



# TRANSFER GUIDE

## **AS Horticulture Transferring into BS HORT Landscape Horticulture**

Highland Community College Courses			
AS Horticulture – 62 hours			
SPCH 191-3	Fundamentals of Speech Comm	BIOL 209-4	Biology II: Biodiversity & Evolution
ENGL 121-3	Rhetoric & Composition I	CHEM 120-4	Elementary General Chemistry
ENGL 122-3	Rhetoric & Composition II	Elective-3	Life/Physical Science
MATH 166-4	College Algebra	Elective-3	Fine Arts
MATH 134-4	Statistics	AGRI 184-4	Intro to Agricultural Economics
Elective-3	Social Science	AGRI 188-3	Intro to Horticultural Science
Elective-3	Humanities	AGRI 284-4	Soil Science
BIOL 208-4	Biology I: Cell & Molecular	Electives-10	
Southern Illinois University Carbondale Courses			
BS Horticulture (HORT) Landscape Horticulture Specialization – 59 hours			
CHEM 140B-4	Chemistry	HORT 430-4	Plant Propagation
HORT 327-3	Landscape Plant Materials	1 Course-3	HORT 431 or 434
HORT 328A-2	Landscape Design	1 Course-3	HORT 324 or 326
HORT 328B-2	Landscape Design Studio	HORT Courses-4	400 level
HORT 375-3	Horticultural Crop Physiology	HORT Courses-12	300/400 level
HORT 382-1	Professional Development HORT	Business Elective-3	
HORT 409-3	Crop Physiology	CALPS Electives-12	300/400 level
Total Hours to Bachelor Degree: 121 Hours			

# **Questions? Contact Us!**

**Highland Community College** 

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**Salary Range:** \$24,000-\$54,000

**Possible Careers:** Crop Production Manager

Researcher

Soil/Water Conservation Officer

Sales Manager

**Southern Illinois University Carbondale** 

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Disclaimer: You are encouraged to use this transfer guide when planning your progress towards degree completion. Following a transfer guide does not guarantee admission into the listed program. Information is attempted to be kept current; however, any curriculum changes reflected in the Undergraduate Catalog override the information on this guide. Contact your Academic Advisor for assistance in interpreting this guide.



### **Baccalaureate Degree Requirements**

Each candidate for a bachelor's degree must complete the requirements listed:

**Hour Requirements.** Student must complete at least 120 semester hrs of credit. Each student must have at least 42 hrs in courses that number 300 or above from a four-year institution. **Residence Requirements.** Student must complete the residency requirement by taking a total of 42 semester hrs at SIU Carbondale.

**Grade Point Average Requirements.** Student must have a C average for <u>all work</u> taken at SIU Carbondale. Some academic programs may require a higher graduating major GPA.

### **Compact Agreement**

SIU Carbondale has recognized Illinois regionally accredited community college transferable baccalaureate-oriented Associate of Arts or Associate of Science degrees under the Compact Agreement since 1970. SIUC will continue to recognize the baccalaureate oriented associate degree (A.A. or A.S. degree) under the Illinois Articulation Initiative as satisfying SIU University Core Curriculum (UCC) requirements. The Associate of Applied Science (A.A.S.), Associate in Engineering Science (A.E.S.), the Associate in General Studies (A.G.S.), and the Associate in Fine Arts (A.F.A.) are not covered under the Compact Agreement and do not carry the same benefits as the A.A. and A.S. degrees.

#### Saluki Transfer Pathways

Saluki Transfer Pathways is the university's dual admission program that allows baccalaureate-oriented students at eligible community colleges intending to transfer to SIU Carbondale to benefit from early admission and pre-advisement for a baccalaureate program at SIUC. Saluki Transfer Pathways allows students to be conditionally admitted to SIU Carbondale up to two years in advance of their intended transfer term so they have access to transfer credit evaluation and the university's degree audit system. This allows students to address major specific requirements that may not be automatically fulfilled with the completion of an associate degree. Students apply to Saluki Transfer Pathways by completing the Application for Undergraduate Admission and indicating an interest in the program. To participate, students must have at least two semesters remaining at their community college. Direct questions about the Saluki Transfer Pathways program to transfer@siu.edu.

#### **DegreeWorks**

DegreeWorks is an easy-to-use, online degree audit tool specifically designed for students. Once admitted to SIU Carbondale, you can use it monitor your progress toward your degree in <u>Salukinet</u>.

## Saluki Transfer Estimator Portal (STEP)

The <u>Saluki Transfer Estimator Portal</u> (STEP) is a web-based tool that integrates institutional course equivalency and degree audit data to provide an unofficial credit estimation and a more seamless transfer process. STEP gives transfer students a clear roadmap for timely degree completion by providing key information about how transfer credits apply to your intended program at SIU.