATH 207 OR 204  
MATH 144 OR 146  
MATH 125  
CIS 144 | csc.uis.edu  
217-206-6770  
csc@uis.edu                                      |
| 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 JUS 102 | www.uis.edu/criminaljustice/  
217-206-6301  
crj@uis.edu                                      |
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<td>Education</td>
<td>Educational Psychology&lt;br&gt;Intro to Child Psychology/Child Development (Required for Elementary Education)&lt;br&gt;Adolescent Psychology (Required for Secondary Education)&lt;br&gt;Intro to Teacher Education&lt;br&gt;Pre-Teaching Clinical Experience (30 hrs. of Service learning work with school-aged children)</td>
<td>EDUC 203, PSYC 207&lt;br&gt;PSYCH 214&lt;br&gt;EDUC 101&lt;br&gt;EDUC 209 or 210</td>
<td><a href="http://www.uis.edu/teachereducation/">www.uis.edu/teachereducation/</a> 217-206-6682 <a href="mailto:tep@uis.edu">tep@uis.edu</a> To obtain TEP application or discuss education goals, please contact Heather McCullough. 217-206-6934 <a href="mailto:hmccullo@uis.edu">hmccullo@uis.edu</a></td>
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<td>English</td>
<td>Recommended: Composition I and II&lt;br&gt;Creative Writing course&lt;br&gt;2 survey-breadth courses in literature</td>
<td>ENG 101 &amp; 102&lt;br&gt;ENG 241-276&lt;br&gt;LIT 110-121, 123, 126-211, 220</td>
<td><a href="http://www.uis.edu/english/">www.uis.edu/english/</a> 217-206-6779 <a href="mailto:eng-ga@uis.edu">eng-ga@uis.edu</a> Online applicants should e-mail their personal statement to <a href="mailto:eng@uis.edu">eng@uis.edu</a>.</td>
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<td>Recommended: Course in Environmental Sciences/Biology Composition I and II</td>
<td>BIO 109 OR 119 OR ENVRST 101&lt;br&gt;ENG 101 &amp; 102</td>
<td><a href="http://www.uis.edu/environmentalstudies/">www.uis.edu/environmentalstudies/</a> 217-206-6720 <a href="mailto:ens@uis.edu">ens@uis.edu</a></td>
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<td>Exercise Science</td>
<td>Recommended: 2 Semesters of Anatomy and Physiology&lt;br&gt;General Chemistry I&lt;br&gt;Statistics&lt;br&gt;Nutrition&lt;br&gt;Composition I &amp; II&lt;br&gt;Speech&lt;br&gt;Calculus or Business Calculus&lt;br&gt;Psychology&lt;br&gt;Sociology</td>
<td>BIO 226 &amp; 227&lt;br&gt;CHEM 201 &amp; 203&lt;br&gt;MATH 125&lt;br&gt;ENG 101 &amp; 102&lt;br&gt;SPEC 101&lt;br&gt;MATH 207 or MATH 204&lt;br&gt;PSYC 201&lt;br&gt;SOCI 201</td>
<td><a href="http://www.uis.edu/exercisescience/">www.uis.edu/exercisescience/</a> 217-206-6589 <a href="mailto:exercisescience@uis.edu">exercisescience@uis.edu</a></td>
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<td>Recommended: Composition I and II&lt;br&gt;Micro-Economics and Macro-Economics&lt;br&gt;Non-US History&lt;br&gt;Four semesters of a foreign language (at C or better)</td>
<td>ENG 101 &amp; 102&lt;br&gt;ECON 201 &amp; 202&lt;br&gt;HIS 141, 142, 212, 215, 225-233, 247-248; POL SCI 204, 206&lt;br&gt;CHIN 104, FREN 104, ITAL 104, JAPAN 104, SPAN 104, ARAB 104</td>
<td><a href="http://www.uis.edu/globalstudies/">www.uis.edu/globalstudies/</a> 217-206-6646 <a href="mailto:hfros1@uis.edu">hfros1@uis.edu</a></td>
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<td>History</td>
<td>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)</td>
<td>HIS 111, 112, 141, 142, 215-247 ENG 101 &amp; 102</td>
<td><a href="http://www.uis.edu/history/">www.uis.edu/history/</a> 217-206-6779 <a href="mailto:his@uis.edu">his@uis.edu</a> Online applicants should e-mail their personal statement to <a href="mailto:his@uis.edu">his@uis.edu</a>.</td>
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<td>Legal Studies</td>
<td>6 hours of Humanities* Composition I and II* Recommended: American Politics* Course in the American legal system* *Grade of “C” or better</td>
<td>ENG 101 &amp; 102 POLSCI 201 CRM JUS 234 &amp; 256</td>
<td><a href="http://www.uis.edu/legalstudies/">www.uis.edu/legalstudies/</a> 217-206-8340 <a href="mailto:les@uis.edu">les@uis.edu</a></td>
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<td>Liberal Studies</td>
<td>Composition I and II Requirements for Online Program: All General Education completed Personal interview by phone or in person</td>
<td>ENG 101 &amp; 102</td>
<td><a href="http://www.uis.edu/liberalstudies/">www.uis.edu/liberalstudies/</a> 217-206-7456 <a href="mailto:lis@uis.edu">lis@uis.edu</a></td>
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<td>Management Information Systems</td>
<td>Financial/Managerial Accounting Statistics Business Calculus or Calculus I Macro-Economics Micro-Economics A Behavioral Science course</td>
<td>BUS 181 &amp; 182 MATH 125 MATH 204 OR 207 ECON 201 ECON 202 i.e. PSY, SOC</td>
<td><a href="http://mis.uis.edu/">http://mis.uis.edu/</a> 217-206-6067 <a href="mailto:mis@uis.edu">mis@uis.edu</a></td>
