

## UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS College of Liberal Arts and Sciences

### **Transfer Information**

As the largest undergraduate college at the University of Illinois, the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences (LAS) currently offers approximately 50 majors under the Sciences and Letters curriculum, 5 specialized curricula and 12 programs preparing for teacher licensure for secondary schools. The necessary core courses are available for students planning to pursue a career in law or health professions. Information concerning all Programs of Study is now located at this website: <http://admissions.illinois.edu/Discover/Academics/majors>.

University of Illinois course information to determine the applicability of certain courses toward career goals may be found at: <https://courses.illinois.edu/>. Staff members within the College are available to answer specific student questions. Transfer course information is available at the following website: <https://www.transferology.com>.

Enrolling transfer students are required to participate in the New Student Registration Program. This will enable each student to talk to an experienced adviser, plan a program of study and take part in programs designed to answer their questions.

### **MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS FOR A DEGREE**

The College of Liberal Arts and Sciences has minimum standards of progress and performance that must be observed as students work toward a degree, including Required Grade-Point Averages, Minimum Total Credit Hours, Electives, Minimum Advanced Hours, and Residency Credit Hours. More information on these requirements is available at the following website: <http://www.las.illinois.edu/students/requirements/minimum>.

### **MAJORS WITH SUPPORTING COURSEWORK**

In addition to the Composition, Language and General Education requirements in LAS, students in the Sciences and Letters curriculum are required to study an academic discipline in some depth. At the University of Illinois, this in-depth study is called a major, and will include core courses in the subject itself and supporting coursework. This major may be oriented around a single discipline, or may be inter-disciplinary (e.g., Humanities, Latin American Studies, or Religious Studies). A major will normally consist of **40-60 hours** of coursework designated by the department and approved by the faculty of the College of LAS. Of these hours, approximately **12-20** will be in supporting coursework. Descriptions of the requirements for each of the 50 majors in the Sciences and Letters curriculum may be found in the University of Illinois' [Transfer Handbook](#) (Liberal Arts and Sciences section). The prerequisite coursework and requirements are listed in ***bold, red italics*** for each of the programs. **LAS allows for equivalent required transfer courses to be completed the summer prior to enrollment, but if the courses are not completed the offer of admission may be rescinded.**

Normally, a major is not conceived as having a vocational focus or orientation and may or may not be directly related to vocational goals. In all LAS programs, however, it is expected that students will obtain methods of study and approaches to problems to aid them in achieving specific vocational goals. Students with special professional goals, such as law school and medical school, may successfully follow any number of undergraduate programs. For example, there are students with pre-law interests in many fields, including political science, philosophy, mathematics, economics and English. There are students with pre-medical interests concentrating in English or history, as well as biology, chemistry, or psychology.

### **Pre-Professional Programs**

Students planning to pursue a Pre-Dentistry, Pre-Law or Pre-Medicine program should refer to the Pre-Professional Programs section, located at the following website: [http://admissions.illinois.edu/Content/docs/Handbook\\_PreProfessional.pdf](http://admissions.illinois.edu/Content/docs/Handbook_PreProfessional.pdf)

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### **Secondary Education Teaching**

The Secondary Education option in the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences (LAS) includes content work in your major and professional education courses in the College of Education. Students who successfully complete this degree will have a bachelor's degree in the major area of study and a license to teach that subject (English, Math, Science or Social Science) in the state of Illinois.

It can be particularly difficult for junior-level students to complete the Secondary Education program within four years. It is imperative that you work closely with your institution's advisor and with us so that we can ensure you are taking the appropriate coursework at the institution you attend prior to entering the University of Illinois. In some cases, completing the program in four total years may not be possible due to limited course offerings at your transfer institution. If you have not worked with your advisor or if you decide a little later in your undergraduate work that you would like to obtain the teaching degree, be prepared for your degree to require extra time to complete.

For more information on Secondary Education Teaching, please see the Secondary Education Teaching section at the end of this handbook.

### **Individual Plans of Study (IPS)**

A unique curricular program at the University of Illinois called **Individual Plans of Study (IPS)** assists motivated students to design personalized and innovative programs of study under the guidance of faculty sponsors. As an alternative to the conventional major, IPS features sponsorship by a faculty advisor and program approval by the IPS Advisory Committee. IPS students must meet the regular LAS requirements in Composition, General Education, Language Requirement and advanced hours. Students desiring further information about IPS should inquire with Bob Steltman at 2002 Lincoln Hall, Urbana, IL, 61801, Email [steltman@illinois.edu](mailto:steltman@illinois.edu), Phone (217) 333-1705.

### **Second Bachelor's Degree**

Due to enrollment constraints, second bachelor's degree applicants to the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences must have demonstrated academic success in the curriculum to which they apply beyond the junior-level minimum requirements for admission. Demonstrated academic success includes successful completion of courses in the discipline or courses that are directly applicable to major requirements. Applicants must also submit a rationale for the second bachelor's degree in the context of prior or planned degrees, current occupation, and/or career goals.

## African American Studies

**African American Studies:** <http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/las/african-american-studies-balas/>

Transfer applicants who have completed more than **6 semesters** or **80 hours of coursework** are **subject to an additional review**. Priority is given to students who can complete degree requirements within a total of ten semesters in college (not counting summer sessions). **A grade point average of 2.70 or higher (A=4.00) is required for admission.** Applicants are considered on a space available basis.

For information about the University of Illinois' General Education requirements and courses, please refer to the following web link: <https://courses.illinois.edu/gened/2019/fall>.

**Admission recommendations** for transfer include completion of equivalent transfer coursework to the following University of Illinois **Language Recommendation:**

**Language Recommendation:** There is no longer a language requirement for transfer admission. The College of Liberal Arts and Sciences requires completion through the fourth level of one language other than English, either in high school or college, to **graduate** from the college; however, it is strongly recommended that transfer applicants complete this graduation requirement prior to the term of enrollment at the University of Illinois. Early completion of this graduation requirement will allow time to complete other degree requirements, e.g., General Education coursework. Length of time to graduation may increase if the Language Requirement for graduation is not completed prior to enrollment.

## Anthropology

**Anthropology:** <http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/las/anthropology-balas/>

Transfer applicants who have completed more than **6 semesters** or **80 hours of coursework** are subject to **an additional review**. Priority is given to students who can complete degree requirements within a total of ten semesters in college (not counting summer sessions). **A grade point average of 2.70 or higher (A=4.00) is required for admission.** Applicants are considered on a space available basis.

For information about the University of Illinois' General Education requirements and courses, please refer to the following web link: <https://courses.illinois.edu/gened/2019/fall>.

**Admission recommendations** for transfer include completion of equivalent transfer coursework to the following University of Illinois courses and graduation requirement prior to the desired term of entry.

Completion of equivalent transfer coursework to the **Language Recommendation** is **highly recommended**:

ANTH 101, Introduction to Anthropology  
ANTH 102, Human Origins and Culture  
RHET 105, Writing and Research<sup>1</sup>  
Supporting Courses<sup>2</sup>

**Language Recommendation:** There is no longer a language requirement for transfer admission. The College of Liberal Arts and Sciences requires completion through the fourth level of one language other than English, either in high school or college, to **graduate** from the college; however, it is strongly recommended that transfer applicants complete this graduation requirement prior to the term of enrollment at the University of Illinois. Early completion of this graduation requirement will allow time to complete other degree requirements, e.g., General Education coursework. Length of time to graduation may increase if the Language Requirement for graduation is not completed prior to enrollment.

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<sup>1</sup> At most institutions, the equivalent requires a two-course English composition sequence.

<sup>2</sup> Supporting courses can be selected in a single discipline (building towards a minor) or can be taken from a variety of disciplines related to aspects of interest to the student in Anthropology.

## Asian American Studies

**Asian American Studies:** <http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/las/asian-american-studies-balas/>

Transfer applicants who have completed more than **6 semesters** or **80 hours of coursework** are **subject to an additional review**. Priority is given to students who can complete degree requirements within a total of ten semesters in college (not counting summer sessions). **A grade point average of 2.70 or higher (A=4.00) is required for admission.** Applicants are considered on a space available basis.

For information about the University of Illinois' General Education requirements and courses, please refer to the following web link: <https://courses.illinois.edu/gened/2019/fall>.

**Admission recommendations** for transfer include completion of equivalent transfer coursework to the following University of Illinois **Language Recommendation:**

**Language Recommendation:** There is no longer a language requirement for transfer admission. The College of Liberal Arts and Sciences requires completion through the fourth level of one language other than English, either in high school or college, to **graduate** from the college; however, it is strongly recommended that transfer applicants complete this graduation requirement prior to the term of enrollment at the University of Illinois. Early completion of this graduation requirement will allow time to complete other degree requirements, e.g., General Education coursework. Length of time to graduation may increase if the Language Requirement for graduation is not completed prior to enrollment.

## Astronomy

**Astronomy:** <http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/las/astronomy-bslas/>

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For information about the University of Illinois' General Education requirements and courses, please refer to the following web link: <https://courses.illinois.edu/gened/2019/fall>.

**Admission recommendations** for transfer are as follows, and completion of the **Language Recommendation** is **highly recommended**:

**Language Recommendation:** There is no longer a language requirement for transfer admission. The College of Liberal Arts and Sciences requires completion through the fourth level of one language other than English, either in high school or college, to **graduate** from the college. It is strongly recommended that transfer applicants complete this graduation requirement prior to the term of enrollment at the University of Illinois. Early completion of this graduation requirement will allow time to complete other degree requirements, e.g., General Education coursework. Length of time to graduation may increase if the Language Requirement for graduation is not completed prior to enrollment.

**Sophomore-level transfer admission** *requires* completion of equivalent transfer coursework to the following University of Illinois course:

*MATH 220, Calculus or MATH 221, Calculus I<sup>1</sup>*

**Sophomore-level transfer admission** **highly recommends** completion of equivalent transfer coursework to the following University of Illinois course:

MATH 231, Calculus II

**Junior-level transfer admission** *requires* completion of all of the **Sophomore-level transfer admission** requirements and completion of equivalent transfer coursework to the following University of Illinois courses<sup>1</sup>:

*MATH 231, Calculus II*

*PHYS 211, University Physics: Mechanics<sup>2</sup>*

**Junior-level transfer admission** **highly recommends** completion of equivalent transfer coursework to the following University of Illinois courses:

MATH 241, Calculus III

PHYS 212, University Physics: Elec & Mag

Completion of transfer equivalents to some of the following University of Illinois courses prior to transfer is **highly recommended**:

ASTR 210, Introduction to Astrophysics

PHYS 213, Univ Physics: Thermal Physics

PHYS 214, Univ Physics: Quantum Physics

RHET 105, Writing and Research<sup>3</sup>

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<sup>1</sup> Students who intend to transfer into Astronomy should enroll in the most advanced mathematics course for which he/she is qualified and continue with mathematics each semester. Differential equations and/or advanced calculus are **recommended** for students who complete introductory calculus before the end of their sophomore year.

<sup>2</sup> If the transferable physics sequence at the community college is equivalent to the university physics sequence at the University of Illinois (PHYS 211, 212, 213, and 214), an equivalent of the University of Illinois' MATH 220: Calculus, must first be completed as a prerequisite to the physics sequence.

<sup>3</sup> At most institutions, the equivalent requires a two-course English composition sequence

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## Atmospheric Sciences

**Atmospheric Sciences:** <http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/las/atmospheric-sciences-bslas/>

Transfer applicants who have completed more than **6 semesters** or **80 hours of coursework** are **subject to an additional review**. Priority is given to students who can complete degree requirements within a total of ten semesters in college (not counting summer sessions). **A grade point average of 2.70 or higher (A=4.00) is required for admission**. Applicants are considered on a space available basis.

For information about the University of Illinois' General Education requirements and courses, please refer to the following web link: <https://courses.illinois.edu/gened/2019/fall>.

**Admission recommendations** for transfer are as follows, and completion of the **Language Recommendation** is **highly recommended**:

**Language Recommendation:** There is no longer a language requirement for transfer admission. The College of Liberal Arts and Sciences requires completion through the fourth level of one language other than English, either in high school or college, to **graduate** from the college; however, it is strongly recommended that transfer applicants complete this graduation requirement prior to the term of enrollment at the University of Illinois. Early completion of this graduation requirement will allow time to complete other degree requirements, e.g., General Education coursework. Length of time to graduation may increase if the Language Requirement for graduation is not completed prior to enrollment.

**Sophomore-level transfer admission highly recommends** completion of equivalent transfer coursework to the following University of Illinois courses and graduation requirement:

CHEM 102, General Chemistry I **and** CHEM 103, General Chemistry Lab I  
MATH 220, Calculus  
MATH 231, Calculus II

**Junior-level transfer admission highly recommends** completion of all of the **sophomore-level transfer admission** recommendations and completion of equivalent transfer coursework to the following University of Illinois courses:

MATH 241, Calculus III  
PHYS 211, University Physics: Mechanics

Completion of transfer equivalents to some of the following University of Illinois courses prior to transfer is **highly recommended**:

ATMS 201, General Physical Meteorology  
ATMS 303, Synoptic-Dynamic Weather Analysis (if available)  
ATMS 304, Radiative Transfer-Remote Sens (if available)  
ATMS 305, Computing and Data Analysis (if available)  
RHET 105, Writing and Research<sup>1</sup>

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<sup>1</sup> At most institutions, the equivalent requires a two-course English composition sequence.

## Biochemistry

**Biochemistry:** <http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/las/biochemistry-bs/>

Transfer applicants who have completed more than **6 semesters** or **80 hours** are subject to an **additional review**. Priority is given to students who can complete degree requirements within a total of ten semesters in college (not counting summer sessions). **A grade point average of 3.20 or higher (A=4.00) is required for admission.** A technical GPA (including biology, chemistry, math and physics courses) of **3.20 or higher** is required for admission. Applicants are considered on a space available basis.

**Admission recommendations** for transfer are as follows, and the **junior-level transfer requirements**, which include completion of equivalent transfer coursework to the following University of Illinois courses listed in **bold, red italics**, must be successfully completed prior to the desired term of entry. Completion of the **Language Recommendation** is **highly recommended**.

**Language Recommendation:** There is no longer a language requirement for transfer admission. **The Biochemistry program of study requires completion through the third level of one language other than English, either in high school or college, to graduate from the college.** It is strongly recommended that transfer applicants complete this graduation requirement prior to the term of enrollment at the University of Illinois. Early completion of this graduation requirement will allow time to complete other degree requirements, e.g., General Education coursework. Length of time to graduation may increase if the Language Requirement for graduation is not completed prior to enrollment.

**Sophomore-level transfer admission requires** completion of equivalent transfer coursework to the following University of Illinois courses and graduation requirement:

***CHEM 102, General Chemistry I and CHEM 103, General Chemistry Lab I***  
***CHEM 104, General Chemistry II and CHEM 105, General Chemistry Lab II***  
***MATH 220, Calculus***  
***MCB 150, Molec & Cellular Basis of Life<sup>1</sup>***

**Junior-level transfer admission requires** completion of all of the **Sophomore-level transfer admission** requirements and completion of equivalent transfer coursework to the following University of Illinois courses:

***CHEM 236, Fundamental Organic Chem I and CHEM 237, Structure and Synthesis or CHEM 232, Elementary Organic Chemistry I and CHEM 233, Elem Organic Chem Lab I***  
***MATH 231, Calculus II***

Completion of transfer equivalents to some of the following University of Illinois courses and the following general education categories<sup>2</sup> prior to transfer is **highly recommended**:

MATH 241, Calculus III  
PHYS 211, University Physics: Mechanics  
RHET 105, Writing and Research<sup>3</sup>  
Humanities & the Arts  
Social & Behavioral Sciences  
MCB 250, Molecular Genetics  
MCB 252, Cells, Tissues & Development

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<sup>1</sup> Completion of a two-semester sequence of introductory biology, designed for majors, is **highly recommended**. The MCB Placement Test should be completed prior to registration to determine the student's level of biology proficiency.

<sup>2</sup> For information about the University of Illinois' General Education requirements and courses, please refer to the following web link: <https://courses.illinois.edu/gened/2019/fall>.

<sup>3</sup> At most institutions, the equivalent requires a two-course English composition sequence.

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**If the recommended coursework listed above is not completed prior to transfer, the length of time to degree completion may increase. Due to the nature of the biology sequence, a Junior-level transfer student should expect to complete six (6) semesters on campus to complete the Biochemistry program of study.**

## Chemical and Biomolecular Engineering

### Chemical and Biomolecular Engineering:

<http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/las/chemical-engineering-bs/biomolecular-engineering/>

Transfer applicants who have completed more than **6 semesters** or **80 hours of coursework** are subject to **an additional review**. Priority is given to students who can complete degree requirements within a total of ten semesters in college (not counting summer sessions). **A grade point average of 3.20 or higher (A=4.00) is required for admission**. Applicants are considered on a space available basis.

**Admission requirements** for transfer include completion of equivalent transfer coursework to the following University of Illinois courses listed in *bold, red italics*, which must be successfully completed prior to the desired term of entry. Completion of equivalent transfer coursework to the **Language Recommendation** is **highly recommended**:

**Language Recommendation:** There is no longer a language requirement for transfer admission. **The Chemical and Biomolecular Engineering program of study requires completion through the third level of one language other than English, either in high school or college, to graduate from the college.** It is strongly recommended that transfer applicants complete this graduation requirement prior to the term of enrollment at the University of Illinois. Early completion of this graduation requirement will allow time to complete other degree requirements, e.g., General Education coursework. Length of time to graduation may increase if the Language Requirement for graduation is not completed prior to enrollment.

