

## Transfer Requirements Guide for UIC College of Urban Planning and Public Affairs – Lincoln Land College

The Transfer Requirements Guide lists the courses that meet the general education requirements for the College of Urban Planning and Public Affairs.

The University of Illinois at Chicago College of Urban Planning and Public Affairs (CUPPA) offers an undergraduate program of study leading to the Bachelor of Arts, with a major in Urban and Public Affairs (UPA). Using the Chicago metropolitan region as a home for investigation, students will experience and analyze urban issues from many different academic and practical perspectives. After students complete most of their general education and other liberal arts and sciences requirements, they will take an interdisciplinary curriculum offered jointly by CUPPA's graduate departments: Urban Planning and Policy and Public Administration.

The UPA major is a pre-professional program that prepares students to enter urban professions and graduate programs. Students will gain the knowledge and understanding of the complexity and diversity of the urban environment as well as learn the policy and management processes that affect urban living. Graduating UPA students will enter careers in public and nonprofit service, commerce, real estate, or other city building activities. Students entering graduate education will be prepared to study in related fields such as public administration, urban planning, public health, law, public relations, international studies, sociology, political science, or peace and justice studies.

**Admission into the Urban and Public Affairs program is selective and competitive.**

### Transfer Admission Requirements

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**Admission to the B.A. Program in Urban and Public Affairs requires junior standing (completion of at least 60 semester hours/90 quarter hours).** Transfer Applicants with fewer hours completed should select the Pre-Urban and Public Affairs Advising Track in the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences. Admission to the preprofessional program does not guarantee subsequent admission to the degree program.

**Minimum transfer requirements completed or in progress at time of application: (a) two courses in English composition (6 semester hours); (b) college credit in mathematics, logic, or statistics (3 semester hours); (c) one course in Analyzing the Natural World that includes a laboratory; (d) one course in microeconomics.** Additional transfer admission requirements include a minimum grade point average of 2.75/4.00 scale, and a personal statement. The personal statement should be one to two pages, double spaced that includes information on your educational and career goals, detailing relevant academic and employment experience and your academic or professional interest in the UPA Bachelor's degree program.

**Supplemental application materials are required for admission to the degree program.** For more information about these materials, please contact the Office of Urban and Public Affairs at (312)413-2565 or visit <http://www.uic.edu/cuppa/upa>

Please see <http://www.uic.edu/cuppa> for general information on the College, its two academic programs, and its seven research centers and institutes.

### Course Selection Guidelines

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**This guide is intended to assist students in completing the general education requirements for the College of Urban Planning and Public Affairs. Most course work in the major is completed after transferring to UIC.**

1. Courses listed on this guide satisfy general education requirements. If a course is listed in more than one category, that course may only fulfill the requirement in one category.
2. UIC general education requirements changed beginning in Fall 2007. Transfer students who enroll at UIC in Fall 2009 or later will be required to follow the GE pattern adopted for Fall 2007.

**COURSE SELECTION GUIDELINES** (continued)

3. Placement tests in English, foreign language, and mathematics may be required of transfer students, depending on the individual's prior course work.
4. Degree requirements are subject to change. New students must meet UIC graduation requirements in effect at the time of enrollment at UIC. ***The course recommendations on this guide are only valid for students who enroll in the College of Urban Planning and Public Affairs through the Fall of 2012.***

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**BASIC COURSE REQUIREMENTS** (*Most general education requirements should be completed before starting the Bachelor of Urban Planning and Public Affairs Program*)

**UNIVERSITY WRITING REQUIREMENT:** (6 semester hours)

(enter courses as completed) \_\_\_\_\_

Communication	111	Composition I
	112	Composition II

**FOREIGN LANGUAGE:** (16 semester hours)

Students must complete a two-year sequence of a single foreign language. All courses must be chosen from the same department. Completion of four years of the same language in high school will not exempt students from this requirement.

(enter courses as completed) \_\_\_\_\_

French, Italian, Spanish	101,102	Elementary
	201,202	Intermediate

**QUANTITATIVE REASONING:** (3 semester hours) A grade of C or higher is required in any course taken to meet this requirement.

(enter course as completed) \_\_\_\_\_

Mathematics	104	General Education Mathematics
	120	Trigonometry
	130	Calculus for Business and Social Science
	131	Calculus and Analytic Geometry
	220	Discrete Structures
Philosophy	201	Introduction to Logic

**UNDERSTANDING THE CREATIVE ARTS: (3 semester hours)**

(enter course as completed)

