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AMERICAN SIGN LANGUAGE
ASL& 121

X

POLS& 202

PLSC 200 (SS)

ART
ART& 100

ART X (H)

PSYCHOLOGY
PSYC& 100
PSYC& 200

PSYC 120 (SS)
PSYC 322 (NOT UPPER
DIVISION) (SS)

BIOLOGY
BIOL 100
BIOL& 160
BIOL& 241 and 242

BIOL X
BIOL 101 (NS)
BIOL 200 AND 210 (DOES
NOT APPLY TO BS BIOL
MAJOR) (NS)
BIOL 220 (DOES NOT APPLY
TO BS BIOLOGY MAJOR)
(NS)

PHYSICS
PHYS& 121, 122, 123

PHYS 105, 106, 107
No credit for these courses for
Engineering, Physics, BS
Chemistry, or BS in Computer
Science General Option or
Math specialization majors.
(NS)

BIOL& 260

CHEMISTRY
CHEM& 140

CHEM X (NS)

SOCIOLOGY
SOC& 101

SOCL 120 (SS)

COMMUNICATIONS
CMST& 101

X (H)

SPANISH – to continue series see department for placement.
Completion of 3rd quarter satisfies College of Arts and
Sciences modern language requirement or international
business supplemental activity option.
SPAN& 121, 122, 123

SPAN 115, 125, 135

ECONOMICS
ECON& 201
ECON& 202

ECON 272 (SS)
ECON 271 (SS)

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ENGLISH
ENGL& 101 or 102
ENGL& 111
ENGL 210
ENGL& 235

ENGL 110 (W)
ENGL X (H)
ENGL X (H)
ENGL 212

GEOLOGY
GEOL& 101

ISSC 120 (NS)

HISTORY
HIST 110
HIST& 136 or 137

HIST 231 (H)
HIST 231 (H)

MATH
MATH& 107
MATH 110
MATH& 141
MATH& 142
MATH& 146

MATH 107 (M)
MATH 110
MATH 120 (M)
MATH 121 (M)
CRJS 301, ECON 260,
NURS 350
MATH 130 (M)
MATH 134 (M)

MATH& 148
MATH& 151

MUSIC
MUSC& 105

MUSC X (H)

NUTRITION
NUTR& 101

SPEX 312 (NOT UPPER
DIVISION)

POLITICAL SCIENCE
POLS 150

PLSC X (SS)

The Washington State Community and Technical Colleges use a common course numbering system. Courses that have been determined as equivalent among the college, are identified by having an ampersand in the subject code, e.g.: ENGL& 101.

Transfer guides are updated throughout the year as necessary. See <https://seattleu.edu/registrar> and click on transfer guide link for most current information.

(H), (SS) For Registrar's Office Use

Seattle University Policies Regarding Transfer of Credit

To fill university core requirements, your transfer course must carry at least **4** quarter credits. When a professional school requires specific courses within the core (e.g. calculus for business majors), students will be obliged to meet these requirements even if transferring with a transferrable associate's degree.

All **independent study, internship, special topics, practicum, and travel** courses are transferable only upon the approval of the student's major department following presentation of a course syllabus.

Core Curriculum – Seattle University's general education plan

Seattle University's new Core Curriculum goes into effect summer, 2013. Beginning summer 2013, all new and continuing students are required to complete the revised Core.

Module I, 6 courses:

- UCOR 1100 Academic Writing Seminar (W)
- UCOR 1200 Mathematics and Quantitative Reasoning (M)
- UCOR 1300 Creative Expression and Interpretation (CE)
- UCOR 1400 Inquiry Seminar in the Humanities (H)
- UCOR 1600 Inquiry Seminar in the Social Sciences (SS)
- UCOR 1800 Inquiry Seminar in the Natural Sciences (NS)

Students may satisfy the Core **Module I** Academic Writing Seminar requirement with a course designated by (W) in the transfer guides; the Mathematics and Quantitative Reasoning requirement with a course designated by (M) in the transfer guides; and the Creative Expression and Interpretation requirement with a course designated by (CE) in the transfer guides.

Students who transfer to Seattle University with 36 or more transferable credits will be able to use a broad range of previous credits to satisfy the **Module I** humanities, natural science, and social science requirements.

