

## TRANSFER GUIDE

### AA Forestry Transferring into BS Forestry Urban Forest Management

| Three Rivers College Courses  |                                |                    |                                 |
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| AA Forestry – 62 hours  |                                |                    |                                 |
| SCOM 110-3  | Public Speaking                | Course-3           | Fine Arts                       |
| ENGL 111-3  | College Writing                | HPER 110-2         | Lifetime Wellness               |
| ENGL 112-3  | Advanced College Writing       | CPST 290-1         | General Education Capstone      |
| MATH 163-3  | College Algebra                | MATH 223-3         | Probability and Statistics (FE) |
| GOVT 121-3  | National & State Government    | AGRI 110-4         | Soils & Soil Fertility          |
| HIST 112-3  | American History since 1877    | FRST 115-3         | Intro to Forestry               |
| Course-3  | Humanities                     | FRST 117-3         | Intro to Dendrology             |
| Course-3  | Humanities                     | FRST 119-3         | Forest Measurements             |
| BIOL 101-5  | General Biology                | FRST 215-3         | Forest Management Practices     |
| CHEM 121-5  | General Chemistry I            | Elective-3         | Ag or Forestry Elective         |
| Southern Illinois University Carbondale Courses                     |                                |                    |                                 |
| BS Forestry (FOR) Urban Forest Management Specialization – 65 hours |                                |                    |                                 |
| FOR 100-1   | Intro to Forestry              | FOR 411-3          | Forest Resources Economics      |
| FOR 201-3   | Ecology of North Amer Forests  | FOR 430-3          | Wildland Watershed Management   |
| FOR 202-3   | Tree Identification Lab        | FOR Sum Fld Stdy-6 | FOR 310C, 314C, 351C, 360C/422C |
| FOR 285-3   | Social Influences on Forestry  | FOR 416-4/421-3    | For Resource Mgmt/Rec Land-Use  |
| FOR 310-4   | Practices of Silviculture      | FOR 428-2          | Urban Forestry                  |
| FOR 314-3   | Forest Health                  | FOR 308/GEOG 401-3 | Intro to Mapping & GIS/GIS      |
| FOR 325-3   | Forest Resource Policy & Admin | FOR Electives-9 FE | Choice of restricted electives  |
| FOR 331-3   | Forest Ecosystems              | HORT 328A,B-4      | Landscape Design & Lab          |
| FOR 351-4   | Forest Measurements            | HORT 434-3         | Landscape Maint Operations      |
| FOR 381-2   | Pro Preparation in Forestry    |                    |                                 |
| Total Hours to Bachelor Degree: 127 Hours                           |                                |                    |                                 |

### Questions? Contact Us!

**Salary Range:** \$34,000-\$98,450

**Possible Careers:** Urban/Community Forester  
Vegetation Manager  
Park District Ranger  
Utility Forester  
City Forester  
Forest Preserve Ranger  
Forest Manager

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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.