**Sophomore-level transfer admission requires** completion of equivalent transfer coursework to the following University of Illinois courses:

*CHEM 202, Accelerated Chemistry I<sup>1</sup> and CHEM 203, Accelerated Chemistry Lab I<sup>1</sup>*  
*CHEM 204, Accelerated Chemistry II<sup>1</sup> and CHEM 205, Accelerated Chemistry Lab II<sup>1</sup>*  
*MATH 220, Calculus<sup>2</sup>*  
*MATH 231, Calculus II<sup>2</sup>*  
*PHYS 211, University Physics: Mechanics<sup>3</sup>*

**Junior-level transfer admission requires** completion of all **sophomore-level transfer admission** requirements and equivalent transfer coursework to the following University of Illinois courses:

*MATH 241, Calculus III<sup>2</sup>*  
*PHYS 212, University Physics: Elec & Mag<sup>3</sup>*

Completion of transfer equivalents to some of the following University of Illinois courses and graduation requirement prior to transfer is **highly recommended**:

CHEM 236, Fundamental Organic Chem I  
CHEM 237, Structure and Synthesis  
CHEM 436, Fundamental Organic Chem II  
CS 101, Intro Computing: Engrg & Sci<sup>4</sup>  
MATH 285, Intro Differential Equations  
MATH 415, Applied Linear Algebra<sup>2</sup>  
PHYS 214, Univ Physics: Quantum Physics<sup>3</sup>  
RHET 105, Writing and Research<sup>5</sup>

Completion of transfer equivalents to University of Illinois coursework which satisfy the following general education categories<sup>6</sup> prior to transfer is also **highly recommended**:

Humanities and the Arts<sup>7</sup>  
Social & Behavioral Sciences<sup>7</sup>

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**Due to the specialized nature of Chemical and Biomolecular Engineering curriculum, Junior-level transfer students typically require a total of five or six semesters on our campus to be graduated. We believe that this extra semester or two is a worthwhile investment if it maximizes your opportunity for success, and our experience strongly suggests that it does.**

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<sup>1</sup> Students who have taken a non-accelerated general chemistry sequence will enroll in CHEM 222, Quantitative Analysis Lecture and CHEM 223, Quantitative Analysis Lab, after transferring.

<sup>2</sup> Depending on the available courses, the 3-semester sequence in calculus and analytic geometry, including basic linear algebra and matrix theory, should be equivalent to at least 12 semester hours.

<sup>3</sup> Depending on the available courses, the most advanced physics sequence or the one for engineering majors must be followed. If no 3-semester, 12-hour sequence is available for engineering majors, a 2-semester, 10-hour sequence may also be acceptable, provided it includes modern physics.

<sup>4</sup> The computer course must be a course in FORTRAN, C, C++, MATLAB, or Python programming, including numerical methods (University of Illinois CS 101, Intro Computing: Engrg & Sci); it should be a course intended for engineering majors.

<sup>5</sup> At most institutions, the equivalent requires a two-course English Composition sequence.

<sup>6</sup> For information about the University of Illinois' General Education requirements and courses, please refer to the following web link: <https://courses.illinois.edu/gened/2019/fall>.

<sup>7</sup> Sixteen hours of approved general education electives are required. This must include at least six hours in Social Sciences or Behavioral Sciences and at least six hours in Literature and the Arts or Historical and Philosophical perspectives. A current list of approved courses that may be used to satisfy this general education requirement is available in Room 209 RAL or the Undergraduate Program in Chemical Engineering website at:

<http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/las/academic-units/chem-bio-engin/#majorstext>. If you have more than six hours in either category, the excess will be counted as other Humanities or Social Science hours. Students entering college in Fall 1995 or later must satisfy the distribution requirements in Western and Non-Western Cultures. See LAS General Education Handout for details.

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## Chemistry Major and the Specialized Curriculum in Chemistry

**Chemistry Major or Specialized Curriculum:** <http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/las/chemistry-bs/>

Transfer students seeking to complete an American Chemical Society [ACS] accredited program in Chemistry will need to meet with the Department of Chemistry and seek to complete the **Specialized Curriculum in Chemistry** after arrival on campus. Due to the nature and makeup of the Specialized Curriculum in Chemistry, time to degree completion for transfer students may likely be extended.

Transfer applicants who have completed more than **6 semesters** or **80 hours of coursework** are subject to **an additional review**. Priority is given to students who can complete degree requirements within a total of ten semesters in college (not counting summer sessions). **A grade point average of 2.70 or higher (A=4.00) is required for admission.** Applicants are considered on a space available basis.

For information about the University of Illinois' General Education requirements and courses, please refer to the following web link: <https://courses.illinois.edu/gened/2019/fall>.

**Admission recommendations** for transfer are as follows and completion of the **Language Recommendation for both programs is highly recommended:**

**Language Recommendation:** There is no longer a language requirement for transfer admission. The College of Liberal Arts and Sciences requires completion through the fourth level of one language other than English, either in high school or college, to **graduate** from the college. **The Specialized Curriculum in Chemistry only requires completion through the third level of one language other than English in high school or college.** It is strongly recommended that transfer applicants complete the graduation requirement for their program of study prior to the term of enrollment at the University of Illinois. Early completion of this graduation requirement will allow time to complete other degree requirements, e.g., General Education coursework. Length of time to graduation may increase if the Language Requirement for graduation is not completed prior to enrollment.

### Chemistry – Sciences and Letters Curriculum

**Sophomore-level transfer admission requires** completion of equivalent transfer coursework to the following University of Illinois courses:

*CHEM 102, General Chemistry I<sup>1</sup> and CHEM 103, General Chemistry Lab I<sup>1</sup>*  
*CHEM 104, General Chemistry II<sup>1</sup> and CHEM 105, General Chemistry Lab II<sup>1</sup>*  
*MATH 220, Calculus<sup>2</sup>*  
*MATH 231, Calculus II<sup>2</sup>*  
*RHET 105, Writing and Research<sup>3</sup>*

**Junior-level transfer admission requires** completion of all equivalent transfer coursework required for **Sophomore-level transfer admission** and equivalent transfer coursework to the following University of Illinois course:

*MATH 241, Calculus III<sup>2</sup>*

**Junior-level transfer admission highly recommends** completion of equivalent transfer coursework to the following University of Illinois courses:

CHEM 232, Elementary Organic Chemistry I<sup>4</sup> **and** CHEM 233, Elem Organic Chem Lab I<sup>4</sup> **or** CHEM 236, Fundamental Organic Chem I<sup>4</sup> **and** CHEM 237, Structure and Synthesis<sup>4</sup> **and** CHEM 332, Elementary Organic Chem II **or** CHEM 436, Fundamental Organic Chem II

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Completion of transfer equivalents to some of the following University of Illinois courses prior to transfer is **highly recommended**:

PHYS 101, College Physics: Mech & Heat  
PHYS 102, College Physics: E&M & Modern

### **Specialized Curriculum in Chemistry**

**Sophomore-level transfer admission** *requires* completion of equivalent transfer coursework to the following University of Illinois courses and graduation requirement:

***CHEM 202, Accelerated Chemistry I<sup>1</sup> and CHEM 203, Accelerated Chemistry Lab I<sup>1</sup> and CHEM 204, Accelerated Chemistry II<sup>1</sup> and CHEM 205, Accelerated Chemistry Lab II<sup>1</sup> or CHEM 102, General Chemistry I<sup>1</sup> and CHEM 103, General Chemistry Lab I<sup>1</sup>  
CHEM 104, General Chemistry II<sup>1</sup> and CHEM 105, General Chemistry Lab II<sup>1</sup>  
MATH 220, Calculus<sup>2</sup>  
MATH 231, Calculus II<sup>2</sup>  
RHET 105, Writing and Research<sup>3</sup>***

**Junior-level transfer admission** *requires* completion of all equivalent transfer coursework required for **Sophomore-level transfer admission** and equivalent transfer coursework to the following University of Illinois course:

***MATH 241, Calculus III<sup>2</sup>***

**Junior-level transfer admission** **highly recommends** completion of equivalent transfer coursework to the following University of Illinois courses:

CHEM 232, Elementary Organic Chemistry I<sup>4</sup> **and** CHEM 233, Elem Organic Chem Lab I<sup>4</sup> **or** CHEM 236, Fundamental Organic Chem I<sup>4</sup> **and** CHEM 237, Structure and Synthesis<sup>4</sup>  
**and** CHEM 332, Elementary Organic Chem II **or** CHEM 436, Fundamental Organic Chem II      PHYS 211, University Physics: Mechanics<sup>5</sup>  
PHYS 212, University Physics: Elec & Mag<sup>5</sup>

Due to the unique structure of the Specialized Curriculum in Chemistry, transfer students who enter at the **Junior-level** by credit hours completed typically require a total of five or six semesters on our campus to graduate. We believe that this extra semester or two is a worthwhile investment if it maximizes your opportunity for success, and our experience strongly suggests that it does. Students who join us **with fewer than 60** credit hours will typically be able to complete their graduation requirements in a more traditional total of four years of college.

<sup>1</sup> Students who have completed a non-accelerated general chemistry sequence and choose the **Specialized Curriculum in Chemistry will enroll in CHEM 222, Quantitative Analysis Lecture and CHEM 223, Quantitative Analysis Lab, after transferring.** CHEM 222 and CHEM 223 are optional for the Chemistry major. Students pursuing a Science and Letters Curriculum may complete coursework equivalent to the University of Illinois' CHEM 102-105 sequence or CHEM 202-205 sequence.

<sup>2</sup> The transfer equivalent to the University of Illinois' three-course Calculus sequence (MATH 220, 231 and 241) should be completed prior to transfer.

<sup>3</sup> At most institutions, the equivalent requires a two-course English composition sequence.

<sup>4</sup> **If the Organic Chemistry sequence is not completed by equivalent transfer coursework, time to degree completion for transfer students will likely be extended for this program of study.**

<sup>5</sup> Depending on the available courses, the most advanced physics sequence or the one for engineering majors must be followed. If no 3-semester, 12-hour sequence is available for engineering majors, a 2-semester, 10-hour sequence may also be acceptable, provided it includes modern physics.

## Classics (Including Greek and Latin)

**Classics:** (Greek & Latin): <http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/las/classics-balas/>

Transfer applicants who have completed more than **6 semesters** or **80 hours of coursework** are subject to **an additional review**. Priority is given to students who can complete degree requirements within a total of ten semesters in college (not counting summer sessions). **A grade point average of 2.70 or higher (A=4.00) is required for admission.** Applicants are considered on a space available basis.

For information about the University of Illinois' General Education requirements and courses, please refer to the following web link: <https://courses.illinois.edu/gened/2019/fall>.

**Admission recommendations** for transfer include completion of equivalent transfer coursework to the following University of Illinois courses and graduation requirement prior to the desired term of entry.

CMN 101, Public Speaking

RHET 105, Writing and Research<sup>1</sup>

Completion of equivalent transfer coursework to the **Language Recommendation** is **highly recommended**:

**Language Recommendation:** There is no longer a language requirement for transfer admission. The College of Liberal Arts and Sciences requires completion through the fourth level of one language other than English, either in high school or college, to **graduate** from the college; however, it is strongly recommended that transfer applicants complete this graduation requirement prior to the term of enrollment at the University of Illinois. Early completion of this graduation requirement will allow time to complete other degree requirements, e.g., General Education coursework. Length of time to graduation may increase if the Language Requirement for graduation is not completed prior to enrollment.

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<sup>1</sup> At most institutions, the equivalent requires a two-course English composition sequence.

## Communication

**Communication:** <http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/las/communication-balas/>

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For information about the University of Illinois' General Education requirements and courses, please refer to the following web link: <https://courses.illinois.edu/gened/2019/fall>.

**Admission recommendations** for transfer include completion of equivalent transfer coursework to the following University of Illinois courses and graduation requirement prior to the desired term of entry.

CMN 101, Public Speaking  
RHET 105, Writing and Research<sup>1</sup>

Completion of equivalent transfer coursework to the **Language Recommendation** is **highly recommended**:

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<sup>1</sup> At most institutions, the equivalent requires a two-course English composition sequence.

## Comparative and World Literature

### Comparative Literature and World Literature:

<http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/las/comparative-literature-balas/>

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For information about the University of Illinois' General Education requirements and courses, please refer to the following web link: <https://courses.illinois.edu/gened/2019/fall>.

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Completion of transfer equivalents to some of the following University of Illinois courses and graduation requirement prior to transfer is **highly recommended**:

CWL 189, Lit of Asia & Africa I

CWL 190, Lit of Asia & Africa II

CWL 241, Early Masterpieces of Western Culture **or** CWL 242, Modern Masterpieces of Western Culture

ENGL 101, Intro to Poetry **or** ENGL 102, Intro to Drama **or** ENGL 103, Intro to Fiction

HIST 141, Western Civ to 1660

HIST 142, Western Civ Since 1660

RHET 105, Writing and Research<sup>1</sup>

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<sup>1</sup> At most institutions, the equivalent requires a two-course English composition sequence.



## Computer Science and Liberal Arts and Sciences Disciplines

This is an LAS major in Computer Science in conjunction with one of the following LAS Disciplines: Anthropology, Astronomy, Chemistry and Linguistics. Each is a flexible program for students who plan to pursue technical or professional careers in arts and sciences areas requiring a sound grounding in computer science. Students can use the supporting coursework to prepare for employment immediately upon graduation or for pursuing graduate study in a wide variety of fields or to complete a significant body of courses in a single area, such as a double major or minor. Examples include programming in sciences (such as bioinformatics, population genetics, demography, geographic information sciences, climate modeling, or social network analysis) or in the humanities (such as digital restoration, textual analyses, or other areas) or social sciences (such as population research). Information about these disciplines can be found at:

<https://cs.illinois.edu/academics/undergraduate/degree-program-options/cs-x-degree-programs#requirements>

While Computer Science + X programs are open for intercollegiate/interdepartmental transfer, students who are not directly admitted to a CS + X major must be admitted to a CS + X major by the student's sixth term of enrollment, including terms completed at other institutions of post-secondary education. If you have questions about this policy, or the intercollegiate/interdepartmental transfer process, please consult the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences.

Students interested in Mathematics or Statistics should enroll in the MATH & CS or STAT & CS programs of study.

### Major in Sciences and Letters Curriculum

#### Computer Science and Anthropology

Please confer with the Computer Science advisor as well as the advisor in Anthropology.

Transfer applicants who have completed more than **6 semesters** or **80 hours of coursework** are subject to **an additional review**. Priority is given to students who can complete degree requirements within a total of ten semesters in college (not counting summer sessions). **A cumulative grade point average of 3.50 or higher (A=4.00) is required for admission** to Computer Science & Anthropology. However, **a minimum grade of A- is required on each Computer Science course taken**. Applicants should also have a demonstrated interest in Anthropology. Applicants are considered on a space available basis.

For information about the University of Illinois' General Education requirements and courses, please refer to the following web link: <https://courses.illinois.edu/gened/2019/fall>.

**Admission requirements** for transfer include completion of equivalent transfer coursework to the following University of Illinois courses listed in *bold, red italics*, which must be successfully completed prior to the desired term of entry:

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**Language Recommendation:** There is no longer a language requirement for transfer admission. The College of Liberal Arts and Sciences requires completion through the fourth level of one language other than English, either in high school or college, to **graduate** from the college; however, it is strongly recommended that transfer applicants complete this graduation requirement prior to the term of enrollment at the University of Illinois. Early completion of this graduation requirement will allow time to complete other degree requirements, e.g., General Education coursework. Length of time to graduation may increase if the Language Requirement for graduation is not completed prior to enrollment.

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**Sophomore-level transfer admission** *requires* completion of equivalent transfer coursework to some of the following University of Illinois courses:

*CS 125, Intro to Computer Science*<sup>1</sup>

*MATH 220, Calculus*

*MATH 231, Calculus II* or *CS 173, Discrete Structures*<sup>2</sup>

**Junior-level transfer admission** *requires* completion of all of the **sophomore-level transfer** requirements and equivalent transfer coursework to the following University of Illinois course:

*CS 225, Data Structures* (minimum grade of A-)

Completion of transfer equivalents to the following University of Illinois courses and graduation requirement prior to transfer is **highly recommended**:

ANTH 101, Introduction to Anthropology

ANTH 102, Human Origins and Culture

CS 173, Discrete Structures

RHET 105, Writing and Research<sup>3</sup>

Supporting Courses<sup>4</sup>

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<sup>1</sup> CS 125, Intro to Computer Science is preferred. If a transferable equivalent is not available, a transferable equivalent to CS 101, Intro Computing: Engrg & Sci, may be substituted.

<sup>2</sup> It is highly recommended that an equivalent transfer course to CS 173, Discrete Structures, be completed prior to transfer; however, transfer will be considered without completion of an equivalent course.

<sup>3</sup> At most institutions, the equivalent requires a two-course English composition sequence.

<sup>4</sup> Supporting courses can be selected in a single discipline (building towards a minor) or can be taken from a variety of disciplines related to aspects of interest to the student in Anthropology.

## **Computer Science and Astronomy**

Please confer with the Computer Science advisor as well as the advisor in Astronomy.

Transfer applicants who have completed more than **6 semesters** or **80 hours of coursework** are subject to **an additional review**. Priority is given to students who can complete degree requirements within a total of ten semesters in college (not counting summer sessions). **A cumulative grade point average of 3.50 or higher (A=4.00) is required for admission** to Computer Science & Astronomy. However, **a minimum grade of A- is required on each Computer Science course taken**. Applicants should also have a demonstrated interest in Astronomy. Applicants are considered on a space available basis.

For information about the University of Illinois' General Education requirements and courses, please refer to the following web link: <https://courses.illinois.edu/gened/2019/fall>.

**Admission requirements** for transfer include completion of equivalent transfer coursework to the following University of Illinois courses listed in *bold, red italics*, which must be successfully completed prior to the desired term of entry:

**Sophomore-level transfer admission requires** completion of equivalent transfer coursework to the following University of Illinois courses:

*CS 125, Intro to Computer Science<sup>1</sup>*

*MATH 220, Calculus*

*MATH 231, Calculus II* or *CS 173, Discrete Structures<sup>2</sup>*

**Junior-level transfer admission requires** completion of all of the **sophomore-level transfer** requirements and equivalent transfer coursework to the following University of Illinois courses:

*MATH 241, Calculus III*

*CS 225, Data Structures (minimum grade of A-)*

**Junior-level transfer admission highly recommends** completion of transfer equivalents to the following University of Illinois courses and graduation requirement prior to transfer:

ASTR 210, Introduction to Astrophysics

CS 173, Discrete Structures

PHYS 211, University Physics: Mechanics

PHYS 212, University Physics: Elec & Mag

PHYS 213, Univ Physics: Thermal Physics

PHYS 214, Univ Physics: Quantum Physics

RHET 105, Writing and Research<sup>3</sup>

**Language Recommendation:** There is no longer a language requirement for transfer admission. The College of Liberal Arts and Sciences requires completion through the fourth level of one language other than English, either in high school or college, to **graduate** from the college; however, it is strongly recommended that transfer applicants complete this graduation requirement prior to the term of enrollment at the University of Illinois. Early completion of this graduation requirement will allow time to complete other degree requirements, e.g., General Education coursework. Length of time to graduation may increase if the Language Requirement for graduation is not completed prior to enrollment.