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Art	101	Art Appreciation
	204	Art Hist – Survey of Western I
	205	Art Hist – Survey of Western II
	206	Art Hist – Survey of Western III
Film	101	Intro. to Film Art
Fine Arts	101	Exploring the Fine Arts
French	210	An Intro to Cult. Heritage FR
Humanities	101	Intro. to Humanities
	102	Intro. to Women’s Studies
	165	British Culture and Society
	201	Cultural Values in the East
Inter. Studies	102	Survey of World Philo and Politics
Literature	110	Intro. to Lit: Poetry
	111	Intro. to Lit: Poetry
	112	Intro. to Lit: Novel
	113	Intro. to Lit: Ethnic Lit.
	114	Intro. to Film as Lit.
	147	Women in Modern Lit.
	201	Survey of English Lit – Neoclass
	202	Survey of English Lit. – Romantic
	210	Survey of American Lit. – Civil
	211	Survey of American Lit. – Present
	220	Literary Masterpieces I
	221	Literary Masterpieces II
Music	104	Music Appreciation
	108	Music in America
	204	Survey of Music History & Lit.
Spanish	204	Intro. to Spanish Lit: Poetry
	205	Intro. to Spanish Lit: Drama
Theatre	101	Intro. to Theatre
	102	Modern Drama and Theatre

**UNDERSTANDING THE PAST: (3 semester hours)**

(enter course as completed)

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Anthropology	101	Introduction to Anthropology
	205	Non-Western Cultures: Cross Cult.
History	101	History of Western Civ. I
	102	History of Western Civ. II
	111	U.S. History to 1877
	112	U.S. History since 1877
	147	Women in History
	211	African-American History to 1877
	212	African-American History since 1877
	215	Vietnam
	260	War and Western Society
Inter. Studies	102	Survey of World Philo & Politics
Literature	222	Shakespeare
Music	204	Survey of Music Hist. and Lit.
Political Science	211	Intro. to Political Philosophy
Theatre	101	Intro. to Theatre

**ANALYZING THE NATURAL WORLD: (4 semester hours)**

(enter course as completed)

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Biology	101	General Biology
	104	Life in the Environment
	111	Principles of Biology I
	112	Principles of Biology II
	202	Environmental Biology
Chemistry	100	Contemporary Chemistry
	101	General Chemistry I
	102	General Chemistry II
	110	Intro. to Organic Chemistry
Geography	103	Physical Geography
	101	Physical Geology
Physics	102	General Physics II
	201	Physics I
	202	Physics II
Political Science	101	Physical Science

**EXPLORING WORLD CULTURES: (3 semester hours)**

(enter course as completed)

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Anthropology	101	Introduction to Anthropology
	201	Principles and Interpretations
	205	Non-Western Cultures: Cross Cult.
French	210	Intro. to Cultural Heritage of France
Geography	102	World Regional Geography
History	215	Vietnam
Humanities	201	Cultural Values in the East
Philosophy	210	World Religions
Political Science	202	International Relations
	220	Introduction to Comparative Systems

**UNDERSTANDING U.S. SOCIETY: (3 semester hours)**

(enter course as completed)

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Economics	110	Elements of Economics
	210	Economics of Social Issues
History	111	U.S. History to 1877
	112	U.S. History since 1877
	212	African-Amer. Hist. since 1877
Law Enforcement	101	Intro. to Criminal Justice System
Literature	113	Intro. to Lit: Ethnic Lit.
	210	Survey of American Lit – Civil
	211	Survey of Amer. Lit - Present
Political Science	101	Intro. to American Politics
	102	Practical Politics
	201	State and Local Government
Sociology	101	Introduction to Sociology
	110	Social Problems
	201	Sociology of the Family
	203	Sociology of Work
	211	Social Psychology

**UNDERSTANDING THE INDIVIDUAL AND SOCIETY: (3 semester hours)**

(enter course as completed)

Anthropology	101	Introduction to Anthropology	_____
	205	Non-Western Cultures: Cross Cult.	
Economics	110	Elements of Economics	
	210	Economics of Social Issues	
Geography	102	World Regional Geography	
History	102	History of Western Civ II	
Humanities	102	Intro to Women's Studies	
	165	British Culture and Society	
	166	European Cities	
Inter. Studies	102	Survey of World Philo & Politics	
Literature	127	Women in Modern Literature	
Philosophy	204	Introduction to Philosophy	
	205	Ethics: Morality and Cont. Values	
	210	World Religions	
Political Science	102	Practical Politics	
	201	State and Local Government	
	202	International Relations	
	210	Principles of Political Science	
	220	Introduction to Comparative Systems	
Psychology	101	Introduction to Psychology	
	147	Psychology of Women	
	250	Abnormal Psychology	
Sociology	101	Introduction to Sociology	
	110	Social Problems	
	201	Sociology of the Family	
	203	Sociology of Work	
	211	Social Psychology	
	104	Interpersonal Communication	

**MICROECONOMICS: (3 semester hours)**

Economics	131	Principles of Economics I	_____
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**ADDITIONAL GENERAL EDUCATION: (1-3 semester hours)**

(enter courses as completed)

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**ELECTIVES: (11 semester hours)**

(enter courses as completed)

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