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 (AACS 8B 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>SCIENCE</td>
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<td>Physical Science</td>
<td>ATR 101; CHEM 105*, 106*, 11*, 112*, 211*, 212*; GEOL 105; PHY 101, 102*, 220*, 221*, SCIN 111;</td>
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<td>Life Science</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 Sciences</td>
<td>ANTH 103, 154; CRIM 105, 252; ECON 201, 202; GEOG 207; HIST 101, 102; HUMA 215; POLS 101, 112, 201, 211; PSYC 101, 201, 205, 253; SOCI 111, 164, 245, 253, 261;</td>
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<td>HUMANITIES AND FINE ARTS</td>
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<td>ENGL 206, 214, 220 221, 222, 223, 224, 225, 227 240; FREN 202; GERM 202; HIST 111, 112; HUMA 201, 202, HUMS 109, 110; PHI 101, 102, 213, 220; SPAN 202, 240</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/](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  
Business Calculus or Calculus I  
Macro/Micro Economics | ACCT 101 & 102  
MATH 200  
MATH 211  
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  
(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 | ACC 101 & 102  
MATH 200  
MATH 211 OR MATH 135  
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 | ENGL 111 & 112  
COMM 101 | www.uis.edu/communication/  
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 211  
MATH 235 OR MATH 135  
MATH 200 | csc.uis.edu  
217-206-6770  
csc@uis.edu |
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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 | ENGL 111 & 112  
CRIM 101              | **www.uis.edu/criminaljustice/  
217-206-6301  
crj@uis.edu** |
| **2.50/4.00 GPA is required for full admission to program.** |                                                                                       |                      |                                              |
| Economics                                         | Financial Accounting  
Managerial Accounting  
Statistics  
Business Calculus (or Finite Math or Calculus I)  
Macro-Economics  
Micro-Economics | ACC 101 & 102  
MATH 200  
MATH 211 OR MATH 135  
ECON 201  
ECON 202 | **www.uis.edu/economics/  
217-206-7174  
eco@uis.edu** |
| **C or better on all pre-requisites.**            |                                                                                       |                      |                                              |
| 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) | EDUC 250  
EDUC 121  
EDUC 101  
EDUC 261              | **www.uis.edu/teachereducation/  
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**: 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) | ENGL 111 & 112  
ENGL 202 and/or 203  
ENGL 206, 214-245 | **www.uis.edu/english/  
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  
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 | BIOL 120, 237, 240; SUST 100  
ENGL 111 & 112 | **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 | APHY 203 and 204  
CHE 111  
MATH 200  
EXER 106 or HLHS 111  
ENG 111 & 112  
COMM 101  
MATH 211  
PSYC 101  
SOC 111 | **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) | ENGL 111 & 112  
ECON 201 & 202  
HIST 111, 112, 201, 202  
FREN 202 OR SPAN 202 | 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  
Additional Requirements for Online Program: 2.50/4.00 GPA  
Online program requires statement of intent (not more than 500 words) | HIST 101, 102, 111, 112,  
201, 202, 210  
ENGL 111 & 112 | www.uis.edu/history/  
217-206-6779  
his@uis.edu  
Online applicants should e-mail their personal statement to his@uis.edu |
| Legal Studies                 | 6 hours of Humanities*  
Composition I and II*  
Recommended: American Politics*  
Course in the American legal system*  
*Grade of “C” or better | ENGL 111 & 112  
POLS 101  
POLS 210 | 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 | ENGL 111 & 112 | 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 | ACCT 101 & 102  