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<sup>1</sup> CS 125, Intro to Computer Science is preferred. If a transferable equivalent is not available, a transferable equivalent to CS 101, Intro Computing: Engrg & Sci, may be substituted.

<sup>2</sup> It is highly recommended that an equivalent transfer course to CS 173, Discrete Structures, be completed prior to transfer; however, transfer will be considered without completion of an equivalent course.

<sup>3</sup> At most institutions, the equivalent requires a two-course English composition sequence.

## **Computer Science and Chemistry**

Please confer with the Computer Science advisor as well as the advisor in Chemistry.

Transfer applicants who have completed more than **6 semesters** or **80 hours of coursework** are subject to **an additional review**. Priority is given to students who can complete degree requirements within a total of ten semesters in college (not counting summer sessions). **A cumulative grade point average of 3.50 or higher (A=4.00) is required for admission** to Computer Science & Chemistry. However, **a minimum grade of A- is required on each Computer Science course taken**. Applicants should also have a demonstrated interest in Chemistry. Applicants are considered on a space available basis.

For information about the University of Illinois' General Education requirements and courses, please refer to the following web link: <https://courses.illinois.edu/gened/2019/fall>.

**Admission requirements** for transfer include completion of equivalent transfer coursework to the following University of Illinois courses listed in *bold, red italics*, which must be successfully completed prior to the desired term of entry:

**Sophomore-level transfer admission requires** completion of equivalent transfer coursework to the following University of Illinois courses:

*CS 125, Intro to Computer Science<sup>1</sup>*

*MATH 220, Calculus*

*MATH 231, Calculus II* or *CS 173, Discrete Structures<sup>2</sup>*

**Junior-level transfer admission requires** completion of all of the **sophomore-level transfer** requirements and equivalent transfer coursework to the following University of Illinois courses:

*MATH 231, Calculus II*

*STAT 100, Statistics*

*CS 225, Data Structures* (minimum grade of A-)

**Sophomore-level transfer admission to Chemistry highly recommends** completion of transfer equivalents to the following University of Illinois courses and graduation requirement:

CHEM 102, General Chemistry I **and** CHEM 103, General Chemistry Lab I

CHEM 104, General Chemistry II **and** CHEM 105, General Chemistry Lab II

RHET 105, Writing and Research<sup>3</sup>

**Language Recommendation:** There is no longer a language requirement for transfer admission. The College of Liberal Arts and Sciences requires completion through the fourth level of one language other than English, either in high school or college, to **graduate** from the college; however, it is strongly recommended that transfer applicants complete this graduation requirement prior to the term of enrollment at the University of Illinois. Early completion of this graduation requirement will allow time to complete other degree requirements, e.g., General Education coursework. Length of time to graduation may increase if the Language Requirement for graduation is not completed prior to enrollment.

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**Junior-level transfer admission to Chemistry highly recommends** completion of all of the **sophomore-level transfer admission** recommendations and equivalent transfer coursework to the following University of Illinois courses:

CS 173, Discrete Structures<sup>2</sup>

MATH 225, Introductory Matrix Theory

CHEM 232, Elementary Organic Chemistry I<sup>4</sup> **and** CHEM 233, Elementary Organic Chem Lab I<sup>4</sup> **or** CHEM 236, Fundamental Organic Chem I<sup>4</sup> **and** CHEM 237, Structure and Synthesis<sup>4</sup> **and** CHEM 332, Elementary Organic Chem II<sup>4</sup> **or** CHEM 436, Fundamental Organic Chem II<sup>4</sup>

Completion of transfer equivalents to the following University of Illinois courses prior to transfer to both programs is **highly recommended**:

PHYS 101, College Physics: Mech & Heat

PHYS 102, College Physics: E&M & Modern

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<sup>1</sup> CS 125, Intro to Computer Science is preferred. If a transferable equivalent is not available, a transferable equivalent to CS 101, Intro Computing: Engrg & Sci, may be substituted.

<sup>2</sup> It is highly recommended that an equivalent transfer course to CS 173, Discrete Structures, be completed prior to transfer; however, transfer will be considered without completion of an equivalent course.

<sup>3</sup> At most institutions, the equivalent requires a two-course English composition sequence.

<sup>4</sup> If the Organic Chemistry sequence is not completed by equivalent transfer coursework, time to degree completion for transfer students may likely be extended for this program of study.

## **Computer Science and Economics**

Please confer with the Computer Science advisor as well as the advisor in Economics.

Transfer applicants who have completed more than **6 semesters** or **80 hours of coursework** are **subject to an additional review**. Priority is given to students who can complete degree requirements within a total of ten semesters in college (not counting summer sessions). **A cumulative grade point average of 3.50 or higher (A=4.00) is required for admission** to Computer Science & Economics. However, **a minimum grade of A- is required on each Computer Science course taken**. Applicants should also have a demonstrated interest in Economics. Applicants are considered on a space available basis.

For information about the University of Illinois' General Education requirements and courses, please refer to the following web link: <https://courses.illinois.edu/gened/2019/fall>.

**Admission requirements** for transfer include completion of equivalent transfer coursework to the following University of Illinois courses listed in *bold, red italics*, which must be successfully completed prior to the desired term of entry:

**Sophomore-level transfer admission requires** completion of equivalent transfer coursework to some of the following University of Illinois courses:

*CS 125, Intro to Computer Science*<sup>1</sup>

*ECON 102, Microeconomic Principles (minimum grade of B)*

*ECON 103, Macroeconomic Principles (minimum grade of B)*

*MATH 220, Calculus*<sup>2</sup>

*MATH 231, Calculus II or CS 173, Discrete Structures*<sup>3</sup>

**Junior-level transfer admission requires** completion of all of the **sophomore-level transfer** requirements and equivalent transfer coursework to the following University of Illinois courses:

*CS 225, Data Structures (minimum grade of A-)*

Completion of transfer equivalents to the following University of Illinois courses and graduation requirement prior to transfer is **highly recommended**:

ECON 202, Economic Statistics I

ECON 203, Economic Statistics II

CS 173, Discrete Structures

MATH 225, Introductory Matrix Theory

RHET 105, Writing and Research<sup>4</sup>

**Language Recommendation:** There is no longer a language requirement for transfer admission. The College of Liberal Arts and Sciences requires completion through the fourth level of one language other than English, either in high school or college, to **graduate** from the college; however, it is strongly recommended that transfer applicants complete this graduation requirement prior to the term of enrollment at the University of Illinois. Early completion of this graduation requirement will allow time to complete other degree requirements, e.g., General Education coursework. Length of time to graduation may increase if the Language Requirement for graduation is not completed prior to enrollment.

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<sup>1</sup> CS 125, Intro to Computer Science is preferred. If a transferable equivalent is not available, a transferable equivalent to CS 101, Intro Computing: Engrg & Sci, may be substituted.

<sup>2</sup> MATH 234, Calculus for Business I IS NOT permitted as a substitute for MATH 220.

<sup>3</sup> It is highly recommended that an equivalent transfer course to CS 173, Discrete Structures, be completed prior to transfer; however, transfer will be considered without completion of an equivalent course.

<sup>4</sup> At most institutions, the equivalent requires a two-course English composition sequence.

## **Computer Science and Geography & Geographic Information Science**

Please confer with the Computer Science advisor as well as the advisor in Geography and Geographic Information Sciences.

Transfer applicants who have completed more than **6 semesters** or **80 hours of coursework** are **subject to an additional review**. Priority is given to students who can complete degree requirements within a total of ten semesters in college (not counting summer sessions). **A cumulative grade point average of 3.50 or higher (A=4.00) is required for admission** to Computer Science & Geography & Geographic Information Science. However, **a minimum grade of A- is required on each Computer Science course taken**. Applicants should also have a demonstrated interest in Geography. Applicants are considered on a space available basis.

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**Sophomore-level transfer admission requires** completion of equivalent transfer coursework to some of the following University of Illinois courses:

*CS 125, Intro to Computer Science*<sup>1</sup>

*MATH 220, Calculus*

*MATH 231, Calculus II* or *CS 173, Discrete Structures*<sup>2</sup>

**Junior-level transfer admission requires** completion of all of the **sophomore-level transfer** requirements and equivalent transfer coursework to the following University of Illinois course:

*CS 225, Data Structures* (minimum grade of A-)

Completion of transfer equivalents to the following University of Illinois courses and graduation requirement prior to transfer is **highly recommended**:

Introductory GIS coursework

CS 173, Discrete Structures<sup>2</sup>

RHET 105, Writing and Research<sup>3</sup>

**Language Recommendation:** There is no longer a language requirement for transfer admission. The College of Liberal Arts and Sciences requires completion through the fourth level of one language other than English, either in high school or college, to **graduate** from the college; however, it is strongly recommended that transfer applicants complete this graduation requirement prior to the term of enrollment at the University of Illinois. Early completion of this graduation requirement will allow time to complete other degree requirements, e.g., General Education coursework. Length of time to graduation may increase if the Language Requirement for graduation is not completed prior to enrollment.

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<sup>2</sup> It is highly recommended that an equivalent transfer course to CS 173, Discrete Structures, be completed prior to transfer; however, transfer will be considered without completion of an equivalent course.

<sup>3</sup> At most institutions, the equivalent requires a two-course English composition sequence.

## **Computer Science and Linguistics**

Please confer with Computer Science advisor as well as the advisor in Linguistics.

Transfer applicants who have completed more than **6 semesters** or **80 hours of coursework** are **subject to an additional review**. Priority is given to students who can complete degree requirements within a total of ten semesters in college (not counting summer sessions). **A cumulative grade point average of 3.50 or higher (A=4.00) is required for admission** to Computer Science & Linguistics. However, **a minimum grade of A- is required on each Computer Science course taken**. Applicants should also have a demonstrated interest in Linguistics. Applicants are considered on a space available basis.

For information about the University of Illinois' General Education requirements and courses, please refer to the following web link: <https://courses.illinois.edu/gened/2019/fall>.

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**Sophomore-level transfer admission requires** completion of equivalent transfer coursework to the following University of Illinois courses:

*CS 125, Intro to Computer Science<sup>1</sup>*

*MATH 220, Calculus*

*MATH 231, Calculus II or CS 173, Discrete Structures<sup>2</sup>*

**Junior-level transfer admission requires** completion of all of the **sophomore-level transfer** requirements and equivalent transfer coursework to the following University of Illinois course:

*CS 225, Data Structures (minimum grade of A-)*

**Sophomore-level transfer admission highly recommends** completion of transfer equivalents to the following University of Illinois courses:

CS 173, Discrete Structures<sup>2</sup>

CW 104, Introductory Narrative Writing **or** CW 106, Introductory Poetry Writing

LING 100, Intro to Language Science<sup>3</sup>

LING 225, Language, Mind, and Brain<sup>3</sup>

PSYC 100, Intro Psych

RHET 105, Writing and Research<sup>4</sup>

RHET 233, Adv Rhetoric & Composition<sup>3</sup>

Supporting Elective<sup>5</sup>

**Language Recommendation:** There is no longer a language requirement for transfer admission. The College of Liberal Arts and Sciences requires completion through the fourth level of one language other than English, either in high school or college, to **graduate** from the college; however, it is strongly recommended that transfer applicants complete this graduation requirement prior to the term of enrollment at the University of Illinois. Early completion of this graduation requirement will allow time to complete other degree requirements, e.g., General Education coursework. Length of time to graduation may increase if the Language Requirement for graduation is not completed prior to enrollment.

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**Junior-level transfer admission highly recommends** completion of transfer equivalents to the following University of Illinois courses:  
MATH 241, Calculus III<sup>6</sup>

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<sup>1</sup> CS 125, Intro to Computer Science is preferred. If a transferable equivalent is not available, a transferable equivalent to CS 101, Intro Computing: Engrg & Sci, may be substituted.

<sup>2</sup> It is highly recommended that an equivalent transfer course to CS 173, Discrete Structures, be completed prior to transfer; however, transfer will be considered without completion of an equivalent course.

<sup>3</sup> If transfer equivalents to these courses are not available, students should choose transferable general education or elective courses.

<sup>4</sup> At most institutions, the equivalent requires a two-course English composition sequence.

<sup>5</sup> Refer to the statement on supporting coursework in the LAS Linguistics section of the current Programs of Study.

<sup>6</sup> It is highly recommended that an equivalent transfer course to MATH 241, Calculus III, be completed prior to transfer if you plan to specialize in Machine Learning; however, transfer will be considered without completion of an equivalent course.

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## **Computer Science and Philosophy**

Please confer with the Computer Science advisor as well as the advisor in Philosophy

Transfer applicants who have completed more than **6 semesters** or **80 hours of coursework** are subject to **an additional review**. Priority is given to students who can complete degree requirements within a total of ten semesters in college (not counting summer sessions). **A cumulative grade point average of 3.50 or higher (A=4.00) is required for admission** to Computer Science & Philosophy. However, **a minimum grade of A- is required on each Computer Science course taken**. Applicants should also have a demonstrated interest in Philosophy. Applicants are considered on a space available basis.

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**Sophomore-level transfer admission** *requires* completion of equivalent transfer coursework to some of the following University of Illinois courses:

*CS 125, Intro to Computer Science<sup>1</sup>*

*MATH 220, Calculus*

*MATH 231, Calculus II or CS 173, Discrete Structures<sup>2</sup>*

**Junior-level transfer admission** *requires* completion of all of the **sophomore-level transfer** requirements and equivalent transfer coursework to the following University of Illinois courses:

*CS 225, Data Structures (minimum grade of A-)*

Completion of transfer equivalents to the following University of Illinois courses and graduation requirement prior to transfer is **highly recommended**:

Introductory Coursework in Philosophy

PHIL 202, Symbolic Logic

PHIL 203, Ancient Philosophy **or** PHIL 206, Early Modern Philosophy

CS 173, Discrete Structures

RHET 105, Writing and Research<sup>3</sup>

Supporting Courses<sup>4</sup>

**Language Recommendation:** There is no longer a language requirement for transfer admission. The College of Liberal Arts and Sciences requires completion through the fourth level of one language other than English, either in high school or college, to **graduate** from the college; however, it is strongly recommended that transfer applicants complete this graduation requirement prior to the term of enrollment at the University of Illinois. Early completion of this graduation requirement will allow time to complete other degree requirements, e.g., General Education coursework. Length of time to graduation may increase if the Language Requirement for graduation is not completed prior to enrollment.

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<sup>1</sup> CS 125, Intro to Computer Science is preferred. If a transferable equivalent is not available, a transferable equivalent to CS 101, Intro Computing: Engrg & Sci, may be substituted.

<sup>2</sup> It is highly recommended that an equivalent transfer course to CS 173, Discrete Structures, be completed prior to transfer; however, transfer will be considered without completion of an equivalent course.

<sup>3</sup> At most institutions, the equivalent requires a two-course English composition sequence.

<sup>4</sup> Supporting courses can be selected in a single discipline (building towards a minor) or can be taken from a variety of disciplines related to aspects of interest to the student in Philosophy.

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## Creative Writing

**Creative Writing:** <http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/las/creative-writing-balas/>

Transfer applicants who have completed more than **6 semesters** or **80 hours of coursework** are subject to **an additional review**. Priority is given to students who can complete degree requirements within a total of ten semesters in college (not counting summer sessions). **A grade point average of 2.70 or higher (A=4.00) is required for admission**. Applicants are considered on a space available basis.

For information about the University of Illinois' General Education requirements and courses, please refer to the following web link: <https://courses.illinois.edu/gened/2019/fall>.

**Admission recommendations** for transfer include completion of equivalent transfer coursework to the following University of Illinois **Language Recommendation**:

**Language Recommendation:** There is no longer a language requirement for transfer admission. The College of Liberal Arts and Sciences requires completion through the fourth level of one language other than English, either in high school or college, to **graduate** from the college; however, it is strongly recommended that transfer applicants complete this graduation requirement prior to the term of enrollment at the University of Illinois. Early completion of this graduation requirement will allow time to complete other degree requirements, e.g., General Education coursework. Length of time to graduation may increase if the Language Requirement for graduation is not completed prior to enrollment.

Completion of transfer equivalents to some of the following University of Illinois courses and graduation requirement prior to transfer is **highly recommended**:

ENGL 218, Introduction to Shakespeare

CWL 241, Early Masterpieces of Western Culture **and** CWL 242, Modern Masterpieces of Western Culture

**or** HIST 141, Western Civ to 1660 **and** HIST 142, Western Civ Since 1660

**or** HIST 171, US History to 1877 **and** HIST 172, US History Since 1877

**or** HIST 255, British Isles to 1688 **and** HIST 256, Britain and World Since 1688

RHET 105, Writing and Research<sup>1</sup>

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<sup>1</sup> At most institutions, the equivalent requires a two-course English composition sequence.

**CONTACT INFORMATION:** Recruitment & Admissions, College of Liberal Arts & Sciences, 2002 Lincoln Hall, 702 South Wright Street, Urbana, IL 61801; Phone: (217) 333-1703; Fax: (217) 244-9498; E-mail: [las-newstudent@illinois.edu](mailto:las-newstudent@illinois.edu)

## Earth, Society and Environmental Sustainability Science of the Earth System (SES)

### Science of the Earth System:

<http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/las/earth-society-environmental-sustainability-bslas/science-of-the-earth-system/>

An online undergraduate degree, a **Bachelor's of Science degree in Earth, Society and Environmental Sustainability** is being offered by the School of Earth, Society, and Environment. The transfer requirements for this degree program are the same as for the regular campus program. Information concerning this program can be found at the following link: <https://earth.illinois.edu/academics/online-bachelor-degree>. Any questions concerning this degree program may be directed to the contact person listed below or to Dr. Jonathan Tomkin, who may be contacted at: [tomkin@illinois.edu](mailto:tomkin@illinois.edu) or call **(217) 244-2928**.

This is an online program. I-20s will not be issued to international students who enroll in this program.

