



# IOWA

## Department of Education

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### Transfer Major Steering Committee

October 24th, 2022

3:00am – 4:00 pm

Zoom

Members:

NICC – Jeff Murphy

NIACC – Joe Davis

ILCC – Erin Latona

NWCC – John Hartog

ICCC – Jennifer Condon

IVCCD – Robin Lilienthal

HCC – Catherine Freeman and Robin Galloway

Iowa – Tom Paulsen & Jennifer Timmons

UNI – Paul Sapp

Regents – Rachel Boon

EICC – Jeremy Pickard

KCC – Brooke Strahn-Koller & Jon Buse

DMACC – Scott Schultz

WITCC – Darin Moeller

IWCC – Jenny Kruger

SWCC – Lindsay Stoaks ( John Franklin)

IHCC – Don Waltenberger and Noah Eklund

SCC – Derreck Calkins

ISU – Diane Bengtson & Susie DeMoss

IDOE – Heather M, Kelly F, Amy G.

### AGENDA - TOPICS

#### TMSC Topics (Various)

- Introduce new members to TMSC
  - Derreck Calkins (SCC) - replacing Kevin Teno
  - Brooke Strahn-Koller (KCC) - replacing Jennifer Bradley
  - John Franklin will be taking over for Lindsay Stoaks (SWCC)
- Reminder DF Change Requests to Current Discipline Frameworks August 1, 2022
  - [https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSe\\_BKq5cxbBdXTvL\\_KcywumhRdjfTiLIATco-k6BSd8l7jpQ/viewform?usp=sf\\_link](https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSe_BKq5cxbBdXTvL_KcywumhRdjfTiLIATco-k6BSd8l7jpQ/viewform?usp=sf_link)
- TM Google site:
  - <https://sites.google.com/iowa.gov/transfer-majors>

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- Iowa Association of Community College Biology Teachers (IACCBT) Conference
  - Courses in Biology Transfer Major were cleaned up
    - Common descriptions for BIO-112 and BIO-113
  
- Human and Family Services Transfer Major
  - Iowa State would like to join this transfer major because they now have a Human Development and Family Studies (HDFS) major
    - The HDFS department have recently agreed to allow HSV-109 to transfer in as a supporting course within the three HDFS major options
    - This means that all courses in the discipline framework would apply toward HDFS degree
    - [Curriculum sheet](#)
  - HSV-109 has been approved to meet supporting course requirement
    - [Course advances them in the degree](#)
  - [Heather will update transfer major documents](#)
  
- Iowa State would like to change the advising note for the Business Transfer Major
  - Beginning Fall 2023, Iowa State will no longer require students majoring in business to start as a pre-business major and complete the foundation courses before declaring the actual business major.
  - Because of this change, the Business Discipline Framework advising notes will need to be updated. The asterisk for ISU needs to be changed (see below).
    - Example of note: For ISU, beginning Fall 2023 students will be admitted directly into the business major of their choice.”
  - [Courses will not change](#)
  - [Heather will add advising note](#)

(All other Majors: (or MATH 165: Calculus I

\*Note: Iowa requires 2.75 GPA in 4 courses for acceptance into business program: ACCT2100; ECON1100; STAT1030; MATH1380. Additional ACCT2200, ECON1200, and MSCI1500 to be able to take courses within major.

\*Note: ISU requires PBUS students to apply to majors (Professional Program). ISU requires 2.5 GPA overall or in the Foundation courses: BUSAD 102 or 103; COMS 113; MATH 150; ECON 101, ECON 102, STAT 226 (or MAT 156 or MAT 157 for non-quantitative majors), and ACCT 284; plus Engl 150 (and any Engl 99/101 courses if required); and at least 30 credits completed.

\*Note: For UNI, ECON1021, ECON1041 with C- or better and 30 semester hours of credit

\*\*See approved list of courses that articulate to each Regent, not exhaustive:

ISU: MATH 150 articulates to: MAT140; MAT141. MATH 151 articulates to: MAT165; MAT210; MAT211. STAT 226 articulates to: MAT 162 (Other specific articulations also work)

SUI: STAT: 1030 articulates to: BUS210; BUS211; BUS214; MAT156; MAT157; MAT161; MAT162; MATH: 1380 articulates to: MAT164; MAT165; MAT166; MAT201; MAT210; MAT211

UNI: STAT: 1772 articulates to: MAT156; MAT157; ECON: 1011 articulates to: any course from: (BUS210; BUS211; MAT155; MAT156; MAT157) plus any course from (BUS212; BUS213: BUS214; MAT158; MAT160; MAT161, MAT162). Also MAT156+BUS210 works.

## Transfer Majors at College/Regional Universities

- Drake
  - English Transfer Major and Secondary Education Transfer Major have been signed and added to Google site)

- Grand View University
  - Recently approved discipline frameworks are still awaiting signatures
- Other Updates/Articulations
  - [NICC is working with Luther college](#)
  - [SWCC is working with Graceland - interested in Kinesiology Transfer Major](#)

### Transfer Major Updates

- Music Transfer Major
  - Names have been collected from colleges who are interested in working on this
  - Still waiting for contact information from the representatives from University of Iowa
  - [Kelly will head it up](#)
    - [Need to cross-check with the representation from the previous group](#)

### Updates on Social/Digital Media and Graphic Design

- Graphic Design
  - UNI Graphic Design program is no longer interested in a Graphic Design Transfer Major—they think the existing Fine Arts Transfer Major works better for their program
    - Fine Arts Transfer Major has been updated with this note
- Graphic Design (ISU), Graphic Communications (UNI), and Digital Media (UNI)

### Review Process for Existing Transfer Major Program Review Elements

- Update from subcommittee Transfer Major Review subcommittee (Joe Davis, Tom Paulsen, Scott Schultz, Diane Bengtson, Darin Moeller, Erin Latona, Don Waltenberger, Heather Meissen, Amy Gieseke)
  - Subcommittee met on 10-13-2022
  - The plan is to keep in simple and look at the courses to make sure everything is accurate and up-to-date (i.e., check to see if they are still the right set of courses—if they are not, get more people involved and vet the courses)
  - [Schedule](#)
    - Start with Criminal Justice (oldest TM) and Sociology as a pilot
    - If all goes well, add more in the spring (i.e., Biology, Education)
  - [Survey](#)
    - Will be sent to advisors, relevant faculty, etc. at each institution
    - Will update advising notes and courses based on feedback
    - Kelly Friesleben could also collect information from state advising group

- Forms to be vetted by CAOs
- Deadline - 2 weeks from when survey is set (with reminder emails)
- Add an "Other comments" box to form for both transfer majors

#### Additional Desired Disciplines Needed

- Idea from IACCBT Conference
  - Pre-professional transfer major (pre-med, pre-vet, pre-chiro, etc.)
  - Was discussed very early on - at regents, you can major in anything as long as you take the core courses you need
  - Could add time to degree, unless advising notes are very detailed
  - Might be better if there were advising notes to existing transfer majors
  - Probably unnecessary
  - Some community colleges have advising pathways

#### Other Topics for Future Discussion

Question: Do any institutions require additional specific courses that are not part of discipline framework?

- NIACC will if there is a reason for a certain class they will add it