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Associate in Arts in Communication Studies (AA-T)

Associate Degree for Transfer™
Associate Degrees for Transfer
California Community Colleges are now offering associate degrees for transfer to the CSU. These may include Associate in Arts (AA-T) OR Associate in Science (AS-T) degrees. These degrees are designed to provide a clear pathway to a CSU major and baccalaureate degree. California Community College students who are awarded an AA-T or AS-T degree are guaranteed admission with junior standing somewhere in the CSU system and given priority admission consideration to their local CSU campus or to a program that is deemed similar to their community college major. This priority does not guarantee admission to specific majors or campuses.

Students who have been awarded an AA-T or AS-T are able to complete their remaining requirements for the 120-unit baccalaureate degree within 60 semester or 90 quarter units.

To view the most current list of LAHC Associate Degrees for Transfer and to find out which CSU campuses accept each degree, please go to http://www.c-id.net. Current and prospective community college students are encouraged to meet with a counselor to review their options for transfer and to develop an educational plan that best meets their goals and needs.

AA-T in Communication Studies for Transfer

The Associate in Arts degree in Communication Studies for Transfer is designed for students who plan to transfer to the CSU system. The AAT degree consists of a core general education component, 18 units in the major, and additional elective units as needed to reach a minimum of 60 transferable units overall; a minimum cumulative 2.0 grade point average is required. Note: Students must earn a “C” or better in all courses required for the major. A “P” (Pass) grade is not an acceptable grade for courses in the major.

Choose either option for the General Education Core:

- CSU G.E. Breadth (39-41 units) – Including Golden Four (A3-critical thinking, A1-communication, A2-English composition, and B4-quantitative reasoning with a minimum grade of “C”).
- IGETC (34-41 units) must earn a “C” grade or higher in all courses required for the major.

All students are strongly advised to meet with a counselor for academic planning. Students who plan to transfer will need to consult a counselor and the Transfer Center for specific information regarding preparation for the intended major at the colleges/universities of choice, in order to facilitate a seamless transition.

Courses required for the major (18 units)
Major Code: 050500

Required Core (3 units):
- *COMM 101 Oral Communication

LIST A (6 Units):
- *COMM 104 Argumentation
- *COMM 121 The Process of Interpersonal Communication
- *COMM 151 Small Group Communication

LIST B (6 Units):
Select any combination of two (2) courses from the following and/or any course from List A not already used

- COMM 122 Communication Across Cultures
- COMM 190 Communication and New Media

LIST C (3 Units):
Any one (1) course from List A or List B not already used

Total Minimum Units for AS-T Major = 18
Total units that may be double counted=6-12

*Advising sheet subject to change pending LAHC 2015-2017 Catalog.

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