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<td>Mathematical Sciences</td>
<td>3 semesters of Calculus</td>
<td>MATH 207, 208, &amp; 209</td>
<td><a href="http://www.uis.edu/math/">www.uis.edu/math/</a> 217-206-6770 <a href="mailto:mat@uis.edu">mat@uis.edu</a></td>
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| **Medical Laboratory Science** | 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 | BIO 226 & 227  
CHEM 201 & 203  
CHEM 206  
MICROBIO 233  
MATH 207  
CHEM 207  
BIO 241-1 OR 241-2 | [website](http://www.uis.edu/clinicalabscience/)  
217-206-6589  
cls@uis.edu  
MLS application is to be found in PDF form on the MLS website |
| **Philosophy**                | Recommended: 1 course in Philosophy  
**Additional Requirements for Online Program:** 3.00/4.00 GPA Composition I | PHIL 105, 106, 107  
ENG 101 | [website](http://www.uis.edu/philosophy/)  
217-206-6790  
phi@uis.edu  
Online applicants must submit writing sample and statement of purpose to phi@uis.edu |
| **Political Science**         | Recommended: American Government/Politics Composition I and II  
**Additional Requirements for Online Program:** 3.00/4.00 GPA | POLSCI 201  
ENG 101 & 102 | [website](http://www.uis.edu/politicalscience/)  
217-206-6646  
pos@uis.edu |
| **Practical Politics**        | 3.00/4.00 GPA for all previous college work Basic course in American Government/Politics | POLSCI 201 | [website](http://www.uis.edu/politicalscience/)  
217-206-6646  
pos@uis.edu |
| **Pre-Medical Concentration** | Biology (1-year w/ lab) Calculus-based Physics (1 year) General Chemistry (1 year) Organic Chemistry (1 year) Calculus I | For information on exact equivalent courses for your school with UIS, please contact the Pre-Med Department. | [website](http://www.uis.edu/premed/)  
217-206-6589  
premed@uis.edu |
| **Psychology**                | Composition I and II* Introduction to Psychology*  
*Grace of “C” or better | ENG 101 & 102  
PSYC 201 | [website](http://www.uis.edu/psychology/)  
217-206-6696  
psy@uis.edu |
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                          Micro-Economics  
                          American Government  
                          Applied Statistics/General Education Stats | ENG 101 & 102  
                           ECON 201  
                           POLSCI 207  
                           MATH 125 | [www.uis.edu/publicadministration/](http://www.uis.edu/publicadministration/)  
                           217-206-6310  
                           mpa@uis.edu |
| Public Policy           | Micro-Economics  
                          Macro-Economics  
                          American Government  
                          (American Track)  
                          Comparative Government  
                          (International Track)  
                          **Recommended:** Composition I and II  | ECON 201  
                           ECON 202  
                           POLSCI 207  
                           POLSCI 204  
                           ENG 101 & 102 | [www.uis.edu/publicpolicy/](http://www.uis.edu/publicpolicy/)  
                           217-206-6646  
                           rgilm3@uis.edu |
| Social Work             | Introduction to Psychology  
                          Intro to Sociology/Intro to Anthropology  
                          American Government/Politics Statistics | PSYC 201  
                           SOC 201 OR ANTH 202  
                           POLSCI 201  
                           MATH 125 | [www.uis.edu/socialwork/](http://www.uis.edu/socialwork/)  
                           217-206-6687  
                           swk@uis.edu |
| Sociology/Anthropology  | **Recommended:** Intro to Sociology or Intro to Anthropology | SOC 201 OR ANTH 202 | [www.uis.edu/sociologyanthropology/](http://www.uis.edu/sociologyanthropology/)  
                           217-206-6962  
                           soa@uis.edu |
| Theatre                 | **Recommended:**  
                          Theatre Appreciation  
                          Intro to Acting  
                          Theatre practicum | THR ART 131  
                           THR ART 133  
                           THR ART 134 | [www.uis.edu/theatre/](http://www.uis.edu/theatre/)  
                           217-206-6240  
                           theatre@uis.edu |
| Visual Arts             | 2-D Design  
                          3-D Design  
                          Drawing I  
                          2 semesters of Art History Introductory-level art studio course in a specific discipline | ART 144  
                           ART 145  
                           ART 131  
                           ART 115, 126, 142, 163, 166, 176, 196, 198, CMM 161 | [www.uis.edu/visualarts/](http://www.uis.edu/visualarts/)  
                           217-206-6240  
                           art@uis.edu |