Transfer applicants who have completed more than **6 semesters** or **80 hours of coursework** are subject to **an additional review**. Priority is given to students who can complete degree requirements within a total of ten semesters in college (not counting summer sessions). **A grade point average of 2.70 or higher (A=4.00) is required for admission**. Applicants are considered on a space available basis.

**Admission recommendations** for transfer include completion of equivalent transfer coursework to the following University of Illinois courses and graduation requirement prior to the desired term of entry. Completion of equivalent transfer coursework to the **Language Recommendation** is **highly recommended**:

CHEM 102, General Chemistry I **and** CHEM 103, General Chemistry Lab I  
ECON 102, Microeconomic Principles **or** ACE 100, Agr Cons and Resource Econ  
MATH 220, Calculus  
PHYS 101, College Physics: Mech & Heat **or** PHYS 211, University Physics: Mechanics  
RHET 105, Writing and Research<sup>1</sup>  
STAT 100, Statistics **or** ECON 202, Economic Statistics I

**Language Recommendation:** There is no longer a language requirement for transfer admission. The College of Liberal Arts and Sciences requires completion through the fourth level of one language other than English, either in high school or college, to **graduate** from the college; however, it is strongly recommended that transfer applicants complete this graduation requirement prior to the term of enrollment at the University of Illinois. Early completion of this graduation requirement will allow time to complete other degree requirements, e.g., General Education coursework. Length of time to graduation may increase if the Language Requirement for graduation is not completed prior to enrollment.

Completion of transfer equivalents to University of Illinois coursework which satisfy the following general education categories<sup>2</sup> prior to transfer is also **highly recommended**:

Cultural Studies: Non-Western/U.S. Minority Culture(s)  
Cultural Studies: Western/Comparative Culture(s)  
Humanities & the Arts: Literature & the Arts  
Natural Sciences & Technology: Life Sciences, Earth's Bio Systems<sup>3</sup>  
Natural Sciences & Technology: Physical Sciences, Earth's Physical Systems<sup>4</sup> Social & Behavioral Sciences: Social Sciences<sup>5</sup>

<sup>1</sup> At most institutions, the equivalent requires a two-course English composition sequence.

<sup>2</sup> For information about the University of Illinois' General Education requirements and courses, please refer to the following web link: <https://courses.illinois.edu/gened/2019/fall>.

<sup>3</sup> An equivalent to one of the following: GEOL 143; IB 100, 103, 105, 150 or MCB 150.

<sup>4</sup> An equivalent to one of the following: ATMS 100, 120, 140; GEOG 103; GEOL 100, 104, 107, 117 or 118.

<sup>5</sup> An equivalent to one of the following: ANTH 102; GEOG 104; PS 100 or SOC 100.

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## Earth, Society and Environmental Sustainability Society and the Environment (SAE)

### Society and the Environment:

<http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/las/earth-society-environmental-sustainability-bslas/society-the-environment/>

An online undergraduate degree, a **Bachelor's of Science degree in Earth, Society and Environmental Sustainability** is being offered by the School of Earth, Society, and Environment. The transfer requirements for this new degree program are exactly the same as for the regular campus program. Information concerning this new online ESE degree program can be found at the following link:

<https://earth.illinois.edu/academics/online-bachelor-degree>

Any questions concerning this degree program may be directed to the contact person listed below or to Dr. Jonathan Tomkin, who may be contacted at: [tomkin@illinois.edu](mailto:tomkin@illinois.edu) or call **(217) 244-2928**. This is an online program. I-20s will not be issued to international students who enroll in this program.

Transfer applicants who have completed more than **6 semesters** or **80 hours of coursework** are subject to **an additional review**. Priority is given to students who can complete degree requirements within a total of ten semesters in college (not counting summer sessions). **A grade point average of 2.70 or higher (A=4.00) is required for admission**. Applicants are considered on a space available basis.

**Admission recommendations** for transfer include completion of equivalent transfer coursework to the following University of Illinois courses, General Education and/or graduation requirements prior to the desired term of entry.

**Language Recommendation:** There is no longer a language requirement for transfer admission. The College of Liberal Arts and Sciences requires completion through the fourth level of one language other than English, either in high school or college, to **graduate** from the college; however, it is strongly recommended that transfer applicants complete this graduation requirement prior to the term of enrollment at the University of Illinois. Early completion of this graduation requirement will allow time to complete other degree requirements, e.g., General Education coursework. Length of time to graduation may increase if the Language Requirement for graduation is not completed prior to enrollment.

Completion of transfer equivalents to some of the following University of Illinois courses and graduation requirement prior to transfer is **highly recommended**:

ECON 102, Microeconomic Principles  
RHET 105, Writing and Research<sup>1</sup>  
STAT 100, Statistics **or** GEOG/SOC 280, Intro to Social Statistics

Completion of transfer equivalents to some of the University of Illinois coursework which satisfy the following general education categories<sup>2</sup> prior to transfer is also **highly recommended**:

Cultural Studies: Non-Western/U.S. Minority Culture(s)  
Cultural Studies: Western/Comparative Culture(s)  
Humanities & the Arts: Historical & Philosophical Perspectives  
Humanities & the Arts: Literature & the Arts  
Natural Sciences & Technology: Life Sciences, Earth's Bio Systems<sup>3</sup>  
Natural Sciences & Technology: Physical Sciences, Earth's Physical Systems<sup>4</sup> Social & Behavioral Sciences: Social Sciences<sup>5</sup>

<sup>1</sup> At most institutions, the equivalent requires a two-course English composition sequence.

<sup>2</sup> For information about the University of Illinois' General Education requirements and courses, please refer to the following web link: <https://courses.illinois.edu/gened/2019/fall>.

<sup>3</sup> An equivalent to one of the following: GEOL 143; IB 100, 103, 105, 150 or MCB 150.

<sup>4</sup> An equivalent to one of the following: ATMS 100, 120, 140; GEOG 103; GEOL 100, 104, 107, 117 or 118.

<sup>5</sup> An equivalent to one of the following: ANTH 102; GEOG 104; PS 100 or SOC 100.

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## East Asian Languages and Cultures

### East Asian Languages/Cultures:

<http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/las/east-asian-languages-cultures-balas/>

Transfer applicants who have completed more than **6 semesters** or **80 hours of coursework** are **subject to an additional review**. Priority is given to students who can complete degree requirements within a total of ten semesters in college (not counting summer sessions). **A grade point average of 2.70 or higher (A=4.00) is required for admission**. Applicants are considered on a space available basis.

For information about the University of Illinois' General Education requirements and courses, please refer to the following web link: <https://courses.illinois.edu/gened/2019/fall>.

**Admission recommendations** for transfer include completion of equivalent transfer coursework to the following University of Illinois **Language Recommendation**:

**Language Recommendation:** There is no longer a language requirement for transfer admission. The College of Liberal Arts and Sciences requires completion through the fourth level of one language other than English, either in high school or college, to **graduate** from the college; however, it is strongly recommended that transfer applicants complete this graduation requirement prior to the term of enrollment at the University of Illinois. Early completion of this graduation requirement will allow time to complete other degree requirements, e.g., General Education coursework. Length of time to graduation may increase if the Language Requirement for graduation is not completed prior to enrollment.

Completion of transfer equivalents to some of the following University of Illinois courses and graduation requirement prior to transfer is **highly recommended**:

RHET 105, Writing and Research<sup>1</sup>

Students in East Asian Languages and Cultures must complete EALC 120, East Asian Civilizations, as a graduation requirement.

For electives, special consideration should be given to courses that contribute to an understanding of the broad background against which the region and cultures of the area are studied. Examples are general courses in anthropology, economics, geography, Asian and modern European or world history, world literature, political science and sociology. See the description of the requirements for each of these programs at the website at the top of the page.

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<sup>1</sup> At most institutions, the equivalent requires a two-course English composition sequence.

## Economics

**Economics:** <http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/las/economics-balas/>

Transfer applicants who have completed more than **6 semesters** or **80 hours of coursework** are subject to **an additional review**. Priority is given to students who can complete degree requirements within a total of ten semesters in college (not counting summer sessions). **A grade point average of 2.70 or higher (A=4.00) is required for admission.** Applicants are considered on a space available basis.

For information about the University of Illinois' General Education requirements and courses, please refer to the following web link: <https://courses.illinois.edu/gened/2019/fall>.

**Admission requirements** for transfer include completion of equivalent transfer coursework to the following University of Illinois courses listed in *bold, red italics*, which must be successfully completed prior to the desired term of entry:

***ECON 102, Microeconomic Principles (minimum grade of B)***

***ECON 103, Macroeconomic Principles (minimum grade of B)***

***MATH 220, Calculus<sup>1</sup> (minimum grade of C)***

**Language Recommendation:** There is no longer a language requirement for transfer admission. The College of Liberal Arts and Sciences requires completion through the fourth level of one language other than English, either in high school or college, to **graduate** from the college; however, it is strongly recommended that transfer applicants complete this graduation requirement prior to the term of enrollment at the University of Illinois. Early completion of this graduation requirement will allow time to complete other degree requirements, e.g., General Education coursework. Length of time to graduation may increase if the Language Requirement for graduation is not completed prior to enrollment. Completion of equivalent transfer coursework to the **Language Recommendation** is **highly recommended**.

Completion of a transfer equivalent to the University of Illinois' **MATH 231, Calculus II**, prior to transfer is **very strongly recommended**.

Completion of transfer equivalents to some of the following University of Illinois courses prior to transfer is **highly recommended**:

ECON 202, Economic Statistics I

ECON 203, Economic Statistics II

RHET 105, Writing and Research<sup>2</sup>

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<sup>1</sup> MATH 234, Calculus for Business I IS NOT permitted as a substitute for MATH 220.

<sup>2</sup> At most institutions, the equivalent requires a two-course English composition sequence.

## Econometrics and Quantitative Economics

### Econometrics and Quantitative Economics:

<http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/las/econometrics-quantitative-economics-bslas/>

Transfer applicants who have completed more than **6 semesters** or **80 hours of coursework** are **subject to an additional review**. Priority is given to students who can complete degree requirements within a total of ten semesters in college (not counting summer sessions). **A grade point average of 2.70 or higher (A=4.00) is required for admission**. Applicants are considered on a space available basis.

For information about the University of Illinois' General Education requirements and courses, please refer to the following web link: <https://courses.illinois.edu/gened/2019/fall>.

**Admission requirements** for transfer include completion of equivalent transfer coursework to the following University of Illinois courses listed in ***bold, red italics***, which must be successfully completed prior to the desired term of entry:

***ECON 102, Microeconomic Principles (minimum grade of B)***

***ECON 103, Macroeconomic Principles (minimum grade of B)***

***ECON 202, Economic Statistics I (minimum grade of B)***

***ECON 203, Economic Statistics II (minimum grade of B)***

***MATH 220, Calculus<sup>1</sup> (minimum grade of B-)***

**Language Recommendation:** There is no longer a language requirement for transfer admission. The College of Liberal Arts and Sciences requires completion through the fourth level of one language other than English, either in high school or college, to **graduate** from the college; however, it is strongly recommended that transfer applicants complete this graduation requirement prior to the term of enrollment at the University of Illinois. Early completion of this graduation requirement will allow time to complete other degree requirements, e.g., General Education coursework. Length of time to graduation may increase if the Language Requirement for graduation is not completed prior to enrollment. Completion of equivalent transfer coursework to the **Language Recommendation** is **highly recommended**.

Completion of a transfer equivalent to the University of Illinois' **MATH 231, Calculus II**, prior to transfer is **very strongly recommended**.

Completion of transfer equivalents to some of the following University of Illinois courses prior to transfer is **highly recommended**:

CS 101, Intro Computing: Engrg & Sci, **or** CS 105, Intro Computing: Non-Tech, **or** CS 125, Intro to Computer Science, **or** MATH 225, Introductory Matrix Theory  
RHET 105, Writing and Research<sup>2</sup>

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<sup>1</sup> MATH 234, Calculus for Business I IS NOT permitted as a substitute for MATH 220.

<sup>2</sup> At most institutions, the equivalent requires a two-course English composition sequence.



## English

**English:** <http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/las/english-balas/>

Transfer applicants who have completed more than **6 semesters** or **80 hours of coursework** are subject to an **additional review**. Priority is given to students who can complete degree requirements within a total of ten semesters in college (not counting summer sessions). **A grade point average of 2.70 or higher (A=4.00) is required for admission.** Applicants are considered on a space available basis.

For information about the University of Illinois' General Education requirements and courses, please refer to the following web link: <https://courses.illinois.edu/gened/2019/fall>.

**Admission recommendations** for transfer include completion of equivalent transfer coursework to the following University of Illinois **Language Recommendation:**

**Language Recommendation:** There is no longer a language requirement for transfer admission. The College of Liberal Arts and Sciences requires completion through the fourth level of one language other than English, either in high school or college, to **graduate** from the college; however, it is strongly recommended that transfer applicants complete this graduation requirement prior to the term of enrollment at the University of Illinois. Early completion of this graduation requirement will allow time to complete other degree requirements, e.g., General Education coursework. Length of time to graduation may increase if the Language Requirement for graduation is not completed prior to enrollment.

Completion of transfer equivalents to some of the following University of Illinois courses and graduation requirement prior to transfer is **highly recommended:**

ENGL 200, Introduction to the Study of Literature and Culture  
ENGL 209, Early British Literature and Culture  
ENGL 255, Early American Literature and Culture  
RHET 105, Writing and Research<sup>1</sup>

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<sup>1</sup> At most institutions, the equivalent requires a two-course English composition sequence.

## French

**French:** <http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/las/french-balas/>

Transfer applicants who have completed more than **6 semesters** or **80 hours of coursework** are subject to **an additional review**. Priority is given to students who can complete degree requirements within a total of ten semesters in college (not counting summer sessions). **A grade point average of 2.70 or higher (A=4.00) is required for admission**. Applicants are considered on a space available basis.

For information about the University of Illinois' General Education requirements and courses, please refer to the following web link: <https://courses.illinois.edu/gened/2019/fall>.

**Admission recommendations** for transfer include completion of equivalent transfer coursework to the following University of Illinois courses and graduation requirement prior to the desired term of entry.  
RHET 105, Writing and Research<sup>1</sup>

**Language Recommendation:** There is no longer a language requirement for transfer admission. The College of Liberal Arts and Sciences requires completion through the fourth level of one language other than English, either in high school or college, to **graduate** from the college; however, it is strongly recommended that transfer applicants complete this graduation requirement prior to the term of enrollment at the University of Illinois. Early completion of this graduation requirement will allow time to complete other degree requirements, e.g., General Education coursework. Length of time to graduation may increase if the Language Requirement for graduation is not completed prior to enrollment. Completion of equivalent transfer coursework to the **Language Recommendation** is **highly recommended**.

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<sup>1</sup> At most institutions, the equivalent requires a two-course English composition sequence.

## Gender and Women's Studies

**Gender and Women's Studies:** <http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/las/gender-womens-studies-balas/>

Transfer applicants who have completed more than **6 semesters** or **80 hours of coursework** are **subject to an additional review**. Priority is given to students who can complete degree requirements within a total of ten semesters in college (not counting summer sessions). **A grade point average of 2.70 or higher (A=4.00) is required for admission.** Applicants are considered on a space available basis.

For information about the University of Illinois' General Education requirements and courses, please refer to the following web link: <https://courses.illinois.edu/gened/2019/fall>.

**Admission recommendations** for transfer include suggested completion of equivalent transfer coursework to the following University of Illinois **Language Recommendation:**

**Language Recommendation:** There is no longer a language requirement for transfer admission. The College of Liberal Arts and Sciences requires completion through the fourth level of one language other than English, either in high school or college, to **graduate** from the college; however, it is strongly recommended that transfer applicants complete this graduation requirement prior to the term of enrollment at the University of Illinois. Early completion of this graduation requirement will allow time to complete other degree requirements, e.g., General Education coursework. Length of time to graduation may increase if the Language Requirement for graduation is not completed prior to enrollment.

Completion of transfer equivalents to the following University of Illinois courses and graduation requirement prior to transfer is **highly recommended:**

RHET 105, Writing and Research<sup>1</sup>  
Gender Studies Electives

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<sup>1</sup> At most institutions, the equivalent requires a two-course English composition sequence.

## Geography and Geographic Information Science

**Geography:** <http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/las/geography-geographic-information-science-balas/>

Transfer applicants who have completed more than **6 semesters** or **80 hours of coursework** are subject to **an additional review**. Priority is given to students who can complete degree requirements within a total of ten semesters in college (not counting summer sessions). **A grade point average of 2.70 or higher (A=4.00) is required for admission**. Applicants are considered on a space available basis.

For information about the University of Illinois' General Education requirements and courses, please refer to the following web link: <https://courses.illinois.edu/gened/2019/fall>.

**Admission recommendations** for transfer include completion of equivalent transfer coursework to the following University of Illinois courses, General Education and/or graduation requirements prior to the desired term of entry.

GEOG 101, Global Development & Environment

GEOG 103, Earth's Physical Systems<sup>1</sup>

GEOG 104, Social and Cultural Geography

RHET 105, Writing and Research<sup>2</sup>

**Language Recommendation:** There is no longer a language requirement for transfer admission. The College of Liberal Arts and Sciences requires completion through the fourth level of one language other than English, either in high school or college, to **graduate** from the college; however, it is strongly recommended that transfer applicants complete this graduation requirement prior to the term of enrollment at the University of Illinois. Early completion of this graduation requirement will allow time to complete other degree requirements, e.g., General Education coursework. Length of time to graduation may increase if the Language Requirement for graduation is not completed prior to enrollment. Completion of equivalent transfer coursework to the **Language Recommendation** is **highly recommended**.

Students specializing in the Physical Environment are encouraged to select transfer equivalents to MATH 220, Calculus.

Completion of transfer equivalents to University of Illinois coursework which satisfy the following general education category<sup>3</sup> prior to transfer are also **highly recommended**:

Social & Behavioral Sciences

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<sup>1</sup> If physical geography is not offered, students should select transfer equivalents to the physical science courses from the University of Illinois' General Education requirements listed at the following web link: <https://courses.illinois.edu/gened/2019/fall>.

<sup>2</sup> At most institutions, the equivalent requires a two-course English composition sequence.

<sup>3</sup> For information about the University of Illinois' General Education requirements and courses, please refer to the following web link: <https://courses.illinois.edu/gened/2019/fall>.

