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Talk with an academic advisor in your area to learn what major-specific requirements apply to you.

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Aviation Technologies
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Business Analytics
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Crop, Soil, and Environmental Management
Cybersecurity Technology
Dental Hygiene
Early Childhood Education
Econometrics and Quantitative Economics
Economics
Electrical Engineering
Electrical Engineering Technology
Finance
Health Care Management
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Hospitality, Tourism, and Event Management
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Information Technology
Management
Marketing
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Public Safety Management
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Technical Resource Management

Check in. See how you’re doing.

Questions about your Capstone status?
Please contact us at 618-453-2012
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Opportunities: Endless.
This is SIU Carbondale.

Transferring your Associate in Applied Science (AAS) degree, Associate Degree in Nursing (ADN),
or Associate in Engineering Science (AES) degree
to SIU Carbondale
The Capstone qualification process:
1. Admission to SIU Carbondale. Submit your Undergraduate Admission Application. On the application, answer “yes” to this question: “Do you have, or will you earn, an AAS/ADN/AES degree or certificate?”
2. AAS/ADN/AES degree. A technically oriented associate degree, or equivalent certification, with a minimum of 60 semester hours of transfer work.
3. Transcripts. All transcripts and other documentation (test reports, military credit, work experience or additional documentation needed to determine Capstone eligibility) must be sent to the Registrar’s Office, Articulation and Evaluation.
4. Verification. A student is eligible for Capstone if the student is admissible in the Capstone participating program.

You can verify your Capstone status by using your Degree Works audit.

Efficiency + Marketability
You may already know we have the brains of a national research university and the heart of a small college. But we also offer the savvy of a technical college with the breadth and employment advantages of a broad-based university education.

The Capstone Option at SIU Carbondale puts you in the fast lane to a bachelor’s degree in a Capstone approved major if you already hold an Associate in Applied Science (AAS) degree, Associate Degree in Nursing (ADN), or Associate in Engineering Science (AES) degree, or equivalent certification. How? We’ll abbreviate your University Core Curriculum requirements. Instead of the 39-credit-hour requirement for most students, Capstone students have a 30-credit-hour requirement.

Completing a Bachelor’s Degree through Capstone
Capstone students satisfy the following minimum University Core Curriculum (UCC) requirements through appropriate transfer credit or coursework at SIU Carbondale. Here’s how it breaks down:

University Core Curriculum ........................................... Total 30 hours
English Composition ..................................................... 3
   ENGL 101, 102 or 120H with a grade of C or better
Mathematics ................................................................. 3
   MATH 101 or higher, except 120 and 300I
Communication Studies ................................................. 3
   CMST 101
Science ............................................................................. 6
   Physical Science w/Lab ............................................... 3
   Life Science w/Lab ..................................................... 3
Social Science ................................................................... 6
   Select two courses from different disciplines
Humanities ..................................................................... 3
Fine Arts ........................................................................... 3
Multicultural ..................................................................... 3

A minimum of 120 semester hours, including coursework earned at SIU Carbondale and elsewhere, is required for a bachelor’s degree. Students must also meet university requirements for residency, credit hours and minimum grade point average, and must complete all program requirements as specified by the degree-granting unit. A minimum of 42 hours of 300- to 400-level coursework must be completed at a four-year institution as part of the total semester hours needed for the bachelor’s degree.

You can find more information about transfer credit applicable to the UCC requirements at articulation.siu.edu. This information, along with all other policies regarding bachelor’s degree completion, is also available in the SIU Carbondale Undergraduate Catalog.

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