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>COMMUNICATIONS</td>
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<td>ANT 151, 155, 160, 170; ECO 150, 251, 252; GEG 202, 203, 204; HIS 131, 132, 165, 170, 172; PLT 150, 151, 155, 251, 255; PSY 151, 250, 251, 255, 260, 265; SOC 151, 175, 251, 260, 261</td>
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<td>ART 150; ENG 240, 251, 253, 254, 255, 256, 260, 261, 270, 271, 272, 275, 276, 277; FRE 252; GER 252; PHI 151, 155, 160, 240, 251, 251, 261, 262; SPA 252</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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<td>Financial/Managerial Accounting</td>
<td>ACC 151 &amp; 152</td>
<td><a href="http://www.uis.edu/accountancy/">www.uis.edu/accountancy/</a></td>
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<td>Statistics</td>
<td>MAT 220</td>
<td>217-206-6541 <a href="mailto:acc@uis.edu">acc@uis.edu</a></td>
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<td>Business Calculus or Calculus I</td>
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<td>Macro/Micro Economics</td>
<td>ECO 251 &amp; 252</td>
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<td>Biology</td>
<td>Biology (8 semester hours w/ lab)</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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<td>IAI-approved Math course</td>
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<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</td>
<td>Financial Accounting</td>
<td>ACC 151</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>comprehensive, finance, management concentration,</td>
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<td>For information on exact equivalent courses for your school with UIS, please contact the Chemistry Department.</td>
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<td>Communication</td>
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<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><strong>Recommended:</strong> Composition I and II</td>
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<td>Computer Science and Information Security</td>
<td><strong>Recommended:</strong> Calculus I or Business Calculus</td>
<td>MAT 175 <strong>OR</strong> 171</td>
<td><a href="http://csc.uis.edu">csc.uis.edu</a> 217-206-6770 <a href="mailto:csc@uis.edu">csc@uis.edu</a></td>
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<td>Discrete Math or Finite Math Statistics</td>
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<td>Equivalent of two semesters of Java programming experience</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 151 & 152  
CJS 101 | [www.uis.edu/criminaljustice/](http://www.uis.edu/criminaljustice/)  
[217-206-6301](tel:217-206-6301)  
[cj@uis.edu](mailto:cj@uis.edu) |
| Economics                              | Financial Accounting  
Managerial Accounting  
Statistics  
Business Calculus (or Finite Math or Calculus I)  
Macro-Economics  
Micro-Economics | ACC 151  
ACC 152  
MAT 220  
MAT 170, 171, **OR** 175  
ECO 251  
ECO 252 | [www.uis.edu/economics/](http://www.uis.edu/economics/)  
[217-206-7174](tel:217-206-7174)  
[eco@uis.edu](mailto: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)  
*Recommended:* Complete all General Education – including (for elementary majors) 2 Fine Arts courses, Sciences covering 3 areas of knowledge, and social sciences covering 4 areas of knowledge | PSY 271  
PSY 251  
EDU 251  
EDU 275 | [www.uis.edu/teachereducation/](http://www.uis.edu/teachereducation/)  
[217-206-6682](tel:217-206-6682)  
tep@uis.edu  
To obtain TEP application or discuss education goals, please contact Heather McCullough.  
217-206-6934  
hmccullo@uis.edu |
| English                                | *Recommended:* 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 151 & 152  
ENG 250  
ENG 240, 251-277 | [www.uis.edu/english/](http://www.uis.edu/english/)  
[217-206-6779](tel:217-206-6779)  
eng-ga@uis.edu  
Online applicants should e-mail their personal statement to eng@uis.edu. |
| Environmental Studies                  | *Recommended:* Course in Environmental Sciences/Biology Composition I and II | BIO 130, 140  
ENG 151 & 152 | [www.uis.edu/environmentalstudies/](http://www.uis.edu/environmentalstudies/)  
[217-206-6720](tel: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 263 & 264  
CHM 165 & 166  
MAT 220  
CLM 106  
ENG 151 & 152  
SPE 151  
MAT 175 or MAT 171  
PSY 151  
SOC 151 | [www.uis.edu/exercisescience/](http://www.uis.edu/exercisescience/)  
[217-206-6589](tel:217-206-6589)  
exercisescience@uis.edu |
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<td>Recommended: Composition I and II Micro-Economics and Macro-Economics Non-US History Four semesters of a foreign language (at C or better)</td>
<td>ENG 151 &amp; 152</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</td>
<td>HIS 130-132, 165; PLT 261, 281 FRE 252; GER 252; SPA 252</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 (Legal Assistant Certificate option)</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 151 &amp; 152</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 151 &amp; 152</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>ACC 151 &amp; 152 MAT 220 MAT 171 OR 175 ECO 251 ECO 252 i.e. POS, 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>MAT 175, 245, &amp; 255</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 General Chemistry I and II, Organic Chemistry I and II, Microbiology w/ lab, Statistics or Higher Math)  
Recommanded: Organic Chemistry II, Genetics | BIO 263 & 264, CHM 165 & 166, CHM 265, BIO 255, MAT 175 OR 220, CHM 266, BIO 138 | 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 | PHI 151, 155, OR 251, ENG 151 | 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 | PLT 151, ENG 151 & 152 | 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 | PLT 151 | 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. | www.uis.edu/premed/217-206-6589 premed@uis.edu |
| Psychology                    | Composition I and II*  
Introduction to Psychology*  
*Grace of “C” or better | ENG 151 & 152, PSY 151 | www.uis.edu/psychology/217-206-6696 psy@uis.edu |
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                        Micro-Economics  
                        American Government  
                        Applied Statistics/General Education Stats | ENG 151 & 152  
                        ECO 252  
                        PLT 151  
                        MAT 120 OR 220 | [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 | ECO 251  
                        ECO 252  
                        PLT 151  
                        PLT 255  
                        ENG 151 & 152 | [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 | PSY 151  
                        SOC 151 OR ANT 151  
                        PLT 151  
                        MAT 220 | [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 151 OR ANT 151 | [www.uis.edu/sociologyanthropology/](http://www.uis.edu/sociologyanthropology/)  
                        217-206-6962  
                        soa@uis.edu |
| Theatre              | *Recommended:* Theatre Appreciation  
                        Intro to Acting  
                        Theatre practicum | THE 151  
                        THE 157  
                        THE 153 | [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 153  
                        ART 253  
                        ART 156  
                        ART 155, 171-173 | [www.uis.edu/visualarts/](http://www.uis.edu/visualarts/)  
                        217-206-6240  
                        art@uis.edu |