## Geology Major and the Specialized Curriculum in Geology

**Geology:** <http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/las/geology-bs/>

Transfer applicants who have completed more than **6 semesters** or **80 hours of coursework** are subject to **an additional review**. Priority is given to students who can complete degree requirements within a total of ten semesters in college (not counting summer sessions). **A grade point average of 2.70 or higher (A=4.00) is required for admission**. Applicants are considered on a space available basis.

For information about the University of Illinois' General Education requirements and courses, please refer to the following web link: <https://courses.illinois.edu/gened/2019/fall>.

Students intending to major in Geology at Illinois should request a copy of the "Guide for Geology Undergraduates" from the Department of Geology, Room 3028, Natural History Building, 1301 W. Green St., Urbana, IL 61801, (217) 244-4064.

**Admission recommendations** for transfer include completion of equivalent transfer coursework to the following University of Illinois courses and graduation requirement prior to the desired term of entry.

CHEM 102, General Chemistry I **and** CHEM 103, General Chemistry Lab I

CHEM 104, General Chemistry II **and** CHEM 105, General Chemistry Lab II

GEOL 107, Physical Geology

MATH 220, Calculus<sup>1</sup>

PHYS 101, College Physics: Mech & Heat<sup>2</sup> **or** PHYS 211, University Physics: Mechanics<sup>2</sup>

PHYS 102, College Physics: E&M & Modern<sup>2</sup> **or** PHYS 212, University Physics: Elec & Mag<sup>2</sup>

RHET 105, Writing and Research<sup>3</sup>

**Language Recommendation:** There is no longer a language requirement for transfer admission. The College of Liberal Arts and Sciences requires completion through the fourth level of one language other than English, either in high school or college, to **graduate** from the college; however, it is strongly recommended that transfer applicants complete this graduation requirement prior to the term of enrollment at the University of Illinois. Early completion of this graduation requirement will allow time to complete other degree requirements, e.g., General Education coursework. Length of time to graduation may increase if the Language Requirement for graduation is not completed prior to enrollment. Completion of equivalent transfer coursework to the **Language Recommendation** is **highly recommended**.

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<sup>1</sup> The Specialized Curriculum in Geology and Geophysics in the current Programs of Study requires three semesters of Calculus; whereas, the Sciences and Letters curriculum major in Geology requires only **one** semester of Calculus.

<sup>2</sup> PHYS 101, College Physics: Mech & Heat and PHYS 102, College Physics: E&M & Modern **OR** PHYS 211, University Physics: Mechanics and PHYS 212, University Physics: Elec & Mag will satisfy the Physics requirement for the Geology major. For the Geophysics option, PHYS 211, 212, 213 and 214 are required for graduation.

<sup>3</sup> At most institutions, the equivalent requires a two-course English composition sequence.

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## Germanic Studies

**German:** <http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/las/germanic-studies-balas/>

Transfer applicants who have completed more than **6 semesters** or **80 hours of coursework** are subject to **an additional review**. Priority is given to students who can complete degree requirements within a total of ten semesters in college (not counting summer sessions). **A grade point average of 2.70 or higher (A=4.00) is required for admission.** Applicants are considered on a space available basis.

For information about the University of Illinois' General Education requirements and courses, please refer to the following web link: <https://courses.illinois.edu/gened/2019/fall>.

**Admission recommendations** for transfer include completion of equivalent transfer coursework to the following University of Illinois course and graduation requirement prior to the desired term of entry.

RHET 105, Writing and Research<sup>1</sup>

**Language Recommendation:** There is no longer a language requirement for transfer admission. The College of Liberal Arts and Sciences requires completion through the fourth level of one language other than English, either in high school or college, to **graduate** from the college; however, it is strongly recommended that transfer applicants complete this graduation requirement prior to the term of enrollment at the University of Illinois. Early completion of this graduation requirement will allow time to complete other degree requirements, e.g., General Education coursework. Length of time to graduation may increase if the Language Requirement for graduation is not completed prior to enrollment. Completion of equivalent transfer coursework to the **Language Recommendation** is **highly recommended**.

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<sup>1</sup> At most institutions, the equivalent requires a two-course English composition sequence.

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## Global Studies

**Global Studies:** <http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/las/global-studies-balas/>

Transfer applicants who have completed more than **4 semesters** or **60 hours of coursework** are **subject to an additional review**. Priority is given to students who can complete degree requirements within a total of ten semesters in college (not counting summer sessions). **A grade point average of 2.70 or higher (A=4.00) is required for admission**. It is important to note that Global Studies requires that students study abroad for one semester. **Most study abroad programs now require a 3.0 minimum GPA**, so it is highly recommended that your GPA be approaching that level. If your GPA is under 3.0, please contact LAS Global Studies to consult with an advisor ([globalstudies@illinois.edu](mailto:globalstudies@illinois.edu)).

Students are advised to transfer into **Global Studies** with no more than 45 hours of college credit. In order to meet the University of Illinois residency requirement of **60 hours** on campus, as well as the Global Studies study abroad requirement, students with more than 45 hours of credit should plan for at least five semesters of post-transfer undergraduate work.

For information about the University of Illinois' General Education requirements and courses, please refer to the following web link: <https://courses.illinois.edu/gened/2019/fall/>.

**Admission recommendations** for transfer include suggested completion of equivalent transfer coursework to the following University of Illinois **Language Recommendation**:

**Language Recommendation:** There is no longer a language requirement for transfer admission. The College of Liberal Arts and Sciences requires completion through the fourth level of one language other than English, either in high school or college, to **graduate** from the college; however, it is strongly recommended that transfer applicants complete this graduation requirement prior to the term of enrollment at the University of Illinois. Early completion of this graduation requirement will allow time to complete other degree requirements, e.g., General Education coursework. Length of time to graduation may increase if the Language Requirement for graduation is not completed prior to enrollment.

***Global Studies requires at least 6 credits of advanced language coursework beyond the LAS minimum graduation requirement. Transfer students must take the appropriate language placement tests before registering for classes and should ideally be taking language courses at their current institution prior to transfer. Study abroad locations and regional focus within the major are based on the student's language used for the major.***

Global Studies **strongly recommends** that students have completed **the Composition I requirement<sup>1</sup>** and most of the other University of Illinois General Education degree requirements before entering the major. Additionally, completion of exact course equivalents for some of the following University of Illinois courses is **recommended** for transfer, as they complete the interdisciplinary core course requirement for the major. To learn more about all of the core course options, please refer to:

<https://globalstudies.illinois.edu/academics/course-catalog>

ANTH 230, Sociocultural Anthropology

HIST 258, 20<sup>th</sup>C World to Midcentury **or** HIST 259, 20<sup>th</sup>C World from Midcentury

PS 241, Comp Politics in Dev Nations **or** PS 280, Intro to Intl Relations

SOC 270, Global Demography

Students are encouraged to visit <https://www.transferology.com> to see if a course taken at another institution will transfer as an exact course equivalent.

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For electives, special consideration should be given to courses that satisfy the major requirements under Area Studies and Thematic Area. Such courses should contribute to an understanding of the broad background against which the region and cultures of a student's particular area of the world are studied. Examples are general courses in anthropology, economics, geography, history, literature, political science and sociology.

Prospective transfer students are **encouraged and welcome** to contact Global Studies at [globalstudies@illinois.edu](mailto:globalstudies@illinois.edu) for further guidance in choosing coursework because of the individualized nature of the major.

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<sup>1</sup> Completion of an equivalent to RHET 105, Writing and Research, or completion of a two course English/Rhetoric sequence which articulates as a UCI 1- - **AND** a UCII 1- -.

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## History

**History:** <http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/las/history-balas/>

Transfer applicants who have completed more than **6 semesters** or **80 hours of coursework** are subject to **an additional review**. Priority is given to students who can complete degree requirements within a total of ten semesters in college (not counting summer sessions). **A grade point average of 2.70 or higher (A=4.00) is required for admission**. Applicants are considered on a space available basis.

For information about the University of Illinois' General Education requirements and courses, please refer to the following web link: <https://courses.illinois.edu/gened/2019/fall>. Please note that General Education requirements for History majors interested in gaining secondary education teaching certification are very specific. Please see the Secondary Education Teaching section at the end of this handbook for more information.

**Admission recommendations** for transfer include completion of equivalent transfer coursework to the following University of Illinois courses and graduation requirement prior to the desired term of entry. Completion of equivalent transfer coursework to the **Language Recommendation** is **highly recommended**:

**Language Recommendation:** There is no longer a language requirement for transfer admission. The College of Liberal Arts and Sciences requires completion through the fourth level of one language other than English, either in high school or college, to **graduate** from the college; however, it is strongly recommended that transfer applicants complete this graduation requirement prior to the term of enrollment at the University of Illinois. Early completion of this graduation requirement will allow time to complete other degree requirements, e.g., General Education coursework. Length of time to graduation may increase if the Language Requirement for graduation is not completed prior to enrollment.

Completion of transfer equivalents to some of the following University of Illinois courses prior to transfer is **highly recommended**:

HIST 100, Global History<sup>1</sup>  
HIST 141, Western Civ to 1660<sup>1</sup>  
HIST 142, Western Civ Since 1660<sup>1</sup>  
HIST 171, US History to 1877<sup>1</sup>  
HIST 172, US History Since 1877<sup>1</sup>  
RHET 105, Writing and Research<sup>2</sup>

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<sup>1</sup> It is recommended that students majoring in History complete two of the five courses listed above. Students will only receive credit towards the History major requirements by taking two of the History courses outlined. Additional History courses will count towards total credit hours for graduation.

<sup>2</sup> At most institutions, the equivalent requires a two-course English composition sequence.

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## History of Art

**History of Art:** <http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/las/history-art-balas/>

Transfer applicants who have completed more than **6 semesters** or **80 hours** are **subject to an additional review**. Priority is given to students who can complete degree requirements within a total of ten semesters in college (not counting summer sessions). **A grade point average of 2.70 or higher (A=4.00) is required for admission**. Applicants are considered on a space available basis.

For information about the University of Illinois' General Education requirements and courses, please refer to the following web link: <https://courses.illinois.edu/gened/2019/fall>.

**Admission recommendations** for transfer include completion of equivalent transfer coursework to the following University of Illinois courses and graduation requirement prior to the desired term of entry.

ARTH 110, Introduction to the History of Art and Visual Culture

RHET 105, Writing and Research<sup>1</sup>

Supporting Courses<sup>2</sup>

**Language Recommendation:** There is no longer a language requirement for transfer admission. The College of Liberal Arts and Sciences requires completion through the fourth level of one language other than English, either in high school or college, to **graduate** from the college; however, it is strongly recommended that transfer applicants complete this graduation requirement prior to the term of enrollment at the University of Illinois. Early completion of this graduation requirement will allow time to complete other degree requirements, e.g., General Education coursework. Length of time to graduation may increase if the Language Requirement for graduation is not completed prior to enrollment. Completion of equivalent transfer coursework to the **Language Recommendation** is **highly recommended**.

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<sup>1</sup> At most institutions, the equivalent requires a two-course English composition sequence.

<sup>2</sup> Electives should be selected with consideration to the supporting course requirements for the major. See the description of the requirement in the Liberal Arts and Sciences Art History Section in the current Programs of Study, which may be found in the website at the top of the page.

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## Integrative Biology

**Integrative Biology:** <http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/las/integrative-biology-bslas/>

Transfer applicants who have completed more than **6 semesters** or **80 hours of coursework** are subject to **an additional review**. Priority is given to students who can complete degree requirements within a total of ten semesters in college (not counting summer sessions). To be considered for admission, applicants must demonstrate proficiency of subject matter by earning a minimum **3.00 (A=4.00)** grade point average (GPA) in the required technical subjects (biology, chemistry, physics and math) and a minimum **2.70 (A=4.00)** cumulative GPA for all transfer coursework completed. Applicants are considered on a space available basis.

For information about the University of Illinois' General Education requirements and courses, please refer to the following web link: <https://courses.illinois.edu/gened/2019/fall>.

**Admission requirements** for transfer include completion of equivalent transfer coursework to the following University of Illinois courses listed in **bold, red italics**, which must be successfully completed prior to the desired term of entry.

**Language Recommendation:** There is no longer a language requirement for transfer admission. The College of Liberal Arts and Sciences requires completion through the fourth level of one language other than English, either in high school or college, to **graduate** from the college; however, it is strongly recommended that transfer applicants complete this graduation requirement prior to the term of enrollment at the University of Illinois. Early completion of this graduation requirement will allow time to complete other degree requirements, e.g., General Education coursework. Length of time to graduation may increase if the Language Requirement for graduation is not completed prior to enrollment. Completion of equivalent transfer coursework to the **Language Recommendation** is **highly recommended**:

**Sophomore-level transfer admission** *requires* completion of equivalent transfer coursework to the following University of Illinois courses:

***IB 103, Introduction to Plant Biology***  
***or IB 104, Animal Biology***  
***or IB 150, Organismal & Evolutionary Bio<sup>1</sup>***  
***or MCB 150, Molec & Cellular Basis of Life<sup>1</sup>***

**For sophomore-level transfer admission**, completion of transfer course equivalents to the following University of Illinois courses prior to transfer is **highly recommended**:

CHEM 102, General Chemistry I **and** CHEM 103, General Chemistry Lab I  
CHEM 104, General Chemistry II **and** CHEM 105, General Chemistry Lab II  
RHET 105, Writing and Research<sup>2</sup>

**Junior-level transfer admission** *requires* completion of transfer course equivalents to the following University of Illinois courses:

***CHEM 102, General Chemistry I and CHEM 103, General Chemistry Lab I***  
***CHEM 104, General Chemistry II and CHEM 105, General Chemistry Lab II***  
***IB 150, Organismal & Evolutionary Bio<sup>B</sup>***

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**For junior-level transfer admission**, completion of transfer course equivalents to the following University of Illinois courses and graduation requirement prior to transfer **is highly recommended**:

CHEM 232, Elementary Organic Chemistry I **and** CHEM 233, Elementary Organic Chem Lab I  
MATH 220, Calculus  
MCB 150, Molec & Cellular Basis of Life<sup>1</sup>  
STAT 212, Biostatistics  
RHET 105, Writing and Research<sup>2</sup>

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<sup>1</sup> Please refer to Transferology at <https://www.transferology.com> for transfer course information. Contact the IB/MCB Advising Office at 217-333-6774 for specific recommendations for your transfer institution. If no equivalents to any of the courses listed above are offered at your institution, please explain that in the optional essay in your transfer application.

<sup>2</sup> At most institutions, the equivalent requires a two-course English composition sequence.

<sup>3</sup> Effective the Spring 2021 admission term forward, both IB 150 and MCB 150 will be required for junior-level transfer. Applicants are highly encouraged to complete both courses prior to transfer.

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## Interdisciplinary Studies Jewish Studies Option

**Jewish Studies:** <http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/las/interdisciplinary-studies-balas/jewish-studies/>

Transfer applicants who have completed more than **6 semesters** or **80 hours of coursework** are subject to **an additional review**. Priority is given to students who can complete degree requirements within a total of ten semesters in college (not counting summer sessions). **A grade point average of 2.70 or higher (A=4.00) is required for admission**. Applicants are considered on a space available basis.

For information about the University of Illinois' General Education requirements and courses, please refer to the following web link: <https://courses.illinois.edu/gened/2019/fall>.

**Admission recommendations** for transfer include suggested completion of equivalent transfer coursework to the following University of Illinois **Language Recommendation:**

**Language Recommendation:** There is no longer a language requirement for transfer admission. The College of Liberal Arts and Sciences requires completion through the fourth level of one language other than English, either in high school or college, to **graduate** from the college; however, it is strongly recommended that transfer applicants complete this graduation requirement prior to the term of enrollment at the University of Illinois. Early completion of this graduation requirement will allow time to complete other degree requirements, e.g., General Education coursework. Length of time to graduation may increase if the Language Requirement for graduation is not completed prior to enrollment.

Completion of transfer equivalents to some of the following University of Illinois courses and graduation requirement prior to transfer is **highly recommended:**  
RHET 105, Writing and Research<sup>1</sup>

Additionally, completion of electives in Art History, Religion and Philosophy should be considered, including course equivalents for:

CWL 111 **or** ENGL 114 **or** REL 101, Bible as Literature  
HEBR 201, Elementary Modern Hebrew I  
HIST 252 **or** JS 252, The Holocaust  
JS 201 **or** REL 212, History of Antisemitism  
REL 108 **or** ANTH 108 **or** JS 108 **or** PHIL 108, Religion & Society in West I  
REL 110, World Religions  
REL 283 **or** ENGL 283 **or** CWL 283, Jewish Sacred Literature YDSH 101, Beginning Yiddish I

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<sup>1</sup>At most institutions, the equivalent requires a two-course English composition sequence.

## Interdisciplinary Studies Medieval Studies Option

**Medieval Studies:** <http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/las/interdisciplinary-studies-balas/medieval-studies/>

Transfer applicants who have completed more than **6 semesters** or **80 hours of coursework** are subject to **an additional review**. Priority is given to students who can complete degree requirements within a total of ten semesters in college (not counting summer sessions). **A grade point average of 2.70 or higher (A=4.00) is required for admission.** Applicants are considered on a space available basis.

For information about the University of Illinois' General Education requirements and courses, please refer to the following web link: <https://courses.illinois.edu/gened/2019/fall>.

**Admission recommendations** for transfer include suggested completion of equivalent transfer coursework to the following University of Illinois **Language Recommendation:**

**Language Recommendation:** There is no longer a language requirement for transfer admission. The College of Liberal Arts and Sciences requires completion through the fourth level of one language other than English, either in high school or college, to **graduate** from the college; however, it is strongly recommended that transfer applicants complete this graduation requirement prior to the term of enrollment at the University of Illinois. Early completion of this graduation requirement will allow time to complete other degree requirements, e.g., General Education coursework. Length of time to graduation may increase if the Language Requirement for graduation is not completed prior to enrollment.

Completion of transfer equivalents to some of the following University of Illinois courses and graduation requirement prior to transfer is **highly recommended:**

CWL 241, Early Masterpieces of Western Culture **or** HIST 141, Western Civ to 1660  
CWL 242, Modern Masterpieces of Western Culture **or** HIST 142, Western Civ Since 1660  
RHET 105, Writing and Research<sup>1</sup>  
European Literature

Additionally, completion of electives in Art History, Religion and Philosophy should be considered.

