Transfer Guide

Lee College & UHD
Bachelor of Arts in Social Sciences
2012-2013

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Oral Communication (3 hours) 011

Select one of the following:

- SPCH 1311 Introduction to Speech Communication
- SPCH 1315 Principles of Public Speaking
- SPCH 1318 Interpersonal Communication
- SPCH 1321 Business & Professional Communication*

Any course taken to complete this core component not listed above will satisfy the requirement at UHD.

For a complete list of all fully transferable Lee College Communication courses and options check the 2012-2013 Catalog.

Mathematics (3 hours) 020

- MATH 1314 College Algebra or
- MATH 1332 Contemporary Mathematics I or
- any math which has college algebra as a prerequisite

Natural Science (8 hours) 030

Two lecture/laboratory courses from

- BIOL, CHEM, GEOL, ENVIR, or PHYS
  (Note: Lecture must include lab hours or have a co-requisite of 1-2 hours labs)

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Humanities (3 hours) 040

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For a complete list of all fully transferable LC Humanities core course options check the 2012-2013 Catalog.

NOTE: Students should consider taking a sophomore literature class to meet future prerequisites.

Visual and Performing Arts (3 hours) 050
Select one of the following:
ARCH, ARTS, DRAM or MUSI

American History (6 hours) 060
HIST 1301 History of the U.S. to 1877
HIST 1302 History of the U.S. Since 1877
HIST 2301 History of Texas
(Select 6 hours with 3 hours from U.S. History)

Government (6 hours) 070
GOVT 2301 American Government I
GOVT 2302 American Government II

Social/Behavioral Science (3 hours) 080
Select one of the following:
GEOG 1303 World Regional Geography
PSYC 2301 Introduction to Psychology
SOCI 1301 Introductory Sociology
Any course taken to complete this core component not listed above will satisfy the requirement at UHD.
For a complete list of all fully transferable Lee College Social/Behavioral courses and options check the 2012-2013 catalog.

Computer Literacy (3 hours)
BCIS 1405 Business Computer Applications

Kinesiology (1 hour) 090
Any One hour KINE course
For a complete list of all fully transferable Lee College KINE course options check the 2012-2013 Lee College Catalog.

A transfer student who has successfully completed all of the common core requirements at Lee College or another institution of higher education will satisfy all the UHD common core requirements. If not all of the common core requirements have been completed prior to the transfer, each core course transferred will be credited and will satisfy the corresponding common core requirements at UHD. Remaining UHD Common Core requirements must be satisfied. All prerequisites for UHD courses must be met.

Courses not listed on this sheet that satisfy core curriculum components (see italicized number) satisfy the equivalent component at the transferring institution or as free elective.
Additional Basic Requirements (27 - 29 hours)
SOC 1301 Introductory Sociology (if not taken in the core) or
PSYC 2301 Introduction to Psychology (if not taken in the core)

Literature (3 hours)

Foreign language (At least 11 hours of a single foreign language through 2311 or 2313 and 3 hours of either 2312/2315 or a course focusing on a specific culture). For students placing out of any foreign language courses by placement, hours must be made up in elective credit.

Upper-Level Requirements (36 hours)
ENG 3302 Business and Technical Report Writing or another upper-level ENG course with "writing" in the title
PHIL 3301 Moral Issues or another course to fulfill the ethics requirement
SOS 4380 Field Experience in the Social Sciences (recommended) or
SOS 4301 Special Projects in the Social Sciences

Eighteen upper-level hours in social sciences from the following disciplines: History, Political Science, Psychology, Sociology

* At least three courses (9 hours) must be taken in each of two separate disciplines.
* No more than 18 upper-level hours in a single discipline may be applied to the major.

Nine upper-level hours in social sciences or related disciplines (history, political science, psychology, sociology, anthropology, social sciences)

Electives (15 hours)
the from any department at any level, developmental courses do not apply to graduation requirements. No more than 25% of hours presented for graduation may be credits in business. Electives are an important part of the degree program and should be selected in consultation with an academic advisor.

Total a minimum of 120-122 hours (depending on foreign language placement)

At least 25% of the semester credit hours must be earned through instruction offered by UHD. The last 30 of the total hours and 18 of the upper-level hours toward the degree must be successfully completed in residence at UHD. An overall minimum grade point average of 2.0 at UHD is required for graduation, and a minimum grade point average of 2.0 must be maintained in
the upper-level requirements in the major.

Courses taken at LC do not transfer as Upper-Level credits.

Check with your academic advisor about how requirements from the Associate of Arts and Associate of Science may be applied and whether requirements from the Associate in Applied Science may apply.

For a complete statement of Academic Requirements of the College of Humanities and Social Sciences visit the CHSS Academic Advising Center located in room 1001 South, call 713-221-8460, or visit the web site at:
http://www.uhd.edu/academic/colleges/humanities/college/academic_programs.htm

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