

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 two academic programs: the Urban Planning and Policy Program and the Public Administration Program.

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

Admission to the B.A. Program in Urban Planning 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 Planning 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, a phone or personal interview, 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. To request these materials, please contact the College of Urban Planning and Public Affairs at (312)413-2292 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

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. After attaining junior standing, students must complete at least 60 semester hours at UIC or any other accredited four year institution. Thus, students should not enroll at a community college after the sophomore year.
4. Placement tests in English, foreign language, and mathematics may be required of transfer students, depending on the individual's prior course work.
5. Admission requirements are subject to change. New students must meet UIC graduation requirements in effect at the time of admission to 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 2010.***

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) _____

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| Communication | 111 | Composition I |
| English | 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) _____

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

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

(enter course as completed) _____

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| 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)

| | | |
|----------------|-----|------------------------------------|
| 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)

| | | |
|-------------------|-----|-------------------------------------|
| 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)

| | | |
|-------------------|-----|---------------------------------------|
| 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)

| | | |
|-------------------|-----|-----------------------------------|
| 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)

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|-------------------|-----|-------------------------------------|-------|
| 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 | |

ADDITIONAL GENERAL EDUCATION: (4-6 semester hours)

(enter courses as completed)

ELECTIVES: (11 semester hours)

(enter courses as completed)