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<sup>1</sup> At most institutions, the equivalent requires a two-course English composition sequence.

## Italian

**Italian:** <http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/las/italian-balas/>

Transfer applicants who have completed more than **6 semesters** or **80 hours of coursework** are **subject to an additional review**. Priority is given to students who can complete degree requirements within a total of ten semesters in college (not counting summer sessions). **A grade point average of 2.70 or higher (A=4.00) is required for admission**. Applicants are considered on a space available basis.

For information about the University of Illinois' General Education requirements and courses, please refer to the following web link: <https://courses.illinois.edu/gened/2019/fall>.

**Admission recommendations** for transfer include completion of equivalent transfer coursework to the following University of Illinois courses and graduation requirement prior to the desired term of entry.  
RHET 105, Writing and Research<sup>1</sup>

**Language Recommendation:** There is no longer a language requirement for transfer admission. The College of Liberal Arts and Sciences requires completion through the fourth level of one language other than English, either in high school or college, to **graduate** from the college; however, it is strongly recommended that transfer applicants complete this graduation requirement prior to the term of enrollment at the University of Illinois. Early completion of this graduation requirement will allow time to complete other degree requirements, e.g., General Education coursework. Length of time to graduation may increase if the Language Requirement for graduation is not completed prior to enrollment. Completion of equivalent transfer coursework to the **Language Recommendation** is **highly recommended**.

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<sup>1</sup> At most institutions, the equivalent requires a two-course English composition sequence.

## Latina/Latino Studies

**Latina/Latino Studies:** <http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/las/latina-latino-studies-balas/>

Transfer applicants who have completed more than **6 semesters** or **80 hours of coursework** are **subject to an additional review**. Priority is given to students who can complete degree requirements within a total of ten semesters in college (not counting summer sessions). **A grade point average of 2.70 or higher (A=4.00) is required for admission**. Applicants are considered on a space available basis.

For information about the University of Illinois' General Education requirements and courses, please refer to the following web link: <https://courses.illinois.edu/gened/2019/fall>.

**Admission recommendations** for transfer include completion of equivalent transfer coursework to the following University of Illinois **Language Recommendation**:

**Language Recommendation:** There is no longer a language requirement for transfer admission. The College of Liberal Arts and Sciences requires completion through the fourth level of one language other than English, either in high school or college, to **graduate** from the college; however, it is strongly recommended that transfer applicants complete this graduation requirement prior to the term of enrollment at the University of Illinois. Early completion of this graduation requirement will allow time to complete other degree requirements, e.g., General Education coursework. Length of time to graduation may increase if the Language Requirement for graduation is not completed prior to enrollment.



## Latin American Studies

**Latin American Studies:** <http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/las/latin-american-studies-balas/>

Transfer applicants who have completed more than **6 semesters** or **80 hours of coursework** are subject to **an additional review**. Priority is given to students who can complete degree requirements within a total of ten semesters in college (not counting summer sessions). **A grade point average of 2.70 or higher (A=4.00) is required for admission**. Applicants are considered on a space available basis.

For information about the University of Illinois' General Education requirements and courses, please refer to the following web link: <https://courses.illinois.edu/gened/2019/fall>.

**Admission recommendations** for transfer include completion of equivalent transfer coursework to the following University of Illinois **Language Recommendation**:

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Completion of transfer equivalents to some of the following University of Illinois courses and graduation requirement prior to transfer is **highly recommended**:

RHET 105, Writing and Research<sup>1</sup>

Students in the Latin American Studies Program should complete an equivalent to the University of Illinois' LAST 170, Introduction to Latin America, if available.

Latin American Studies require study in one language other than English. Select from Spanish, Portuguese, Quechua or Native Languages, e.g., Maya (can be studied at the University of Chicago, University of Illinois consortium partner).

For electives, special consideration should be given to courses that contribute to an understanding of the broad background against which the region and cultures of the area are studied. Examples are general courses in anthropology, economics, geography, Asian and modern European or world history, world literature, political science and sociology. See the description of the requirements for each of these programs at the website at the top of the page.

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<sup>1</sup> At most institutions, the equivalent requires a two-course English composition sequence.

## Linguistics

**Linguistics:** <http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/las/linguistics-balas/>

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For information about the University of Illinois' General Education requirements and courses, please refer to the following web link: <https://courses.illinois.edu/gened/2019/fall>.

**Admission recommendations** for transfer include suggested completion of equivalent transfer coursework to the following University of Illinois **Language Recommendation:**

**Language Recommendation:** There is no longer a language requirement for transfer admission. The College of Liberal Arts and Sciences requires completion through the fourth level of one language other than English, either in high school or college, to **graduate** from the college; however, it is strongly recommended that transfer applicants complete this graduation requirement prior to the term of enrollment at the University of Illinois. Early completion of this graduation requirement will allow time to complete other degree requirements, e.g., General Education coursework. Length of time to graduation may increase if the Language Requirement for graduation is not completed prior to enrollment.

Completion of transfer equivalents to some the following University of Illinois courses and graduation requirement prior to transfer is **highly recommended:**

CW 104, Introductory Narrative Writing **or** CW 106, Introductory Poetry Writing  
LING 100, Intro to Language Science<sup>1</sup>  
LING 225, Language, Mind, and Brain<sup>1</sup>  
PSYC 100, Intro Psych  
RHET 105, Writing and Research<sup>2</sup>  
RHET 233, Adv Rhetoric & Composition  
Supporting Elective<sup>3</sup>

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<sup>1</sup> If transfer equivalents to these courses are not available, students should choose transferable general education or elective courses.

<sup>2</sup> At most institutions, the equivalent requires a two-course English composition sequence.

<sup>3</sup> Refer to the statement on supporting coursework in the LAS Linguistics section of the current Programs of Study, which may be found in the website at the top of the page.

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## Mathematics and Actuarial Science

**Mathematics:** <http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/las/mathematics-bslas/>

**Actuarial Science:** <http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/las/actuarial-science-bslas/>

Transfer applicants who have completed more than **6 semesters** or **80 hours of coursework** are subject to **an additional review**. Priority is given to students who can complete degree requirements within a total of ten semesters in college (not counting summer sessions). **An overall grade point average of 2.70 or higher (A=4.00) is required for admission to Mathematics and Actuarial Science.** However, Mathematics/Actuarial Science require **a 3.00 GPA on each transfer mathematics course taken**. Applicants are considered on a space available basis.

For information about the University of Illinois' General Education requirements and courses, please refer to the following web link: <https://courses.illinois.edu/gened/2019/fall>.

**Admission requirements** for transfer include completion of equivalent transfer coursework to the following University of Illinois courses listed in ***bold, red italics***, which must be successfully completed prior to the desired term of entry.

**Language Recommendation:** There is no longer a language requirement for transfer admission. The College of Liberal Arts and Sciences requires completion through the fourth level of one language other than English, either in high school or college, to **graduate** from the college; however, it is strongly recommended that transfer applicants complete this graduation requirement prior to the term of enrollment at the University of Illinois. Early completion of this graduation requirement will allow time to complete other degree requirements, e.g., General Education coursework. Length of time to graduation may increase if the Language Requirement for graduation is not completed prior to enrollment. Completion of equivalent transfer coursework to the **Language Recommendation** is **highly recommended**:

**Sophomore-level transfer admission to both disciplines *requires*** completion of equivalent transfer coursework to the following University of Illinois courses. A final grade must be received in one of the Calculus courses at the time of application:

***MATH 220, Calculus<sup>1</sup>***

***MATH 231, Calculus II<sup>1</sup>***

*If you plan to transfer into either of the programs of study with 45 or more completed transferable hours and ***have not*** completed an equivalent to MATH 241, Calculus III, ***the length of time to degree completion may increase.****

**Junior-level transfer admission to both disciplines *requires*** completion of all **sophomore-level transfer admission** requirements and equivalent transfer coursework to the following University of Illinois course:

***MATH 241, Calculus III<sup>1</sup>***

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## **Mathematics**

**For Sophomore-level transfer admission**, completion of a transfer equivalent to one of the following University of Illinois courses is **highly recommended**:

CS 101, Intro Computing: Engrg & Sci **or** CS 125, Intro to Computer Science

**An additional requirement for Junior-level transfer admission** is completion of a transfer equivalent to one of the following University of Illinois courses:

*CS 101, Intro Computing: Engrg & Sci or CS 125, Intro to Computer Science*

## **Actuarial Science**

**For Sophomore-level transfer admission**, completion of an equivalent to ACCY 200, Fundamentals of Accounting, or a survey course in accounting, e.g. a **financial accounting** course, is **highly recommended**. Completion of an equivalent to CS 101, CS 105, or CS 125 is also recommended.

**An additional requirement for junior-level transfer** is completion of a transfer equivalent to one of the following University of Illinois courses:

*CS 101, Intro Computing: Engrg & Sci or CS 105, Intro Computing: Non-Tech  
or CS 125, Intro to Computer Science*

Completion of transfer equivalents to some the following University of Illinois courses prior to transfer is **highly recommended**. Students majoring in **Actuarial Science** should select ECON 102, Microeconomic Principles and ECON 103, Macroeconomic Principles, to complete their Social Science General Education requirements in the LAS Sciences and Letters curriculum:

ECON 102, Microeconomic Principles

ECON 103, Macroeconomics Principles

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<sup>1</sup> It is strongly recommended that a calculus sequence comparable to University of Illinois' MATH 220, Calculus, MATH 231, Calculus II and MATH 241, Calculus III, be completed prior to transfer to either program of study. The recommended minimum GPA for the courses in the calculus sequence is **3.00 (A=4.00)**.

## Mathematics & Computer Science

**Math/CS:** [http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/eng\\_las/mathematics-computer-science-bslas/](http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/eng_las/mathematics-computer-science-bslas/)

Transfer applicants who have completed more than **6 semesters** or **80 hours of coursework** are subject to **an additional review**. Priority is given to students who can complete degree requirements within a total of ten semesters in college (not counting summer sessions). **A grade point average of 3.50 or higher (A=4.00) is required for admission** to Mathematics & Computer Science. However, **a minimum grade of A- is required on each Computer Science and Mathematics course taken**. Applicants are considered on a space available basis.

While the Mathematics and Computer Science program is open for intercollegiate/interdepartmental transfer, students who are not directly admitted to the major must be admitted to Mathematics and Computer Science by the student's sixth term of enrollment, including terms completed at other institutions of post-secondary education. If you have questions about this policy, or the intercollegiate/interdepartmental transfer process, please consult the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences.

For information about the University of Illinois' General Education requirements and courses, please refer to the following web link: <https://courses.illinois.edu/gened/2019/fall>.

**Admission requirements** for transfer include completion of equivalent transfer coursework to the following University of Illinois courses listed in ***bold, red italics***, which must be successfully completed prior to the desired term of entry:

**Language Recommendation:** There is no longer a language requirement for transfer admission. The College of Liberal Arts and Sciences requires completion through the fourth level of one language other than English, either in high school or college, to **graduate** from the college; however, it is strongly recommended that transfer applicants complete this graduation requirement prior to the term of enrollment at the University of Illinois. Early completion of this graduation requirement will allow time to complete other degree requirements, e.g., General Education coursework. Length of time to graduation may increase if the Language Requirement for graduation is not completed prior to enrollment.

**Sophomore-level transfer admission** ***requires*** completion of equivalent transfer coursework to the following University of Illinois courses. A final grade must be received in one of the Calculus courses at the time of application:

***CS 125, Intro to Computer Science<sup>1</sup>***  
***MATH 220, Calculus***  
***MATH 231, Calculus II***

*If you plan to transfer into either program of study with 45 or more completed transferable hours and **have not** completed an equivalent to MATH 241, Calculus III, ***the length of time to degree completion may increase.****

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**Junior-level transfer admission** *requires* completion of all of the **sophomore-level transfer** requirements and equivalent transfer coursework to the following University of Illinois courses:

*MATH 241, Calculus III*

*CS 225, Data Structures (minimum grade of A-)*

Completion of transfer equivalents to the following University of Illinois courses and graduation requirement prior to transfer is **highly recommended**:

CS 173, Discrete Structures<sup>2</sup>

RHET 105, Writing and Research<sup>3</sup>

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<sup>1</sup> CS 125, Intro to Computer Science is preferred. If a transferable equivalent is not available, a transferable equivalent to CS 101, Intro Computing: Engrg & Sci, may be substituted.

<sup>2</sup> It is highly recommended that an equivalent transfer course to CS 173: Discrete Structures, be completed prior to transfer; however, transfer will be considered without a comparable course.

<sup>3</sup> At most institutions, the equivalent requires a two-course English composition sequence.

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## Molecular and Cellular Biology

**Molecular and Cellular Biology:** <http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/las/molecular-cellular-biology-bslas/>

Transfer applicants who have completed more than **6 semesters** or **80 hours of coursework** are subject to **an additional review**. Priority is given to students who can complete degree requirements within a total of ten semesters in college (not counting summer sessions). To be considered for admission, applicants must demonstrate proficiency of subject matter by earning a minimum **3.00 (A=4.00)** grade point average (GPA) in the required technical subjects (biology, chemistry, physics and math) and a minimum **2.70 (A=4.00)** cumulative GPA for all transfer coursework completed. Applicants are considered on a space available basis.

For information about the University of Illinois' General Education requirements and courses, please refer to the following web link: <https://courses.illinois.edu/gened/2019/fall>.

**Admission requirements** for transfer include completion of equivalent transfer coursework to the following University of Illinois courses listed in **bold, red italics**, which must be successfully completed prior to the desired term of entry. Completion of equivalent transfer coursework to the **Language Recommendation** is **highly recommended**:

**Language Recommendation:** There is no longer a language requirement for transfer admission. The College of Liberal Arts and Sciences requires completion through the fourth level of one language other than English, either in high school or college, to **graduate** from the college; however, it is strongly recommended that transfer applicants complete this graduation requirement prior to the term of enrollment at the University of Illinois. Early completion of this graduation requirement will allow time to complete other degree requirements, e.g., General Education coursework. Length of time to graduation may increase if the Language Requirement for graduation is not completed prior to enrollment.

**Sophomore-level transfer admission** **requires** completion of equivalent transfer coursework to the following University of Illinois courses:

***CHEM 102, General Chemistry I and CHEM 103, General Chemistry Lab I***  
***CHEM 104, General Chemistry II and CHEM 105, General Chemistry Lab II***  
***IB 150, Organismal & Evolutionary Biol<sup>1&2</sup> or MCB 150, Molec & Cellular Basis of Life<sup>1&2</sup>***

**Junior-level transfer admission** **requires** completion of all of the **sophomore-level transfer admission** requirements and equivalent transfer coursework to the following University of Illinois courses:

***IB 150, Organismal & Evolutionary Biol<sup>2</sup>, if not completed previously***  
***MCB 150, Molec & Cellular Basis of Life<sup>2&3</sup>, if not completed previously***

Completion of transfer equivalents to some of the following University of Illinois courses prior to transfer is **highly recommended**:

CHEM 232, Elementary Organic Chemistry I **and** CHEM 233, Elementary Organic Chem Lab I  
MATH 220, Calculus **or** Math 221, Calculus I  
RHET 105, Writing and Research<sup>4</sup>

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<sup>1</sup> Students can take their institution's Biology I and/or Biology II. It is recommended that students transferring into MCB as sophomores take MCB 150 at the University of Illinois, when a direct equivalent to MCB 150 is not available at their transfer institution. This will enable the student to be better prepared for MCB 250 at the University of Illinois.

<sup>2</sup> The introductory Biology sequence must include an Organismal/Evolutionary course and a Molecular/Cellular course. Please see the Transferology website – <https://www.transferology.com> for transfer articulation information. Contact the Biology Advising Office at 217/333-6774 for specific recommendations for your community college.

<sup>3</sup> If a direct equivalent to MCB 150 is not available, students will be expected to complete MCB 150 upon transfer to ensure a smoother academic transition to the MCB program. If a direct equivalent to MCB 150 has been completed, students should complete the MCB Transfer Student Diagnostic Test to ensure placement into the appropriate course. Information about the MCB Transfer Student Diagnostic Test can be found at this URL:

[http://mcb.illinois.edu/undergrad/students/transfer\\_diagnostic](http://mcb.illinois.edu/undergrad/students/transfer_diagnostic)

<sup>4</sup> At most institutions, the equivalent requires a two-course English composition sequence. It is highly recommended that this requirement is completed prior to transfer so that space in the student's schedule is made available for other courses.

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## Philosophy

**Philosophy:** <http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/las/philosophy-balas/>

Transfer applicants who have completed more than **6 semesters** or **80 hours of coursework** are subject to **an additional review**. Priority is given to students who can complete degree requirements within a total of ten semesters in college (not counting summer sessions). **A grade point average of 2.70 or higher (A=4.00) is required for admission.** Applicants are considered on a space available basis.

For information about the University of Illinois' General Education requirements and courses, please refer to the following web link: <https://courses.illinois.edu/gened/2019/fall>.

**Admission recommendations** for transfer include suggested completion of equivalent transfer coursework to the following University of Illinois **Language Recommendation:**

**Language Recommendation:** There is no longer a language requirement for transfer admission. The College of Liberal Arts and Sciences requires completion through the fourth level of one language other than English, either in high school or college, to **graduate** from the college; however, it is strongly recommended that transfer applicants complete this graduation requirement prior to the term of enrollment at the University of Illinois. Early completion of this graduation requirement will allow time to complete other degree requirements, e.g., General Education coursework. Length of time to graduation may increase if the Language Requirement for graduation is not completed prior to enrollment.

Completion of transfer equivalents to some of the following University of Illinois courses and graduation requirement prior to transfer is **highly recommended:**

PHIL 101, Introduction to Philosophy  
PHIL 102, Logic and Reasoning **or** PHIL 103, Logic and Reasoning QR II **or** PHIL 202, Symbolic Logic  
PHIL 105, Introduction to Ethics  
Philosophy Electives  
RHET 105, Writing and Research<sup>1</sup>

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<sup>1</sup> At most institutions, the equivalent requires a two-course English composition sequence.

