

Transfer Assistance Guide
EICC: Clinton, Muscatine & Scott Community Colleges
University of Northern Iowa – Communication Studies (Liberal Arts, Electronic Media, & Public Relations)

This Transfer Assistance Guide is intended to assist students who plan to transfer to the University of Northern Iowa (UNI) and pursue a major in communication, electronic media or public relations. Use this guide with an EICC A.A. Graduation Worksheet to select your courses. **Note: This document was accurate on the date it was prepared but may not reflect subsequent changes by UNI or EICC. For this reason this document should be used as a guide only and should not replace consultation with your community college advisor or UNI advisor.**

Transfer of the A.A. Degree

As you select courses for your A.A. degree, include a course that will fulfill UNI's Non-Western Culture course requirement, and complete any courses needed to fulfill the UNI world language requirement. Students who complete these UNI requirements while earning their A.A., and transfer with a cumulative G.P.A. of at least 2.0, will be admitted as a junior and will be deemed to have fulfilled UNI's freshman and sophomore level general education requirements. A final capstone course will need to be completed as a Junior or Senior at UNI. A maximum of 65 credit hours may be transferred.

Non-Western Culture Requirement: The following courses will fulfill the UNI non-western culture requirement (Select One)

- CLS:121 Studies in Non-western Culture
- CLS:150 Latin American History & Culture
- HIS:211 Modern Asian History

World Language: The UNI world language requirement can be satisfied by 2 years of the same foreign language in high school with a C- or better in the last term OR 2 semesters of the same foreign language in college with a C- or better in the last semester. (Courses in American Sign Language will fulfill the foreign language requirement as well.)

The UNI Registrar has the final authority for accepting or rejecting credit for transfer. Students who do not complete an A.A. degree prior to transfer will have their courses reviewed and accepted on a course-by-course basis.

Admissions Partnership Program (APP): Once you have been accepted to EICC, you may participate in UNI's Admissions Partnership Program. APP allows you to receive customized academic advising and other benefits from UNI while completing your associate's degree. More information along with an application can be found at <http://www.uni.edu/admissions/app>.

In addition to the courses noted above, the following courses offered by EICC are recommended to students who plan to transfer to UNI and major in Communications:

COURSE #	TITLE	CR	UNI EQUIVALENT	COMMUNICATIONS	DIGITAL MEDIA	PUBLIC RELAT.
ACC:142	Financial Accounting	3	ACCT 2120			X
COM:140	Introduction to Mass Media	3	COMM COR 1010	X	X	X
JOU:120	Beginning Newswriting	3	COMM J 2755			X
SPC:122	Interpersonal Communication	3	COMM 2344	X	X	X

Admission to the Communications Major at UNI:

Transfer students entering UNI with an A.A. degree will be admitted to the communications major status if their cumulative GPA is 2.70 or better **and** the student has completed SPC:112 Public Speaking, ENG:105 English Composition I and ENG:106 English Composition II.

Information about **UNI's communication majors** can be found at <http://www.uni.edu/commstudies/> and additional information about **transferring to UNI** can be found at <http://www.uni.edu/admissions/transfer/>

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