MATH 200  
MATH 211  
ECON 201  
ECON 202 | http://mis.uis.edu/  
217-206-6067  
mis@uis.edu |
| Mathematical Sciences         | 3 semesters of Calculus | MATH 211, 212, 261 | www.uis.edu/math/  
217-206-6770  
mat@uis.edu |
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<td>APHY 203 &amp; 204</td>
<td><a href="http://www.uis.edu/clinicallabscience/">www.uis.edu/clinicallabscience/</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>Recommended: 1 course in Philosophy Additional Requirements for Online Program: 3.00/4.00 GPA Composition I</td>
<td>PHIL 101, 102, 213</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>Political Science</td>
<td>Recommended: American Government/Politics Composition I and II Additional Requirements for Online Program: 3.00/4.00 GPA</td>
<td>POLS 101</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>Practical Politics</td>
<td>3.00/4.00 GPA for all previous college work Basic course in American Government/Politics For information on exact equivalent courses for your school with UIS, please contact the Pre-Med Department.</td>
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<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>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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<td>Composition I and II* Introduction to Psychology* *Grace of “C” or better</td>
<td>ENGL 111 &amp; 112</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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<td><strong>Recommended:</strong> Composition I and II&lt;br&gt;Micro-Economics&lt;br&gt;American Government&lt;br&gt;Applied Statistics/General Education Stats</td>
<td>ENGL 111 &amp; 112&lt;br&gt;ECON 201&lt;br&gt;POLS 101&lt;br&gt;MATH 200</td>
<td><a href="http://www.uis.edu/publicadministration/">www.uis.edu/publicadministration/</a>&lt;br&gt;217-206-6310&lt;br&gt;<a href="mailto:mpa@uis.edu">mpa@uis.edu</a></td>
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<td>Public Policy</td>
<td>Micro-Economics&lt;br&gt;Macro-Economics&lt;br&gt;American Government (American Track)&lt;br&gt;Comparative Government (International Track)&lt;br&gt;<strong>Recommended:</strong> Composition I and II</td>
<td>ECON 201&lt;br&gt;ECON 202&lt;br&gt;POLS 101 or POLS 201&lt;br&gt;POLS 211&lt;br&gt;ENGL 111 &amp; 112</td>
<td><a href="http://www.uis.edu/publicpolicy/">www.uis.edu/publicpolicy/</a>&lt;br&gt;217-206-6646&lt;br&gt;<a href="mailto:rgilm3@uis.edu">rgilm3@uis.edu</a></td>
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<td>Social Work</td>
<td>Introduction to Psychology&lt;br&gt;Intro to Sociology/Intro to Anthropology&lt;br&gt;American Government/Politics&lt;br&gt;Statistics</td>
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<td><a href="http://www.uis.edu/socialwork/">www.uis.edu/socialwork/</a>&lt;br&gt;217-206-6687&lt;br&gt;<a href="mailto:swk@uis.edu">swk@uis.edu</a></td>
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<td>SOCI 111 OR ANTH 154</td>
<td><a href="http://www.uis.edu/sociologyanthropology/">www.uis.edu/sociologyanthropology/</a>&lt;br&gt;217-206-6962&lt;br&gt;<a href="mailto:soa@uis.edu">soa@uis.edu</a></td>
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<td>Theatre</td>
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<td>HUMA 100 OR ARTS 260&lt;br&gt;ARTS 262</td>
<td><a href="http://www.uis.edu/theatre/">www.uis.edu/theatre/</a>&lt;br&gt;217-206-6240&lt;br&gt;<a href="mailto:theatre@uis.edu">theatre@uis.edu</a></td>
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<td>Visual Arts</td>
<td>2-D Design&lt;br&gt;3-D Design&lt;br&gt;Drawing I&lt;br&gt;2 semesters of Art History&lt;br&gt;Introductory-level art studio course in a specific discipline</td>
<td>ARTS 102&lt;br&gt;ARTS 103&lt;br&gt;ARTS 100&lt;br&gt;ARTH 101 &amp; 102&lt;br&gt;ART 200, 211, 231, 241, PHOT 104</td>
<td><a href="http://www.uis.edu/visualarts/">www.uis.edu/visualarts/</a>&lt;br&gt;217-206-6240&lt;br&gt;<a href="mailto:art@uis.edu">art@uis.edu</a></td>
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