

## TRANSFER GUIDE

### AAS Fire Science transferring into BS Public Safety Management

Triton College Courses			
AAS Fire Science– 65 hours			
SPE 101-3	Principles of Effective Speaking	FIR 114-3	Building Construct. Fire Protection
RHT 101-3	Freshman Rhetoric & Comp I	FIR 115-2	Fire Protection Systems
MAT 101/102-3	Quan Literacy/Liberal Arts Math	FIR 116-2	Prin Fire & Emer Svc Safe & Survl
PSC 150-3	American National Politics	FIR 202-3	Fire Svc Strategy & Tactics
Elective-3	IAI Humanities/Fine Arts	FIR 203-3	Fire & Emer Svcs Admin
CIS 101-3	Intro to Computer Science	FIR 210-3	Fire Investigation I
EMS 131-8	Emergency Medical Technician	FIR 218-3	Fire Investigation II
EMP101-1	Nat Incident Manage System	FIR 221-3	Fire Protect Hydraulics/Water Sup
EMP 102-1	Basic ICS & App Towards Single Res. & Init. Action Incidents	FIR 231-3	Hazardous Materials Chemistry
FIR 111-2	Principles of Emergency Services	FIR 241-3	Legal Aspects of Emer Services
FIR 112-2	Fire Behavior and Combustion	FIR 251-2	Occup Safety & Health Emer Svcs
FIR 113-2	Fire Prevention	FIR 261-1	Fire Service Internship
Southern Illinois University Carbondale Courses			
BS Public Safety Management – 63 hours			
Elective-3	Social Science	PSM 332-3	Labor Rels Fire & Emer Svcs
Elective-3	Physical Science	PSM 350-3	Readings in PSM
Elective-3	Life Science	PSM 383-3	Data Interpretation Public Safety
Elective-3	Fine Arts	PSM 387--3	Fiscal Aspects of Public Safety
Elective-3	Multicultural	PSM 388-3	Political and Legal Foundations of Fire and Emergency Services
PSM 302-3	Ethics in Public Safety	PSM 421-3	Professional Development
PSM 305-3	Dev Pers Phil of Leadership	PSM 450-3	Analy Apprs Public Fire Protection
PSM 316-3	Apps of Technical Writing	Courses-18	Specialization Courses
Total Hours to Bachelor Degree: 128 Hours			

### Questions? Contact Us!

**Salary Range:** \$50,000-\$100,000

**Possible Careers:** Fire Inspector  
Fire Investigator  
Firefighter  
Forest Fire Inspector  
Prevention Specialist  
Firefighter/EMT  
Firefighter/Paramedic

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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).

## Degree Works

Degree Works 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.