Information Technology Transfer Guide

Credit Evaluation Guide of ACE Credit Recommendations for Information Technology Certifications

The University of Arizona Global Campus (UAGC) recognizes the uniqueness of each student's experience and realizes learning takes place in a variety of environments. The American Council on Education (ACE) provides a means for recommending credit for exams, courses, trainings, and/or experience acquired outside of a traditional university classroom setting.

Exams, courses, trainings, and/or experience that carry ACE recommended credit have been evaluated for transfer applicability at UAGC.

Students may pursue their academic and professional goals through a variety of degree programs at UAGC. For additional information on UAGC degree programs, please visit our website.

Students are responsible for requesting their transcripts.

To have your information technology certifications reviewed for credit, please request your official Credly transcript be sent to UAGC.

Transfer Provisions

Students must complete 120 credits to obtain a bachelor's degree. A maximum of 90 combined non-traditional learning, UAGC prior learning, and transfer credits may be accepted and applied toward the 120-credit requirement. Within the 90-credit maximum, a maximum of 75 credits of non-traditional credit, including UAGC prior learning, may be applied toward degree completion (depending on student's state of residence). For state specific information, please refer to the Undergraduate General Transfer Credit Provisions and Limitations in the UAGC catalog.

Official transfer credit evaluation takes place once a student is enrolled at UAGC, and all official transcripts have been received.

For additional information on the University of Arizona Global Campus transfer options, please visit: https://www.uagc.edu/admissions/transferring.

Additional Information

- All recommendations on this transfer guide show the current course equivalency at the time the guide was developed. Students should confirm any ACE or NCCRS recommendation is still active. Previous versions of each offering may transfer differently based on the content at the time it was completed.
- Credit will only be considered if the student successfully passes the exam, course, training, and/or experience with the ACE or NCCRS recommended passing score.
- Exams, courses, trainings, and/or experience that meet more than one General Education requirement can only be applied to one General Education requirement, unless the recommendation is for additional credit.
  - Recommendations of 3 credits may meet multiple subject areas or courses but can only be applied once.
  - Recommendations of 6 or more credits may meet multiple subject areas or courses where a minimum of 3 credits may be applied to each subject area or course until the total recommended credits have been applied.
- Multiple recommendations may meet the same General Education requirement. Only one recommendation with the required credit is needed to satisfy the requirement.
- Recommendations marked with an asterisk (*) must be combined with additional courses in the same subject area to satisfy the credit requirement.
- Recommendations being transferred to meet the Information Literacy Core Competency requirement, the Digital Literacy Competency requirement, or any computer-specific course must have been completed within the last 5 years.
- In some instances, lower-division credits marked with cross (†) may be applied for upper-division credits. They will not apply to the upper-division residency requirement. Additional upper-division courses may be required.
- Unless otherwise noted, exams, courses, trainings, and/or experience not listed and deemed to be college level or equivalent by ACE or NCCRS will be evaluated for elective credit. Recommendations from ACE or NCCRS at the vocational level will not be considered for credit at UAGC.
- Credit may only be applied to the same degree level (undergraduate, graduate) as the incoming transfer credit.

EC-COUNCIL CERTIFICATIONS	THE UNIVERITY OF ARIZONA GLOBAL CAMPUS AREA OF RECOMMENDATION	SEMESTER CREDITS
CERTIFIED ETHICAL HACKER (CEH)	CYB 201 BEGINNING WHITE HAT ETHICAL HACKER; OR CYB 301 INTRODUCTION TO CYBER & DATA SECURITY TECHNOLOGY †	3 LD (TOTAL CREDITS: 3)
CERTIFIED NETWORK DEFENDER (CND)	CYB 101 DEFENSIVE NETWORK RECONNAISSANCE	3 LD (TOTAL CREDITS: 3)
CERTIFIED PENETRATION TESTER (CPENT)	CYB 102 NETWORK PENETRATION TESTING – BREACHING DEFENSES	3 UD (TOTAL CREDITS: 3)
COMPUTER HACKING FORENSIC INVESTIGATOR (CHFI)	CYB 402 COMPUTER FORENSICS	3 UD (TOTAL CREDITS: 3)
CERTIFIED INCIDENT HANDLER (ECIH)	CYB 401 RISK MANAGEMENT & INFRASTRUCTURE; OR CYB 402 COMPUTER FORENSICS	3 UD (TOTAL CREDITS: 3)

