

Transfer Requirements Guide for UIC College of Urban Planning and Public Affairs - Truman 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.

UNDERSTANDING THE CREATIVE ARTS: (3 semester hours)

(enter course as completed)

Architecture	104	History of Architecture I	_____
	105	History of Architecture II	
Art	130	African-American Art	
Fine Arts	104	The World of the Cinema	
	105	Hist. of Painting, Sculpture, & Architecture	
	106	African Art	
	107	Hist. of Arch., Painting & Sculpture I	
	108	Hist. of Arch., Painting & Sculpture II	
	110	Opera & the Humanities	
French	210	Modern Civilization & Culture	
	213	Intro. to Modern Literature	
	214	Readings in Literature	
Humanities	107	Popular Culture	
	201	General Course I	
	202	General Course II	
	212	Non-Western Humanities	
Literature	110	Intro. to Literature	
	111	Poetry	
	112	Drama	
	113	Fiction	
	114	Ideas in Prose	
	121	Contemporary Afri.-Amer. Lit.	
	150	Women's Literature	
	211	Shakespeare	
	155	Literature & Film	
	117	American Literature	
	126	Contemporary American Lit.	
	129	U.S. Latino Literature	
	128	Latin American Literature	
Music	101	Fundamentals of Music Theory	
	121	Intro. to Music	
	221	Music Lit. & History	
	223,224	Music History	
Spanish	213	Intro. to Modern Literature	
	214	Readings in Literature	
Theater Arts	134	Theater in the Modern World	

UNDERSTANDING THE PAST: (3 semester hours)

(enter course as completed)

Anthropology	201	Intro. to Biological & Cultural Evolution of Humans	_____
History	111,112	History of the Amer. People	
	115	Afro-Amer. Hist. Since 1865	
	141,142	Hist. of World Civilization	
	212	Hist. & Culture of China	
	215	History of Latin American	
	247,248	African History	
	113	U.S. Labor History	
	114	Afro-Amer. In Amer. History	
	117	Hist. of the Chicago Metropolitan Area	
Humanities	205	World Literature	
	210	Comparative Mythology	
Music	223,224	Music History	
Literature	211	Shakespeare	
Religion	101	Intro. to Religion	
Spanish	210	Modern Civilization & Culture	
	214	Readings in Literature	

ANALYZING THE NATURAL WORLD: (4 semester hours)

(enter course as completed)

Biology	114	General Education Biology
	115	Human Biology
	122	Organismal Biology
Botany	201	General Botany I
Chemistry	201	General Chemistry I
	203	General Chemistry II
	212	Survey of Organic & Biochem.
Geology	201	Physical Geology
Physics	231	General Physics I
	232	General Physics II
	233	General Physics III
	235	Engineering Physics I
	236	Engineering Physics II
Zoology	211	General Zoology

EXPLORING WORLD CULTURES: (3 semester hours)

(enter course as completed)

Anthropology	201	Intro. to Biological & Cultural Evolution of Humans
	202	Cultural Anthropology
Art	130	African-American Art
Fine Arts	104	The World of the Cinema
	106	African Art
French	210	Modern Civ. & Culture
Geography	101	World Geography
	102	Economic Geography
History	212	History & Culture of China
	215	History of Latin America
	247	African Hist. to Colonial Period
	248	African History-Modern History
Humanities	212	Non-Western Humanities
Literature	128	Latin American Literature
Philosophy	108	Philosophy of Religion
Political Science	203	Comparative Government
	204	International Relations
Religion	106	Comparative Religion
Spanish	210	Modern Civ. & Culture
	213	Intro. to Modern Literature

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

(enter course as completed)

Criminal Justice	102	Administration of Criminal Justice
Economics	113	Economic Hist. of the U.S.
	201	Principles of Economics I
	202	Principles of Economics II
History	111,112	History of the Amer. People
	113	U.S. Labor History
	114	The Afro-Amer. in Amer. Hist.
	117	Hist. of Chicago Metropolitan Area
	115	Afro-American History
Humanities	107	Popular Culture

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

Literature	121	Contemporary African-Amer. Literature
	126	Contemporary American Lit.
	129	U.S. Latino Literature
Political Science	201	The National Government
	202	Urban Govt. & Politics
Sociology	110	Religion & Society
	201	Intro. to the Study of Society
	201	Sociology of Urban Life
	203	Marriage & the Family
Social Science	105	American Social Issues

UNDERSTANDING THE INDIVIDUAL AND SOCIETY: (3 semester hours)

(enter course as completed)

Anthropology	201	Intro. to Biological & Cultural Evolution of Humans
	202	Cultural Anthropology
Comparative Religion	106	Comparative Religion I
Economics	201	Principles of Economics I
	202	Principles of Economics II
	113	Economic Hist. of the U.S.
English	152	Intro. to Mass Comm.
	242	Intercultural Comm.
History	142	History of World Civ.
Humanities	107	Popular Culture
	205	World Literature I
	210	Comparative Mythology
Literature	150	Women's Literature
Philosophy	106	Intro. to Philosophy
	107	Ethics
	108	Philosophy of Religion
Political Science	201	The National Govt.
	203	Comparative Govt.
	204	International Relations
	202	Urban Govt. & Politics
Psychology	201	General Psychology
	213	Abnormal Psychology
	215	Psychology of Personality
Social Science	101	General Course I
	102	General Course II
	105	American Social Issues
Sociology	110	Religion and Society
	201	Intro. to the Study of Society
	202	Sociology of Urban Life
	203	Marriage & the Family
Speech	202	Interpersonal Comm.

ADDITIONAL GENERAL EDUCATION: (4-6 semester hours)

(enter courses as completed)

ELECTIVES: (11 semester hours)

(enter courses as completed)