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## Physics Major and the Specialized Curriculum in Physics

**Physics Major and Curriculum:** <http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/las/physics-bslas/>

Transfer applicants who have completed more than **6 semesters** or **80 hours of coursework** are subject to **an additional review**. Priority is given to students who can complete degree requirements within a total of ten semesters in college (not counting summer sessions). To be competitive for admission, applicants should demonstrate mastery of subject matter by earning a **minimum of a 'B' grade in all required courses**. Transfer students admitted to Physics in 2017 had an average cumulative transfer GPA of 3.71 with the middle 50% of admitted students having a cumulative transfer GPA ranging from 3.37 – 3.92. Applicants are considered on a space available basis<sup>1</sup>.

For information about the University of Illinois' General Education requirements and courses, please refer to the following web link: <https://courses.illinois.edu/gened/2019/fall>.

**Admission requirements** for transfer include completion of equivalent transfer coursework to the following University of Illinois courses listed in *bold, red italics*, which must be successfully completed prior to the desired term of entry:

**Language Recommendation:** There is no longer a language requirement for transfer admission. The College of Liberal Arts and Sciences requires completion through the fourth level of one language other than English, either in high school or college, to **graduate** from the college; however, it is strongly recommended that transfer applicants complete this graduation requirement prior to the term of enrollment at the University of Illinois. Early completion of this graduation requirement will allow time to complete other degree requirements, e.g., General Education coursework. Length of time to graduation may increase if the Language Requirement for graduation is not completed prior to enrollment.

**Sophomore-level transfer admission** *requires* completion of equivalent transfer coursework to the following University of Illinois courses<sup>1</sup>:

*CHEM 102, General Chemistry I and CHEM 103, General Chemistry Lab I*  
*MATH 220, Calculus<sup>2</sup> or MATH 221, Calculus I*  
*MATH 231, Calculus II<sup>2</sup>*  
*PHYS 211, University Physics: Mechanics*  
*RHET 105, Writing and Research<sup>3</sup>*

**Junior-level transfer admission** *requires* completion of all of the **sophomore-level transfer admission requirements** and as much of the equivalent transfer coursework to the following University of Illinois courses as possible to be competitive:

*CS 101, Intro Computing: Engrg & Sci*  
*MATH 241, Calculus III<sup>2</sup>*  
*MATH 284 or MATH 285, Intro Differential Equations*  
*PHYS 212, University Physics: Elec & Mag*  
*PHYS 213, Univ Physics: Thermal Physics*  
*PHYS 214, Univ Physics: Quantum Physics*

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<sup>1</sup> Effective Fall 2019, transfer applicants must demonstrate subject mastery by earning a minimum of a 'B' grade in all required courses.

<sup>2</sup> The transfer course equivalents to the full University of Illinois' calculus sequence (MATH 220, 231 and 241) should be completed prior to transfer.

<sup>3</sup> At most institutions, the equivalent requires a two-course English composition sequence.

## Political Science

**Political Science:** <http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/las/political-science-balas/>

Transfer applicants who have completed more than **6 semesters** or **80 hours of coursework** are subject to **an additional review**. Priority is given to students who can complete degree requirements within a total of ten semesters in college (not counting summer sessions). **A grade point average of 2.70 or higher (A=4.00) is required for admission**. Applicants are considered on a space available basis.

For information about the University of Illinois' General Education requirements and courses, please refer to the following web link: <https://courses.illinois.edu/gened/2019/fall>.

**Admission recommendations** for transfer include completion of equivalent transfer coursework to no particular University of Illinois courses. Satisfactory progress toward completion of General Education and/or graduation requirements prior to the term of entry is desirable.

ECON 102, Microeconomic Principles

ECON 103, Macroeconomic Principles

PS 101, Intro to US Gov & Pol

PS 240, Intro to Comp Politics

PS 280, Intro to Intl Relations

PSYC 100, Intro Psych

RHET 105, Writing and Research<sup>1</sup>

Political Science<sup>2</sup>

Quantitative Reasoning I and II<sup>3</sup> (General Education Requirement)

**Language Recommendation:** There is no longer a language requirement for transfer admission. The College of Liberal Arts and Sciences requires completion through the fourth level of one language other than English, either in high school or college, to **graduate** from the college; however, it is strongly recommended that transfer applicants complete this graduation requirement prior to the term of enrollment at the University of Illinois. Early completion of this graduation requirement will allow time to complete other degree requirements, e.g., General Education coursework. Length of time to graduation may increase if the Language Requirement for graduation is not completed prior to enrollment. Completion of equivalent transfer coursework to the **Language Recommendation** is **highly recommended**.

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<sup>1</sup> At most institutions, the equivalent requires a two-course English composition sequence.

<sup>2</sup> Transfer coursework comparable to University of Illinois' PS 220, Intro to Public Policy, PS 230, Intro to Political Research, PS 270, Intro to Political Theory or 300 level courses.

<sup>3</sup> It is **strongly recommended** that transfer equivalents to one of the following courses be completed prior to transfer: STAT 100, Statistics, MATH 220, Calculus, MATH 234, Calculus for Business I, or CS 105, Intro Computing: Non-Tech.

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## Portuguese

**Portuguese:** <http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/las/portuguese-balas/>

Transfer applicants who have completed more than **6 semesters** or **80 hours of coursework** are **subject to an additional review**. Priority is given to students who can complete degree requirements within a total of ten semesters in college (not counting summer sessions). **A grade point average of 2.70 or higher (A=4.00) is required for admission**. Applicants are considered on a space available basis.

For information about the University of Illinois' General Education requirements and courses, please refer to the following web link: <https://courses.illinois.edu/gened/2019/fall>.

**Admission recommendations** for transfer include completion of equivalent transfer coursework to the following University of Illinois courses and graduation requirement prior to the desired term of entry.  
RHET 105, Writing and Research<sup>1</sup>

**Language Recommendation:** There is no longer a language requirement for transfer admission. The College of Liberal Arts and Sciences requires completion through the fourth level of one language other than English, either in high school or college, to **graduate** from the college; however, it is strongly recommended that transfer applicants complete this graduation requirement prior to the term of enrollment at the University of Illinois. Early completion of this graduation requirement will allow time to complete other degree requirements, e.g., General Education coursework. Length of time to graduation may increase if the Language Requirement for graduation is not completed prior to enrollment. Completion of equivalent transfer coursework to the **Language Recommendation** is **highly recommended**.

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<sup>1</sup> At most institutions, the equivalent requires a two-course English composition sequence.

## Psychology

**Psychology:** <http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/las/psychology-bslas/>

The Psychology major at the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign is a research-focused academic program with an emphasis on biological psychology. Students interested in a profession in counseling might consider a major in Social Work (SOCW), Sociology (LAS), Human Development and Family Studies (ACES) or Community Health (AHS).

Transfer applicants who have completed more than **6 semesters** or **80 hours of coursework** are subject to **an additional review**. Priority is given to students who can complete degree requirements within a total of ten semesters in college (not counting summer sessions). **A grade point average of 3.00 or higher (A=4.00) is required for admission**. Applicants are considered on a space available basis.

For information about the University of Illinois' General Education requirements and courses, please refer to the following web link: <https://courses.illinois.edu/gened/2019/fall>.

**Admission requirements** for transfer include completion of equivalent transfer coursework to the following University of Illinois courses listed in *bold, red italics*, which must be successfully completed prior to the desired term of entry. Completion of equivalent transfer coursework to the **Language Recommendation** is **highly recommended**:

**Language Recommendation:** There is no longer a language requirement for transfer admission. The College of Liberal Arts and Sciences requires completion through the fourth level of one language other than English, either in high school or college, to **graduate** from the college; however, it is strongly recommended that transfer applicants complete this graduation requirement prior to the term of enrollment at the University of Illinois. Early completion of this graduation requirement will allow time to complete other degree requirements, e.g., General Education coursework. Length of time to graduation may increase if the Language Requirement for graduation is not completed prior to enrollment.

**Sophomore-level transfer admission** *requires* completion of equivalent transfer coursework to the following University of Illinois courses:

***PSYC 100, Intro Psych***  
***RHET 105, Writing and Research***<sup>1</sup>  
***STAT 100, Statistics***<sup>2</sup>

Completion of transfer equivalent coursework to the following University of Illinois course and graduation requirement prior to transfer is **highly recommended**:

One additional transferable psychology course<sup>3</sup>

**Junior-level transfer admission** *requires* completion of all of the **sophomore-level transfer admission** requirements and equivalent transfer coursework to the following University of Illinois courses:

***Two additional psychology courses***<sup>3</sup>

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<sup>1</sup> At most institutions, the equivalent requires a two-course English composition sequence.

<sup>2</sup> Students are not allowed credit at UIUC for STAT 100 and additional introductory courses in statistics such as PSYC 235 or ECON 202. Please contact the Assistant Director of Course Articulation at (217) 300-8606 if you have questions.

<sup>3</sup> Sophomore transfers should complete at **least two** and junior transfers are required to complete at **least three** Psychology courses with a **GPA of 3.00** in those courses prior to transfer, one of which must be an equivalency to University of Illinois **PSYC 100, Intro Psych**. The remaining two may be chosen from equivalent transfer courses to PSYC 201, Intro to Social Psych, PSYC 216, Child Psych, PSYC 238, Psychopathology and Problems in Living, PSYC 239, Community Psych, PSYC 245, Industrial Org Psych or PSYC 250, Psych of Personality or any articulated 200-level Psychology course, which may or may not be posted in Transferology – <https://www.transferology.com>. Articulation information concerning non-posted courses may be obtained by contacting the Assistant Director of Course Articulation at (217) 300-8606.

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## Religion

**Religion:** <http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/las/religion-balas/>

Transfer applicants who have completed more than **6 semesters** or **80 hours of coursework** are subject to **an additional review**. Priority is given to students who can complete degree requirements within a total of ten semesters in college (not counting summer sessions). **A grade point average of 2.70 or higher (A=4.00) is required for admission.** Applicants are considered on a space available basis.

For information about the University of Illinois' General Education requirements and courses, please refer to the following web link: <https://courses.illinois.edu/gened/2019/fall>.

**Admission recommendations** for transfer include suggested completion of equivalent transfer coursework to the following University of Illinois **Language Recommendation:**

**Language Recommendation:** There is no longer a language requirement for transfer admission. The College of Liberal Arts and Sciences requires completion through the fourth level of one language other than English, either in high school or college, to **graduate** from the college; however, it is strongly recommended that transfer applicants complete this graduation requirement prior to the term of enrollment at the University of Illinois. Early completion of this graduation requirement will allow time to complete other degree requirements, e.g., General Education coursework. Length of time to graduation may increase if the Language Requirement for graduation is not completed prior to enrollment.

Completion of transfer equivalents to some of the following University of Illinois courses prior to transfer is **highly recommended:**

RHET 105, Writing and Research<sup>1</sup>

REL 104, Asian Mythology<sup>2</sup> **or** REL 286, Introduction to Hinduism<sup>2</sup> **or** REL 287, Introduction to Buddhism<sup>2</sup>

REL 120, A History of Judaism<sup>2</sup> **or** REL 121, Introduction to Christianity<sup>2</sup> **or** REL 201, Hebrew Bible in English<sup>2</sup> **or** REL 202, New Testament in English<sup>2</sup> **or** REL 214, Introduction to Islam<sup>2</sup>

REL 110, World Religions<sup>2</sup>

REL 230, Philosophy of Religion Intro<sup>2</sup> **or** REL 231, Religion and Philosophy<sup>2</sup>

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<sup>1</sup> At most institutions, the equivalent requires a two-course English composition sequence.

<sup>2</sup> If transfer equivalents to the religion courses previously listed are **not** available, substitute transferable general education courses or electives.

## Russian, East European, and Eurasian Studies

### Russian, East European, and Eurasian Studies:

<http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/las/russian-east-european-urasian-studies-balas/>

Transfer applicants who have completed more than **6 semesters** or **80 hours of coursework** are **subject to an additional review**. Priority is given to students who can complete degree requirements within a total of ten semesters in college (not counting summer sessions). **A grade point average of 2.70 or higher (A=4.00) is required for admission**. Applicants are considered on a space available basis.

For information about the University of Illinois' General Education requirements and courses, please refer to the following web link: <https://courses.illinois.edu/gened/2019/fall>.

**Admission recommendations** for transfer include completion of equivalent transfer coursework to the following University of Illinois **Language Recommendation**:

**Language Recommendation:** There is no longer a language requirement for transfer admission. The College of Liberal Arts and Sciences requires completion through the fourth level of one language other than English, either in high school or college, to **graduate** from the college; however, it is strongly recommended that transfer applicants complete this graduation requirement prior to the term of enrollment at the University of Illinois. Early completion of this graduation requirement will allow time to complete other degree requirements, e.g., General Education coursework. Length of time to graduation may increase if the Language Requirement for graduation is not completed prior to enrollment.

Completion of transfer equivalents to some of the following University of Illinois courses and graduation requirement prior to transfer is **highly recommended**:

RHET 105, Writing and Research<sup>1</sup>

Students in the Russian, East European, and Eurasian Studies program should complete an equivalent to the University of Illinois' REES 200, Intro to Russia & Eurasia, REES 201, Introduction to Eastern Europe and must complete REES 495, Senior Seminar, as a graduation requirement.

For electives, special consideration should be given to courses that contribute to an understanding of the broad background against which the region and cultures of the area are studied. Examples are general courses in anthropology, economics, geography, Asian and modern European or world history, world literature, political science and sociology. See the description of the requirements for each of these programs at the website at the top of the page.

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<sup>1</sup> At most institutions, the equivalent requires a two-course English composition sequence.

## Slavic Studies

**Slavic Studies:** <http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/las/slavic-studies-balas/>

Transfer applicants who have completed more than **6 semesters** or **80 hours of coursework** are **subject to an additional review**. Priority is given to students who can complete degree requirements within a total of ten semesters in college (not counting summer sessions). **A grade point average of 2.70 or higher (A=4.00) is required for admission**. Applicants are considered on a space available basis.

For information about the University of Illinois' General Education requirements and courses, please refer to the following web link: <https://courses.illinois.edu/gened/2019/fall>.

**Admission recommendations** for transfer include completion of equivalent transfer coursework to the following University of Illinois **Language Recommendation:**

**Language Recommendation:** There is no longer a language requirement for transfer admission. The College of Liberal Arts and Sciences requires completion through the fourth level of one language other than English, either in high school or college, to **graduate** from the college; however, it is strongly recommended that transfer applicants complete this graduation requirement prior to the term of enrollment at the University of Illinois. Early completion of this graduation requirement will allow time to complete other degree requirements, e.g., General Education coursework. Length of time to graduation may increase if the Language Requirement for graduation is not completed prior to enrollment.

Completion of transfer equivalents to the following University of Illinois course and graduation requirement prior to transfer is **highly recommended:**

RHET 105, Writing and Research<sup>1</sup>

Students in Slavic Studies will select a concentration and take courses in one of the following areas:

**Russian Language, Literature and Culture:**

<http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/las/slavic-studies-balas/russian-language-literature-culture/>

**Polish Studies:**

<http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/las/slavic-studies-balas/polish-studies/>

**South Slavic Studies:**

<http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/las/slavic-studies-balas/south-slavic-studies/>

**Czech Studies:**

<http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/las/slavic-studies-balas/czech-studies/>

**Ukrainian Studies:**

<http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/las/slavic-studies-balas/ukrainian-studies/>

For electives, special consideration should be given to courses that contribute to an understanding of the broad background against which the region and cultures of the area are studied. Examples are general courses in anthropology, economics, geography, Asian and modern European or world history, world literature, political science and sociology. See the description of the requirements for each of these programs at the website at the top of the page.

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<sup>1</sup> At most institutions, the equivalent requires a two-course English composition sequence.



## Sociology

**Sociology:** <http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/las/sociology-balas/>

Transfer applicants who have completed more than **6 semesters** or **80 hours of coursework** are **subject to an additional review**. Priority is given to students who can complete degree requirements within a total of ten semesters in college (not counting summer sessions). **A grade point average of 2.70 or higher (A=4.00) is required for admission**. Applicants are considered on a space available basis.

**Admission requirements** for transfer include completion of equivalent transfer coursework to the following University of Illinois course listed in *bold, red italics*, which must be successfully completed prior to the desired term of entry.

**Language Recommendation:** There is no longer a language requirement for transfer admission. The College of Liberal Arts and Sciences requires completion through the fourth level of one language other than English, either in high school or college, to **graduate** from the college; however, it is strongly recommended that transfer applicants complete this graduation requirement prior to the term of enrollment at the University of Illinois. Early completion of this graduation requirement will allow time to complete other degree requirements, e.g., General Education coursework. Length of time to graduation may increase if the Language Requirement for graduation is not completed prior to enrollment. Completion of equivalent transfer coursework to the **Language Recommendation** is **highly recommended**.

**Junior-level transfer admission** *requires* completion of equivalent transfer coursework to the following University of Illinois course:

***SOC 100, Introduction to Sociology***

Completion of transfer equivalents or comparable transfer coursework to the following University of Illinois courses, graduation and General Education requirements prior to transfer is **highly recommended**:

SOC 280, Intro to Social Statistics

RHET 105, Writing and Research<sup>1</sup>

Quantitative Reasoning I – General Education Requirement

Sociology courses

Completion of transfer equivalents to University of Illinois coursework which satisfy the following general education categories<sup>2</sup> prior to transfer is also **highly recommended**:

Historical & Philosophical Perspectives (History courses recommended) – General Education Requirement

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<sup>1</sup> At most institutions, the equivalent requires a two-course English composition sequence.

<sup>2</sup> For information about the University of Illinois' General Education requirements and courses, please refer to the following web link: <https://courses.illinois.edu/gened/2019/fall>.

## Spanish (Including the Spanish BAT)

**Spanish:** <http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/las/spanish-balas/>

**Spanish BAT:** See the entry in this handbook “The Bachelor of Arts in Teaching Foreign Language (BAT) General Information and Admission Requirements.”

Transfer applicants who have completed more than **6 semesters** or **80 hours of coursework** are **subject to an additional review**. Priority is given to students who can complete degree requirements within a total of ten semesters in college (not counting summer sessions). **A grade point average of 2.70 or higher (A=4.00) is required for admission**. Applicants are considered on a space available basis.

For information about the University of Illinois’ General Education requirements and courses, please refer to the following web link: <https://courses.illinois.edu/gened/2019/fall>.

**Admission recommendations** for transfer include completion of equivalent transfer coursework to the following University of Illinois courses and graduation requirement prior to the desired term of entry.

