

TRANSFER ARTICULATION AGREEMENT

Sinclair Community College
Associate of Arts, Communication Studies
to
University of Cincinnati, College of Arts & Sciences
Bachelor of Arts, Communication



Originating Institution: Sinclair Community College
Degree/Program: Associate of Arts (AA) / Communication Studies

Target Institution: University of Cincinnati / College of Arts & Sciences (A&S)
Degree/Program: Bachelor of Arts (BA) / Communication

Introduction: This agreement details the applicability of courses from the Sinclair Community College AA Communication Studies to the BA Communication program in the College of Arts & Sciences. Students who complete the AA Communication Studies at Sinclair Community College have satisfied the UC General Education requirement, except foreign language.

Articulation Overview: Graduates from Sinclair Community College who have followed the prescribed program and are accepted into the College of Arts & Sciences will enter the third year of BA Communication program.

Admission Criteria: *Note: completing the courses on the appendices below does not guarantee admission to the UC BA Communication program.

Minimum GPA: 2.0

BA Completion: Completion of this program may require more than four semesters to complete due to prerequisite requirements and the order in which required courses must be taken and are offered. UC academic advising staff will work with each transfer student to develop the most expedient pathway to graduation.

Admission Period: Sinclair Community College students must be admitted to the UC College of Arts & Sciences during the duration of this agreement (i.e. between March 2023 and July 2026).

Agreement Execution Date: March 2023

Agreement End Date: July 2026

EXECUTION, DURATION AND REVIEW OF AGREEMENT:

This agreement becomes effective upon its signing by both Colleges and will remain effective for three years. At the end of this time, the agreement will be reviewed and may be renegotiated. Sinclair Community College and the UC College of Arts & Sciences agree to keep one another informed as program changes affecting the agreement occur. Both Colleges will agree upon any future additions and/or amendments to this document in writing.

This agreement will be reviewed on an annual basis and is subject to change due to revisions in program curriculum.

Sinclair Community College students are encouraged to work closely with their academic advisor to monitor possible changes.

SEE ATTACHED APPENDICES FOR COURSE EQUIVALENCIES AND SAMPLE TRANSFER DEGREE MAPS.

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signed via DocuSign on 5/16/2023

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Transfer Degree Map

FROM

Sinclair Community College
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Communication Studies**

TO

University of Cincinnati
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This agreement is valid from **March 2023** to **July 2026**

Admissions & Deadlines

Transfer Admissions Information: admissions.uc.edu/information/transfer

Admission Criteria:

- Completion of the courses on this worksheet does not guarantee admission to the UC program.
- Students who complete the AA Communication Studies at Sinclair Community College have satisfied the UC General Education requirement, except foreign language.
- Students must be admitted to the UC College of Arts & Sciences during the duration of this agreement.
- Minimum GPA: 2.0

Tuition & Scholarships

General Tuition & Fees: uc.edu/bursar/fees

Scholarships for transfer students: financialaid.uc.edu/sfao/scholars/transfer

Contact Information

UC admissions questions:

Undergraduate Admissions

Web: admissions.uc.edu

Email: transfer@uc.edu

Pre-transfer and transition advising at UC:

Transfer & Transition Advising Center

Web: uc.edu/transferadvising

Email: transfer@uc.edu

Details of this agreement or equivalencies:

Andrew Shrigley, Sr Transfer & Articulation Specialist,
College Credit Services, credeval@uc.edu

More Information

BA Communication majors in the College of Arts & Sciences:

<https://www.artsci.uc.edu/departments/scfms.html>

Experience Based Learning (Internships & Cooperative Education):

<https://www.uc.edu/experience-based-learning.html>

General information about the University of Cincinnati: uc.edu

Curriculum Equivalencies

The following suggested course sequence includes all course requirements for this articulation agreement (e.g. courses required for the Sinclair Community College AA Communication Studies and remaining UC courses for the BA Communication). You should consult with an academic advisor each semester to ensure you maintain appropriate degree progress and are fulfilling all requirements for the agreement.

