



TRANSFER GUIDE

AAS Fire Science Technology transferring into BS Public Safety Management

Waubonsee Community College Courses			
AAS Fire Science Technology – 60 hours			
COM 100-3 or COM 121-3	Fundamentals of Speech Comm or Communication in the Workplace	FSC 118-4.5	Basic Ops Firefighter-Module C
ENG 101-3	First-Year Composition I	FSC 120-3	Hazardous Materials Operations
ENG 102-3	First-Year Composition II	FSC 125-4	Advanced Technician Firefighter
Elective-3	IAI Mathematics	FSC 140-4	Fire Apparatus Engineer
PSY 100-3	Intro to Psychology	FSC 150-3	Vehicle & Machinery Operations
FSC 105-4	Basic Ops Firefighter-Module A	FSC 215-.5	Technical Rescue & Vehicle Operations
FSC 115-4	Basic Ops Firefighter-Module B	Electives-18	FSC 160, 170, 220, 231; EMT 120, 125; ITS 297, 298, 299
Southern Illinois University Carbondale Courses			
BS Public Safety Management – 66 hours			
Elective-3	Social Science	PSM 332-3	Labor Relations Fire/Emergency Svcs
Elective-3	Humanities	PSM 350-3	Readings in Public Safety Management
Elective-3	Physical Science	PSM 383-3	Data Interpretation for Public Safety
Elective-3	Life Science	PSM 387-3	Fiscal Aspects of Public Safety
Elective-3	Fine Arts	PSM 388-3	Political and Legal Foundations of Fire and Emergency Services
Elective-3	Multicultural	PSM 421-3	Professional Development
PSM 302-3	Ethics in Public Safety	PSM 450-3	Analytical Approaches to Fire Protection
PSM 305-3	Personal Philosophy of Leadership	Specialization- 18	*Student will select one Fire Service Management, or General PSM option
PSM 316-3	Applications of Technical Writing		
Total Hours to Bachelor Degree: 126 Hours			

Questions? Contact Us!

Salary Range: \$41,000-\$93,000

Possible Careers: Firefighter
Dispatcher
Fire Inspector/Investigator
EMT/Paramedic
First-Line Supervisor
Emergency Management Director

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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.

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.