

Transfer Degree Map: LSC Associate of Arts to University of Houston-Downtown Bachelor of Science in Political Science

4 – Year Suggested Academic Plan for Transfer

First Year - Freshman

Fall Semester				Spring Semester			
LSC	UHD	Course Name	Hrs	LSC	UHD	Course Name	Hrs
EDUC 1300 (1)	Seminar	Learning Frameworks: 1 st Year Exp.	3	ENGL 1302	ENG 1302	Composition & Rhetoric II	3
ENGL 1301	ENG 1301	Composition & Rhetoric I	3	GOVT 2306	POLS 2306	Texas Government	3
HIST 1301	HIST 1305	US History to 1877	3	HIST 1302	HIST 1306	US History since 1877	3
Creative Arts	(Core 050)	Choose from LSC Core Curriculum	3	MATH Elective	(Core 020)	Choose from LSC core curriculum	3
GOVT 2305	POLS 2305	Federal Government	3	PSYC 2301	PSY 1303	General Psychology	3
Total			15	Total			15

Summer Session

SPCH 1311	COMM 1304	Introduction to Speech Communication	3				
Total			3	Total			

Second Year – Sophomore

Fall Semester				Spring Semester			
LSC	UHD	Course Name	Hrs	LSC	UHD	Course Name	Hrs
ENGL 23XX	(Core 040)	Choose Literature from Language, Phil. & Culture Core Curriculum	3	Life & Physical Science	(Core 030)	Choose from LSC Core Curriculum	4
Life & Physical Science	(Core 030)	Choose from LSC Core Curriculum	4	PHED 1164	(Core 090)	Intro to Physical Fitness & Wellness	1
PHIL 1301, 2306, or 2316	PHIL XXXX	Intro. to Philosophy, Intro. to Ethics, or Classical Philosophy	3	Elective	XXXX	Minor or Free Elective (see advisor)	3
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Total			16	Total			14

Third Year - Junior

Fall Semester				Spring Semester			
	SOS 2304	Research Methods in Social Sciences	3		SOS 3312	Statistics in the Social Sciences	3
	Political Theory/ Pre-Law	Refer to catalog and consult with advisor for approved options	3		International Politics	Refer to catalog and consult with advisor for approved options	3
	U.S. Politics	Refer to catalog and consult with advisor for approved options	3		POLS U/L (3000-4000)	Political Science elective-upper level	3
	POLS U/L	Political Science elective (3000-4000)	3		CHSS Elective	Select upper level course (3000-4000) from any CHSS Discipline	3
	Elective	Minor or Free Elective-see advisor	3		Elective	Minor or Free Elective-see advisor	3
Total			15	Total			15

Fourth Year – Senior

Fall Semester				Spring Semester			
LSC	UHD	Course Name	Hrs	LSC	UHD	Course Name	Hrs
	POLS U/L	Political Science elective (3000-4000)	3		POLS 4399	Political Science Capstone Seminar	3
	POLS U/L	Political Science elective (3000-4000)	3		SOS 4301 or SOS 4380	Special Projects in Social Science or Field Experience in Social Science	3
	CHSS Elective	Select upper level course (3000-4000) from any CHSS Discipline	3		CHSS Elective	Select upper level course (3000-4000) from any CHSS Discipline	3
	Elective	Minor or Free Elective-see advisor	3		Elective	Minor or Free Elective-see advisor	3
	Elective	Minor or Free Elective-see advisor	3		Elective	Minor or Free Elective-see advisor	3
Total			15	Total			15

Notes/Comments:

(1) EDUC 1300 is required for First Time in College (FTIC) students only. If not FTIC, take SPCH 1311. FTIC students must also complete SPCH 1311.

*Based on UHD & LSC Catalog year of 2018-2019 Note: There may be some minor changes in courses due to recently approved course updates.

Articulation Agreement Information – Standard and Program to Program (P2P)

Transfer of Credit & Student Benefits

- Credits from LSC that are transferrable to UHD degree programs may be specified in any program-to-program articulation agreement.
- Reverse transfer
- LSC students will be allowed access to academic advising services at UHD
- LSC Honors students admitted to UHD will receive:
 - Acceptance to UHD Honors Program with a minimum GPA (GPA varies by the College in which the program resides)
 - UHD will accept a minimum of 12 hours of transfer Honors credit; eligible for merit and need-based aid commensurate with qualifications

Optional Partnership

- [Joint Admission](#) provides students the opportunity to maximize utilization of facilities and programs offered jointly by LSC and UHD:
 - Student ID at LSC and UHD
 - Student computer/internet account, access to computer labs and access to libraries at LSC and UHD
 - Student access to sporting events at UHD
 - Free electronic transfer transcript transmission/evaluation
 - Application fees will be waived for LSC students who apply to UHD within 6 months of earning an Associate's degree.
- Cooperative Advising allows students to access advisors at both institutions for students who are:
 - Admitted (either through regular or joint admissions) at UHD
 - All LSC students with an expressed interest in transferring to UHD
 - Advising for all degree programs at UHD
- Employee discount provides LSC employees an opportunity to apply discounts or waive fees at UHD:
 - Application fee will be waived for LSC employees
 - Recognize the eligibility of LSC employees to apply for scholarship programs.

Standard Agreement & P2P Agreement

(Associate of Arts to
Bachelor of Science in Political Science)

Program Admission Requirements

- Student must have a cumulative 2.0 GPA.
- UHD will accept credit from coursework awarded "D" or above.

Program Specific Requirements

- Bachelor of Science in Sociology requires a minimum of 120 semester credit hours (sch).