Course sequencing below assumes a fall start date. If starting the program during any other term, please consult with your academic advisor. For details beyond course planning, please consult with your academic advisor or the Transfer & Transition Advising Center.

SEMESTER 1 (Fall)					
Sinclair Community College			University of Cincinnati		
Course ID	Course Title	Cr Hr	Course ID	Course Title	Cr Hr
COM 2201	Introduction to Mass Communication	3	COMM 2026	Intro to Mass Communication	3
ENG 1101	English Composition I	3	ENGL 1001	English Composition	3
COM 2206	Interpersonal Communication	3	COMM 1076	Intro to Interpersonal Communication	3
OT36	Any OT36 Mathematics Course except MAT 1510 or 1520	3	BoK: QR	<i>MATH or STAT Quantitative Reasoning Elective</i>	3
BIS 1120	Introduction to Software Applications	3	IT 1001C	Computer Apps (Free Elective)	3
SCC 1101	First Year Experience	1	FYE 1000BLOCK	First Year Exp. 1000 Level Credit (Free Elective)	1

SEMESTER 2 (Spring)					
Sinclair Community College			University of Cincinnati		
Course ID	Course Title	Cr Hr	Course ID	Course Title	Cr Hr
COM 2225	Small Group Communication	3	COMM 2021	Problem Solving Group Communication	3
ENG 1201	English Composition II	3	ENGL 2089	Intermediate Composition	3
COM 2211	Effective Public Speaking	3	COMM 1071	Intro Public Speech	3
XXX XXXX	Any Catalog Course Elective	3	XXX XXXX	<i>Free Elective</i>	3
OT36	Any Social/Behavioral Science Elective 1 Except HIS 2119, PSY 2228	3	BoK: SS	<i>Social Sciences Elective</i>	3

SEMESTER 3 (Fall)

Sinclair Community College			University of Cincinnati		
Course ID	Course Title	Cr Hr	Course ID	Course Title	Cr Hr
Communication/Journalism Elective 1 (Choose One)					
COM 2230 or COM 2235 or COM 2270 or COM 2285 or COM 2286 or COM 2287	Nonverbal Communication Principles of Interviewing Communication Internship Organizational Communication Public Relations Principles Effective Listening	3	COMM 3048 or COMM 2088 or COMM BLOCK or COMM 3008 or COMM 2042 or COMM BLOCK	Nonverbal Communication or Interview Comm Career or COMM 2000 Level Credit or Intro to Organizational Comm. or Intro to Public Relations or COMM 3000 Level Credit	3
or JOU 2101*	Intro to Journalism		or JOUR 1030	or American Journalism	
*Recommended only if pursuing Journalism Certificate at UC					
COM 2220	Introduction to Communication Theory	3	COMM 3007	Intro to Communication Theory	3
OT36	Any Natural/Physical Science Elective 1 Except BIO 2235, CHE 2111/2121	3	BoK: NS	<i>Natural Sciences Elective</i>	3
HIS 1101 or HIS 1102 or HIS 1111 or HIS 1112 or HIS 2218	United States History I or United States History II or Western Civilization I or Western Civilization II or History of Ohio	3	HIST 1001 or HIST 1002 or HIST 1003 or HIST 1004 or HIST 3089	U.S. History I or U.S. History II or World History I or World History II or History of Ohio	3
<i>(OT36 Any Elective 1)</i>			<i>(BoK: HP HIST Course)</i>		
PLS 1120 or PLS 1232	American Federal Government or State & Local Government <i>(OT36 Social/Behavioral Science 2)</i>	3	POL 1010 or POL 2016	Intro to American Politics [HP] or State & Local Government [HP] <i>(Historical Perspectives Elective)</i>	3

SEMESTER 4 (Spring)

