

## TRANSFER GUIDE

**AAS Agricultural Business Mgmt transferring into BS Agricultural Systems & Education Ag Production Mgmt**

<b>Illinois Valley Community College Courses</b>			
<b>AAS Agricultural Business Management – 62 hours</b>			
ENG 1001-3	English Composition I	AGR 1005-4	Introductory Soil Science
SPH 1001-3	Fundamentals of Speech	AGR 1200-3	Intro Ag Business Management
MTH 1003-4	College Algebra	AGR 1202-2	Intro to Ag Industry
Elective-3	Social Sciences	AGR 1206-4	Intro to Precision Agriculture
Elective-3	Fine Arts	AGR 1207-3	Agricultural Credit & Finance
AGR 1000-4	Intro to Field Crop Science	AGR 1208-3	Adv Agricultural Business Mgmt
AGR 1001-3	Intro Agricultural Economics	AGR 1212-3	Agriculture Sales
AGR 1002-3	Intro Agri Mechanics	AGR 1213-3	Agricultural Internship
AGR 1003-4	Animal Science	AGR 1214-1	Agricultural Internship Seminar
AGR 1004-3	Microcomputer Apps in Ag	AGR 1215-3	Agricultural Marketing
<b>Southern Illinois University Carbondale Courses Capstone Option</b>			
<b>BS Agricultural Systems &amp; Education (AGSE) Agricultural Production Management Specialization – 58 hours</b>			
Elective-3	Humanities	AGSE 372-3	Ag Machinery Systems Management
CHEM 140A-4	Chemistry	AGSE 374-3	Applied Graphics
PLB 200-4	General Plant Biology	AGSE 375-3	Intro to Agricultural Systems
Elective-3	Multicultural	2 Courses from 3 Areas-15	1) ABE 350/351 & 1 class from ABE 300/400 level 2) AGSE 372, 463, 472, 473, 476, 483, 488, 495 or 497 3) ANS 315/331 & 1 class from ANS 409, 430, 465 or 485 4) CSEM 300
AGSE 371-4	Physics in Agriculture	Electives-16	At least 11 hours @ 300/400 level
<b>Total Hours to Bachelor Degree: 120 Hours</b>			

### Questions? Contact Us!

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**Salary Range:** \$38,000-\$70,000

**Possible Careers:** High School Ag Teacher  
Extension Advisor  
Agronomist  
Agronomy Sales Rep



## 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 all work 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](mailto: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 [Salukinet](#).

## Saluki Transfer Estimator Portal (STEP)

The [Saluki Transfer Estimator Portal](#) (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.