GOOGLE CAREER CERTIFICATIONS	THE UNIVERITY OF ARIZONA GLOBAL CAMPUS AREA OF RECOMMENDATION	SEMESTER CREDITS
GOOGLE DATA ANALYTICS CERTIFICATE	CPT 200 FUNDAMENTALS OF PROGRAMMING LANGUAGES; AND AIS 300 PRINCIPLES OF DATA ANALYTICS †; AND ELECTIVE	3 LD 3 LD 6 LD (TOTAL CREDITS: 12)
GOOGLE DIGITAL MARKETING & E-COMMERCE PROFESSIONAL CERTIFICATE	BUS 410 DIGITAL MARKETING ESSENTIALS †; AND ELECTIVE	3 LD 6 LD (TOTAL CREDITS: 9)
GOOGLE IT SUPPORT PROFESSIONAL CERTIFICATE	DIGITAL LITERACY COMPETENCY; AND INT 301 COMPUTER NETWORKING †; AND ELECTIVE	3 LD 3 LD 9 LD (TOTAL CREDITS: 15)
GOOGLE PROJECT MANAGEMENT CERTIFICATE	PRM 300 INTRO TO PROJECT MANAGEMENT; AND ELECTIVE	3 UD 3 LD & 3 UD (TOTAL CREDITS: 9)
GOOGLE U.S. SOFTWARE ENGINEER APPRENTICESHIP PROGRAM	ORAL & INTERPERSONAL COMMUNICATION CORE COMPETENCY; AND DIGITAL LITERACY COMPETENCY; AND CPT 200 INTRO TO PROGRAMMING LANGUAGES; AND CST 301 COMPUTER SOFTWARE TECHNOLOGY & DESIGN; AND ELECTIVE	3 LD 3 LD 3 LD 3 UD 24 LD & 6 UD (TOTAL CREDITS: 42)
GOOGLE UX DESIGN CERTIFICATE	ELECTIVE	7 LD & 3 UD (TOTAL CREDITS: 10)

ISACA CERTIFICATIONS	THE UNIVERITY OF ARIZONA GLOBAL CAMPUS AREA OF RECOMMENDATION	SEMESTER CREDITS
CERTIFIED DATA PRIVACY SOLUTIONS ENGINEER (CDPSE)	ELECTIVE	3 LD (TOTAL CREDITS: 3)
CERTIFIED IN THE GOVERNANCE OF ENTERPRISE IT (CGEIT)	ELECTIVE	3 LD & 2 UD (TOTAL CREDITS: 5)
CERTIFIED INFORMATION SYSTEM AUDITOR (CISA)	ELECTIVE	3 UD (TOTAL CREDITS: 3)
CERTIFIED INFORMATION SECURITY MANAGER (CISM)	CYB 301 INTRODUCTION TO CYBER & DATA SECURITY TECHNOLOGY †; AND ELECTIVE	3 LD 2 UD (TOTAL CREDITS: 5)
CERTIFIED IN RISK AND INFORMATION SYSTEMS CONTROLS (CRISC)	CYB 401 RISK MANAGEMENT & INFRASTRUCTURE	3 UD (TOTAL CREDITS: 3)

ISC2 (INTERNATIONAL INFORMATION SYSTEM SECURITY CERTIFICATION CONSORTIUM) CERTIFICATION EXAMS	THE UNIVERITY OF ARIZONA GLOBAL CAMPUS AREA OF RECOMMENDATION	SEMESTER CREDITS
CERTIFIED CLOUD SECURITY PROFESSIONAL EXAM (CCSP)	AWS 201 CLOUD INTERNET SECURITY	3 LD (TOTAL CREDITS: 3)
CERTIFIED GOVERNANCE RISK AND COMPLIANCE EXAM (CGRC)	CYB 401 RISK MANAGEMENT & INFRASTRUCTURE	3 UD (TOTAL CREDITS: 3)
CERTIFIED INFORMATION SYSTEMS SECURITY PROFESSIONAL EXAM (CISSP)	CYB 301 INTRODUCTION TO CYBER & DATA SECURITY TECHNOLOGY †; OR CYB 401 RISK MANAGEMENT & INFRASTRUCTURE †	3 LD (TOTAL CREDITS: 3)
CERTIFIED SECURE SOFTWARE LIFECYCLE PROFESSIONAL EXAM (CSSLP)	CST 301 COMPUTER SOFTWARE TECHNOLOGY AND DESIGN	3 UD (TOTAL CREDITS: 3)
HEALTHCARE INFORMATION SECURITY AND PRIVACY PRACTITIONER EXAM (HCISPP)	CYB 401 RISK MANAGEMENT & INFRASTRUCTURE †	3 LD (TOTAL CREDITS: 3)
SYSTEMS SECURITY CERTIFIED PRACTITIONER EXAM (SSCP)	CYB 302 SECURE WEB APPLICATIONS & SOCIAL NETWORKING †	3 LD (TOTAL CREDITS: 3)

Credit recommendations are subject to the student's major and transfer credits. UD = Upper Division, LD = Lower Division

Credit recommendation shown is the maximum number of credits students can receive if additional credits are needed to fulfill the area of recommendation or elective requirement for graduation.