Sinclair Community College			University of Cincinnati		
Course ID	Course Title	Cr Hr	Course ID	Course Title	Cr Hr
Communication/Journalism Elective 2					
COM 2245 or JOU 2203*	Intercultural Communication or Reporting & Writing for Media	3	COMM 3049 or JOUR 2010C	Intercultural Communication or Reporting & Writing	3
*Recommended only if pursuing Journalism Certificate at UC					
OT36	Any Natural/Physical Science Elective 2 Except BIO 2235, CHE 2111/2121	3	BoK: NS	<i>Natural Sciences Elective</i>	3
OT36	Any OT36 Mathematics Course except MAT 1510 or 1520 <i>(OT36 Any Course #2)</i>	3	BoK: QR	<i>Quantitative Reasoning Elective</i>	3

OT36	Any Arts & Humanities Elective 1 Except HIS courses	3	BoK: FA, HU	Fine Arts or Humanities Elective	3
OT36	Any Arts & Humanities Elective 2 Except ART, HIS, DAN, MUS, THE courses	3	BoK: HU	Humanities Elective	3
COM 2278	Communication Capstone	1	COMM 2000BLOCK	Communication 2000 Level Credit (Free Elective)	1

***Note:** If pursuing Journalism Certificate at UC as part of the BA COMM requirement, both JOU courses will count as a Minor/Certificate course. Both COM courses will satisfy BA COMM major requirements.

Credits Required for AA Communication Studies:	62	Total credits applied to BA Communication:	62
		Credits remaining for BA Communication:	58
		Total credits required for BA Communication:	120

Remaining Coursework at University of Cincinnati

The suggested course sequence below includes all remaining courses required for the BA Communication. Students may also choose to complete internships or cooperative education opportunities that are available. Course sequencing below assumes a fall start date. If starting the program during any other term, please consult with your academic adviser. For details beyond course planning, please consult with your academic adviser or the Transfer & Transition Advising Center.

SEMESTER 5 (Fall)		
Course ID	Course Title	Cr Hr
COMM 3006	Introduction to Rhetorical Theory	3
COMM 30XX	Communication Research Methods Elective Course	3
XXXX or PD 2070	Free Elective or Professionalism and Purpose (required if doing co-op/internship)	3
XXXX	Foreign Language 1	3-5
COMM 2049 or COMM 3049 or COMM 3077 or COMM 4006 or COMM 4013 or COMM 4048 or COMM 4050 or COMM 5006	Communication Diversity & Inclusion Requirement Course (Fulfills DEI Requirement and COMM 2000 Level or Higher Elective) *Required only if COM 2245 was not completed at Sinclair	3
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SEMESTER 6 (Spring)		
Course ID	Course Title	Cr Hr
COMM 4XXX+	Advanced Communication Elective Course at the 4000 Level or Above	3

XXXX	Foreign Language 2	3-5
XXXX	Minor/Certificate Course	3
XXXX	Minor/Certificate Course	3
XXXX	Free Elective or Minor/Certificate Course	3

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SEMESTER 7 (Fall)

Course ID	Course Title	Cr Hr
COMM 4XXX+	Advanced Communication Elective Course at the 4000 Level or Above	3
	Foreign Language (<i>required if taking 12 credit sequence</i>) or Free Elective (<i>if needed</i>)	3
XXXX	Minor/Certificate Course	3
XXXX	Minor/Certificate Course	3
XXXX	Minor/Certificate Course	3

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SEMESTER 8 (Spring)

Course ID	Course Title	Cr Hr
COMM 5XXX	Communication Capstone Course	3
COMM 4XXX+	Advanced Communication Elective Course at the 4000 Level or Above	3
XXXX	Minor/Certificate Course	3
XXXX	Free Elective or Experiential Learning (<i>required if not doing co-op/internship</i>)	3
	Foreign Language (<i>required if taking 12 credit sequence</i>)	3
XXXX	Free Elective (<i>if needed</i>)	1-3

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