**Language Recommendation:** There is no longer a language requirement for transfer admission. The College of Liberal Arts and Sciences requires completion through the fourth level of one language other than English, either in high school or college, to **graduate** from the college; however, it is strongly recommended that transfer applicants complete this graduation requirement prior to the term of enrollment at the University of Illinois. Early completion of this graduation requirement will allow time to complete other degree requirements, e.g., General Education coursework. Length of time to graduation may increase if the Language Requirement for graduation is not completed prior to enrollment. Completion of equivalent transfer coursework to the **Language Recommendation** is **highly recommended**.

Spanish major and minor start with the course Spanish 200. The Spanish Department typically offers summer courses of Span 200, 204, and 228 online.

We also encourage students to study abroad, although it is not a requirement to complete the major or the minor. We do have several programs abroad that, with prior planning, can allow for completion of some Spanish major or minor requirements.

## Statistics

**Statistics:** <http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/las/statistics-bslas/>

Transfer applicants who have completed more than **6 semesters** or **80 hours of coursework** are subject to **an additional review**. Priority is given to students who can complete degree requirements within a total of ten semesters in college (not counting summer sessions). **An overall grade point average of 2.70 or higher (A=4.00) is required for admission** to Statistics. However, **a 3.00 GPA is required for all transfer mathematics coursework completed**. Applicants are considered on a space available basis.

For information about the University of Illinois' General Education requirements and courses, please refer to the following web link: <https://courses.illinois.edu/gened/2019/fall>.

**Admission requirements** for transfer include completion of equivalent transfer coursework to the following University of Illinois courses listed in *bold, red italics*, which must be successfully completed prior to the desired term of entry.

**Language Recommendation:** There is no longer a language requirement for transfer admission. The College of Liberal Arts and Sciences requires completion through the fourth level of one language other than English, either in high school or college, to **graduate** from the college; however, it is strongly recommended that transfer applicants complete this graduation requirement prior to the term of enrollment at the University of Illinois. Early completion of this graduation requirement will allow time to complete other degree requirements, e.g., General Education coursework. Length of time to graduation may increase if the Language Requirement for graduation is not completed prior to enrollment. Completion of equivalent transfer coursework to the **Language Recommendation** is **highly recommended**.

**Sophomore-level transfer admission** *requires* completion of equivalent transfer coursework to the following University of Illinois courses:

***MATH 220, Calculus<sup>1</sup>***  
***MATH 231, Calculus II<sup>1</sup>***

*If you plan to transfer with 45 or more completed transferable hours and **have not** completed an equivalent to MATH 241, Calculus III, **the length of time to degree completion may increase.***

**Junior-level transfer admission** *requires* completion of all **sophomore-level transfer admission** requirements and equivalent transfer coursework to the following University of Illinois course:

***MATH 241, Calculus III<sup>1</sup>***

**Statistics requires no Computer Science coursework.**

Completion of transfer equivalents to the following University of Illinois courses and graduation requirement prior to transfer is **highly recommended**:

MATH 225, Introductory Matrix Theory<sup>2</sup>  
RHET 105, Writing and Research<sup>3</sup>

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<sup>1</sup> It is strongly recommended that a calculus sequence comparable to University of Illinois' MATH 220, Calculus, MATH 231, Calculus II and MATH 241, Calculus III, be completed prior to transfer to either program of study. The recommended minimum GPA for the courses in the calculus sequence is **3.00 (A=4.00)**.

<sup>2</sup> If available, a course comparable to MATH 415, Applied Linear Algebra, is preferred.

<sup>3</sup> At most institutions, the equivalent requires a two-course English composition sequence.

## Statistics & Computer Science

**Stats/CS:** [http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/eng\\_las/computer-science-statistics-bslas/](http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/eng_las/computer-science-statistics-bslas/)

Transfer applicants who have completed more than **6 semesters** or **80 hours of coursework** are subject to **an additional review**. Priority is given to students who can complete degree requirements within a total of ten semesters in college (not counting summer sessions). **A grade point average of 3.50 or higher (A=4.00) is required for admission** to Statistics & Computer Science. However, **a minimum grade of A- is required on each Computer Science and Mathematics course taken**. Applicants are considered on a space available basis.

While the Statistics and Computer Science program is open for intercollegiate/interdepartmental transfer, students who are not directly admitted to the major must be admitted to Statistics and Computer Science by the student's sixth term of enrollment, including terms completed at other institutions of post-secondary education. If you have questions about this policy, or the intercollegiate/interdepartmental transfer process, please consult the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences.

For information about the University of Illinois' General Education requirements and courses, please refer to the following web link: <https://courses.illinois.edu/gened/2019/fall>.

**Admission requirements** for transfer include completion of equivalent transfer coursework to the following University of Illinois courses listed in *bold, red italics*, which must be successfully completed prior to the desired term of entry:

**Language Recommendation:** There is no longer a language requirement for transfer admission. The College of Liberal Arts and Sciences requires completion through the fourth level of one language other than English, either in high school or college, to **graduate** from the college; however, it is strongly recommended that transfer applicants complete this graduation requirement prior to the term of enrollment at the University of Illinois. Early completion of this graduation requirement will allow time to complete other degree requirements, e.g., General Education coursework. Length of time to graduation may increase if the Language Requirement for graduation is not completed prior to enrollment.

**Sophomore-level transfer admission requires** completion of equivalent transfer coursework to the following University of Illinois courses. A final grade must be received in one of the Calculus courses at the time of application:

*CS 125, Intro to Computer Science<sup>1</sup>*  
*MATH 220, Calculus*  
*MATH 231, Calculus II*

If you plan to transfer with 45 or more completed transferable hours and **have not** completed an equivalent to MATH 241, **the length of time to degree completion may increase**.

**Junior-level transfer admission requires** completion of all of the **sophomore-level transfer** requirements and equivalent transfer coursework to the following University of Illinois courses:

**MATH 241, Calculus III**  
**CS 225, Data Structures**

Completion of transfer equivalents to the following University of Illinois courses and graduation requirement prior to transfer is **highly recommended**:

CS 173, Discrete Structures<sup>2</sup>  
RHET 105, Writing and Research<sup>3</sup>

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**CONTACT INFORMATION:** Recruitment & Admissions, College of Liberal Arts & Sciences, 2002 Lincoln Hall, 702 South Wright Street, Urbana, IL 61801; Phone: (217) 333-1703; Fax: (217) 244-9498 E-mail: [las-newstudent@illinois.edu](mailto:las-newstudent@illinois.edu)

Students majoring in **Statistics and Computer Science** should include an introductory course in Statistics, e.g. an equivalent to STAT 100, Statistics.

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<sup>1</sup> CS 125, Intro to Computer Science is preferred. If a transferable equivalent is not available, a transferable equivalent to CS 101, Intro Computing: Engrg & Sci, may be substituted.

<sup>2</sup> It is highly recommended that an equivalent transfer course to CS 173, Discrete Structures, be completed prior to transfer; however, transfer will be considered without a comparable course.

<sup>3</sup> At most institutions, the equivalent requires a two-course English composition sequence.

## Secondary Education Teaching General Information and Admission Requirements

### YOUR DEGREE

The Secondary Education option in the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences (LAS) includes content work in your major and professional education courses in the College of Education. Students who successfully complete this degree will have a bachelor’s degree in the major area of study and a license to teach that subject (English, Math, Science or Social Science) in the state of Illinois.

University of Illinois Major	Minimum license earned with degree*
Biology	Science Teaching – can teach Biology through the AP/Honors level and other sciences (Chem; Earth & Space; Environmental; Physics) at the non-AP level
Chemistry	Science Teaching – can teach Chemistry through the AP/Honors level and other sciences (Bio; Earth & Space; Environmental; Physics) at the non-AP/Honors level
English	English Language Arts – can teach all English topics through the AP/Honors level
Geology	Science Teaching – can teach Earth & Space Science through the AP/Honors level and other sciences (Bio; Chem; Environmental; Physics at the nonAP/Honors level.
History	Social Science Teaching – can teach History through the AP/Honors level and all other Social Sciences (Econ; Geography; Political Sc.; Psych; Sociology/Anthro) at the non-AP/Honors level
Mathematics	Mathematics Teaching – can teach all Math topics through the AP/Honors level.
Physics	Science Teaching – can teach Physics through the AP/Honors level and other sciences (Bio; Chem; Environmental; Earth and Space Science) at the nonAP/Honors level

\*Time permitting, you may complete extra coursework in order to teach more than one content area through the AP level.

### ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

Students must have a competitive cumulative, major and institutional GPA. Applicants must have at least a 2.5 (A=4.000) University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, major and cumulative grade point average at the time of application.

### COURSE SELECTION

Many of the major requirements meet general education requirements as well. If you wish to complete the Secondary Education program in a total of 4 years, it is imperative that you work closely with your institutions advisor and with us so that we can ensure you are taking the appropriate coursework at the institution you attend prior to entering the University of Illinois.

If you have not worked with your advisor, or if you decide later in your undergraduate work to pursue secondary education licensure, your time to graduation may be increased.

Refer to the **Table of Recommended Coursework for Secondary Education Transfer Students:**

	BIO	CHEM	ENGL	GEOL	HIST	MATH	PHYS
Quantitative Reasoning (6 hrs)	<input type="checkbox"/> MATH 220 (5) or 221 (4) • PHYS 101 (5) • PHYS 102 (5) • STAT 212	<input type="checkbox"/> MATH 220 (5) or 221 (4) • PHYS 211 (4) • PHYS 212 (5)	<input type="checkbox"/> Any equivalent courses that meet this requirement	<input type="checkbox"/> MATH 220 (5) or 221 (4) • ATMS 100 • PHYS 211 (4) & 212 (4)	• STAT 100 • SOC 380 (4)	• MATH 220 (5) or 221 (4) • MATH 231 • MATH 241	<input type="checkbox"/> MATH 220 (5) or 221 (4) • MATH 231 • Math 241 • PHYS 211(4) & 212 (4)
Western Cultures (1 course)	<input type="checkbox"/> Any equivalent course that meets this requirement	<input type="checkbox"/> Any equivalent course that meets this requirement	<input type="checkbox"/> CWL 241 & 242 or HIST 141 & 142 or HIST 171 & 172 or HIST 255 & 256	<input type="checkbox"/> Any equivalent course that meets this requirement	• HIST 141 & 142 • HIST 171 & 172	<input type="checkbox"/> Any equivalent course that meets this requirement	<input type="checkbox"/> Any equivalent course that meets this requirement
Non-Western; US Minority Cultures (1 course)	<input type="checkbox"/> EDUC 201 (no equiv. available elsewhere)	<input type="checkbox"/> EDUC 201 (no equiv. available elsewhere)	<input type="checkbox"/> EDUC 201 (no equiv. available elsewhere)	<input type="checkbox"/> EDUC 201 (no equiv. available elsewhere)	• EDUC 201 (no equiv. available elsewhere) • HIST 100	<input type="checkbox"/> EDUC 201 (no equiv. available elsewhere)	<input type="checkbox"/> EDUC 201 (no equiv. available elsewhere)
Humanities & the Arts (6 hrs)	• EDUC 202 • Any equivalent course that meets this requirement.	• EDUC 202 • Any equivalent course that meets this requirement	• EDUC 202 • CWL 241 & 242 or HIST 141 & 142 or HIST 171 & 172 or HIST 255 & 256	• EDUC 202 • Any equivalent course that meets this requirement	• EDUC 202 • HIST 141 & 142 • HIST 171 & 172 • HIST 273 or 288 • HIST 100	• EDUC 202 • Any equivalent course that meets this requirement	• EDUC 202 • Any equivalent course that meets this requirement
Social & Behavioral Sciences (6 hrs)	• PSYC 100 (4) • EPSY 201	• PSYC 100 (4) • EPSY 201	• PSYC 100 (4) • EPSY 201	• PSYC 100 (4) • EPSY 201	• PSYC 100 (4) • EPSY 201 • PS 100 • PS 101 • PS 240 or 241 • ANTH 230	• PSYC 100 (4) • EPSY 201	• PSYC 100 (4) • EPSY 201
Natural Science & Technology (6 hrs)	• CHEM 102 • CHEM 103 (1) • CHEM 104 • CHEM 105 (1) • IB 150 • MCB 150 • PHYS 101 (5) • PHYS 102 (5) • GEOL 100 or GEOL 107 • ASTR 100	<input type="checkbox"/> CHEM 202; CHEM 203 (2); CHEM 204; CHEM 205 <b>OR</b> CHEM 102/103 (1); 104; 105 (1); 222 (2) and 223 (2) <input type="checkbox"/> PHYS 211 (4) & PHYS 212 (4) <b>OR</b> PHYS 101 (5) & PHYS 102 (5) • IB 100 • GEOL 100 or 107 (4) • ASTR 100 or 210	<input type="checkbox"/> Any equivalent courses that meet this requirement	• CHEM 102 & 103 (1) • GEOL 117 • ATMS 100 • GEOL 143 • IB 100 • PHYS 211 (4) & 212 (4) <input type="checkbox"/> ASTR 121 & 122	• ANTH 143 • GEOG 103 • GEOG 104 (4)	<input type="checkbox"/> Any equivalent courses that meet this requirement	• PHYS 211 (4) • PHYS 212 (4) • CHEM 102 & 103 (1) or CHEM 202 & 203 (2) • IB 100

All courses are 3 credit hours at U of I unless otherwise specified. Some 3 credit hour courses at your institution may meet the requirement of a 4 hour course at U of I (e.g., PSYC 100; GEOG 104).

### **SECONDARY EDUCATION TRANSFER STUDENT CHECKLIST**

- Start with Office of Undergraduate Admissions and follow instructions for applying to one of the majors eligible for Secondary Education (Biology, Chemistry, English, Geology, History, Math and Physics).** Be sure to check the box that indicates your interest in Secondary Education. Admission to your major does not guarantee admission to the Secondary Education Teaching minor
- As early as possible, complete the online prospective student form at the College of Education:** <http://education.illinois.edu/programs/information-for/transfer-students>. The College of Education will review your record to determine the feasibility of you completing the Secondary Education minor at U of I and will contact you to provide further information.
- Review the College of Education website:** <http://education.illinois.edu/programs/information-for/ui-students-applying-to-theminor>. The College of Education Records Officer will notify you of the results of your record review. You will not be required to complete any other application process (i.e. the "Students interested in applying should:" section on the webpage does not apply to transfer students)
- GPA's (overall; content area; professional education courses) at 2.5 or higher.**
- Refer to the Recommended Courses for Transfer Students Interested in Secondary Education at Illinois in the Transfer Student Handbook and work with your institution's advisor to determine equivalents.**
- With the help of your advisor, lay out a plan for the time before you transfer.** Also consider laying out a plan for your entire degree. Some majors in the Secondary Education program do not offer much of flexibility (especially History and Biology). Be prepared that you may need to take time beyond 8 semesters to complete the degree.
- Students in teaching licensure programs must maintain a grade of 'C' or better in ALL content and professional education coursework.**



## The Bachelor of Arts in Teaching Foreign Language (BAT) General Information and Admission Requirements

**BAT initial licensure programs for Grades K-12 include the following languages: French, German, Latin and Spanish.**

### What You Need to Know If You Are Considering the BAT Program

- To ensure that content & general education courses are completed prior to the start of the final year of the BAT professional education sequence, it is essential that students interested in pursuing the BAT discuss their academic plans & intentions with their language advisor prior to the start of fall semester.
- It is not possible to begin the final year of the professional education sequence until all required content, general education, & elective coursework has been satisfied.
- Once admitted to the BAT, teacher candidates are expected to complete the three semester sequence in the order they are offered & without deviating from the established sequence in any way.

### Requirements & Other Important Information for Students Seeking to Apply for the BAT

Applicants must meet all of the requirements listed below in order to be eligible for admission to the Bachelor of Arts in Teaching Foreign Language (BAT) program. If there is uncertainty about eligibility requirements, interested students should meet with the undergraduate language advisor well in advance of the admissions application deadline.

### What You Need to Know If You Want to Apply to the BAT Program

- Students wishing to apply for the BAT program **may not hold a previously earned Bachelor's degree in any field.**
- Applicants must have a minimum **2.5 GPA in the language they plan to teach** & a **2.5 overall cumulative GPA** at the time of application.
- Meeting the minimum criteria does not guarantee admission to the BAT program.
- All applicants to the BAT program should have an alternate academic plan in the event that they are not admitted to the BAT.
- **It is essential that students interested in applying to the BAT attend the fall information meeting;** information meetings are held in October; meeting announcements will appear on the FLTE website at the beginning of fall semester (<http://www.flte.illinois.edu/>).

### To submit a complete application packet for admission to the BAT, applicants are required to:

- fulfill 25 field hours in a Foreign Language classroom at the secondary level by working with a teacher & students in the language the applicant intends to teach
- complete 5 hours shadowing a principal or other building leader in a secondary school
- complete 5 hours shadowing a member of Student Services in a secondary school
- attend one meeting of the school board in the district where they completed their shadowing
- respond to a series of essays that address issues professional dispositions in education
- submit a copy of all undergraduate transcripts
- submit a copy of a current résumé

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## **BAT Application Deadline: February 1st**

### **Readiness for the Professional Education Sequence**

Any student with an interest in the BAT program **SHOULD MEET with her/his undergraduate language advisor prior to fall semester of the first year as a transfer student** to construct an 8 semester or other academic plan that will ensure all content & general education requirements & electives will be satisfied prior to fall semester of the senior year when the last phase of the professional education sequence begins.

**PLEASE NOTE:** It is very difficult to complete the final phase of the professional education sequence unless all content & general education requirements & electives have been met. As a result, it is critical that applicants make certain they will complete all content, electives, & general education courses prior to the start of the professional education sequence in fall semester of the final year.

### **Study Abroad**

All BAT teacher candidates are strongly encouraged to study abroad for a summer, semester, or full academic year. The experience enhances authentic cultural knowledge & will prepare teacher candidates for the Oral Proficiency Interview (OPI) assessment that must be taken & passed to advance to Student Teaching. To ensure that students are on campus for the last three semesters prior to graduation when the professional education sequence takes place, seeking direction about study abroad from the language department advisor is critical as it will permit the advisor to assist in an out of country experience when the academic plan is constructed prior to the beginning of the first semester on campus.