

## TRANSFER GUIDE

### AS Agriculture transferring into BS Agribusiness Economics

Illinois Valley Community College Courses			
AS Agriculture – 64 hours			
ENG 1001-3	English Composition I	Elective-3	Life Science
ENG 1002-3	English Composition II	Elective-4	Life or Physical Science, Grp III
SPH 1001-3	Fundamentals of Speech	Elective-3	Fine Arts, Grp II
MTH 1000-3	Math for Liberal Arts	Elective-2	Health & Wellness
Elective-3	Mathematics, Grp I or II	Elective-3	Global Appreciation
Elective-3	Social Science	Elective-3	Global Appreciation
ECN 2002-3	Principles of Microeconomics	ACT 1010-3	Financial Accounting
ECN 2003-3	Principles of Macroeconomics	AGR 1001-3	Introductory Agricultural Economics
Elective-3	Humanities, Grp I	AGR 1002-3	Intro Agri Mechanics
Elective-3	Humanities/Fine Arts, Grp I, II or III	AGR 1004-3	Microcomputer Apps in Agriculture
Elective-4	Physical Science		
Southern Illinois University Carbondale Courses			
BS Agribusiness Economics (ABE) – 56 hours			
ABE Core-16	ABE 318; 340, 350, 360 or 419; 351; 361 or 362 or 363; 381; 401, 442, 444, 445, 450 or 452	Business Req-3	ACCT 230
ABE Electives-15	6 at 400 level	Gen Electives-16	300/400 level; 6 at 400 level
Comm Req-6	Choose from: BSAN 406; CMST 221, 261, 262, 280, 281, 301I, 326, 361, 380, 385 or 485; ENGL 290 or 291		
Total Hours to Bachelor Degree: 120 Hours			

### Questions? Contact Us!

**Salary Range:** \$35,000-\$70,000

**Possible Careers:** Commodity Trader  
Farm Manager  
Consultant  
Credit Analyst  
Farm Appraiser

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## 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.