# Transfer Guide

**Lee College & UHD**

**Bachelor of Science in Interdisciplinary Studies**

**2012-2013**

Students pursuing a Bachelor of Science degree in Interdisciplinary Studies at the University of Houston-Downtown are strongly encouraged to complete an Associate degree before transferring to UHD. The Associate degree provides a solid foundation through the traditional liberal arts education, and Associate degree core curriculum courses taken at Lee College will transfer to UHD. Studies indicate students who complete an Associate degree are more likely to successfully complete a Bachelor's degree.

Graduates are qualified to undertake a variety of employment or community service opportunities and challenges. By careful selection of courses with the help of a college advisor, students who complete the degree can prepare themselves for graduate or professional Programs or for a post-baccalaureate teacher certification.

## General Education Core Curriculum

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*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.

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- COMM 1304 Introduction to Speech Communication
- COMM 1306 Beginning Public Speaking
- COMM 2309 Interpersonal Communication
- COMM 3306 Business & Professional Speech Comm

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Humanities (3 hours) 040
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.

Preparatory Requirements (18 hours)

- Literature (3 hours) (An additional 3 hours beyond the core, also if about people other than American will meet the World Community requirement.)
- Arts and Humanities (6 hours) (ARTS, SPCH, DRAM, ENGL, FREN, HIST, MUSI, PHIL, SPAN) (Introduction to Philosophy (PHIL 1301) will meet the ethics requirement.)
- Social Sciences (6 hours) (ANTH, CRIJ, ECON, GEOG, HIST, GOVT, PSYC, SOCI)
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- Social Sciences (6 hours) (ANTH, CJ, ECO, GEOG, HIST, POLS, PSY, SOC, SOCW, SOS)
- Mathematics, a Natural Science, or Computer Science (3 hours)

Upper-Level Requirements at UHD (27 hours)

At least 27 hours of upper-level work in the arts and sciences offered by UHD's department of Arts and Humanities, English, Social Sciences, Natural Sciences, and Computer and Mathematical Sciences. No more than 6 upper-level hours from the College of Business may apply. Six hours of credit in writing intensive courses are required. A 3- or 6-hour internship or field experience is recommended in the upper-level requirements. All BS-ISS majors are required to successfully complete the ISS 4098 Portfolio in order to graduate.

Upper-Level Supplemental Concentration at UHD (9 hours)

In order to give a focus to the degree, students must also declare a supplemental area of concentration of at least 9 upper-level hours in one discipline or area of study. Although a minor is not required, students are strongly encouraged to complete one or more, using the concentration as a basis.

Electives (24 hours)

These courses can be from any department at any level, developmental courses do not apply to graduation requirements. No more than 3 hours of physical activity related 1-hour classes (physical education or sports) may be used in the degree plan.

Total Hours Required (120 hours)

Note: In the above course work, students must choose two courses that satisfy the enhancement course requirements: 1) A course that gives significant emphasis to ethical and moral issues and 2) a course that engenders in students a greater appreciation of their membership in a world community marked by vast diversities of every type.

Thirty-six hours must be upper-level courses within the arts and sciences. No more than 18 of those 36 upper-level hours applied to the major can be in the same discipline, and no more than 27 hours at any level can be in the same discipline, excluding courses used to satisfy the common core requirements. For degree completion, at least 27 percent of the though semester credit hours must be earned through instruction completed in residence at UHD. No more than 25 percent of the credit hours from business can be applied toward graduation.

Courses taken at HCC 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 be site at:

http://www.uhd.edu/academic/colleges/humanities/college/academic_programs.htm

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