- Inquiry in Humanities may be satisfied by an acceptable course from: communications, journalism (no writing), speech; literature (no English composition); fine arts, art, drama, music (no skill/performance); history; humanities; philosophy; religion/theology. These courses are designated by (H) in the transfer guides.
- Inquiry in Social Science may be satisfied by an acceptable course from: anthropology; administration of justice/criminal justice; economics; geography; government/political science; psychology; sociology. These courses are designated by (SS) in the transfer guides.
- Inquiry in Natural Science may be satisfied by an acceptable course in a natural science with a lab including astronomy, biology, chemistry, geology, general science, or physics. These courses are designated by (NS) in the transfer guides.

Module III, 3 courses:

- UCOR 3100 Religion in a Global Context (R)
- Global Challenges, ordinarily two are required, to be determined upon admission based on each student's major:
 - UCOR 3400 Humanities and Global Challenges (H)
 - UCOR 3600 Social Sciences and Global Challenges (SS)
 - UCOR 3800 Natural Sciences and Global Challenges (NS)

With 90 transfer credits the **Module III** requirement Religion in a Global Context is waived. Students with less than 90 transfer credits may satisfy this requirement by completing an equivalent course designated by (R) in the transfer guides. Ordinarily, two Global Challenges courses must be completed at SU. Students with a transferrable associate's degree are waived from one Global Challenges course. Students with 90 acceptable credits but no transferrable associate's degree may satisfy one Global Challenges course in transfer, determined upon admission and based on each student's major. This course must be in a different discipline than the course used to satisfy a Module I Inquiry requirement.

Modules II and IV must be completed at SU.

- **Modules II, 3 courses:**
 - UCOR 2100 Theological Explorations
 - UCOR 2500 Philosophy of the Human Person
 - UCOR 2900 Ethical Reasoning
- **Module IV, 1 course:**
 - Senior Synthesis/Departmental Capstone

A transfer course cannot satisfy more than one Core requirement.

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90 Credit Limit

Credits are transferred in chronological order, earliest courses first. Once you have accumulated a total of 90 credits from all schools, including Seattle University, additional community college credits may not be transferred. Courses taken at a community college beyond the 90 limit, if applicable to the SU degree, will not have to be repeated and can fill content requirements, but credits do not transfer and such courses will not reduce the minimum additional 90 required for your SU degree.

Grade Requirements for Course Transfer

Courses in transfer must be graded "C" (2.0 on the decimal system) or better if they are to apply to major requirements in the Albers School of Business and Economics, the College of Nursing, the College of Science and Engineering and to specifically required courses in the psychology, communication studies, and journalism/strategic communications majors in the College of Arts and Sciences.

The minimum acceptable grade for a transferring course is C-, or 1.5 on the decimal system. This does not alter the statement above regarding a higher minimum for major requirements in many programs.

Courses to be used toward the major or to fill university core or college requirements should not be taken by correspondence or on the pass/fail or credit/no credit basis.

Second Language Requirement

The university does not have a second language admission requirement. However, all students with a major in the College of Arts and Sciences have a second language requirement for graduation: one college year of a single foreign language or proficiency to that level as shown by departmental testing. International students who were required to submit TOEFL scores at the time of admission are assumed to have completed this language requirement. Since summer 2000, 15 credits of American Sign Language will satisfy this college requirement.

New Programs at Seattle University

New majors in cell and molecular biology and marine and conservation biology are available through the College of Science and Engineering beginning summer 2012. A major in digital design is available through the College of Arts and Sciences also beginning summer 2012.

Use of this Guide

This transfer guide lists courses in Washington community colleges which are judged parallel, though not necessarily equivalent, to courses taught at Seattle University. Also included are those courses which have no parallel at S.U., but which will be accepted as elective credit or under the specific conditions indicated. The "X" designation is used for elective credit throughout this guide. Where applicable, a course may be designated as a departmental elective, e.g. BIOL X, SOCL X, or ART X. In general, technical, vocational, remedial or any courses numbered below 100 do not transfer. In this guide only courses which will transfer are listed; courses not listed should be presumed non-transferable to SU. Courses listed on the transfer guide are parallel in terms of content only; 100- and 200-level community college courses cannot transfer as upper-division courses.

This guide is designed to be used with the current version of Seattle University's Online Catalog, available at <http://seattleu.edu/registrar>, which describes courses and lists academic regulations on acceptance of transfer credit. The guide is also designed to be used with the community college catalog that bears the date listed at the column head. A college catalog does not always provide sufficient or reliable information concerning the scope of particular course offerings; therefore, this transfer guide, which uses the catalog as a primary source, should not be viewed as the only authority on course transferability.

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