



# Oakton to Loyola *Transfer Guide*

## School of Continuing & Professional Studies (SCPS)

Loyola University Chicago

*Preparing people to lead extraordinary lives*

### How quickly can I finish my degree?

You can finish your B.A. degree at Loyola in two years.

### What can I major in?

Students in the SCPS have eight majors to choose from: Applied Criminal Justice Leadership, Applied Communication Applied Psychology, Applied Studies, Information Technology, Leadership, Management, Paralegal Studies and Social Work.

### How much credit can I transfer?

Loyola can accept 64 credits from Oakton, including half of the major requirements. Transfer Students must complete a minimum of 45 credits at Loyola.

### Will I have any Core left?

Students who have completed the Illinois Articulation Initiative General Education Core Curriculum (IAI GECC) requirements, will have met all Core requirements at Loyola. To determine if you've taken the coursework required to satisfy these requirements, please review your school's worksheet here: <http://itransfer.org/IAI/gened/singleschoolworksheet.aspx>

### After Core, what other requirements do I need?

- *Mission Specific Courses*: six credit hours of coursework in the fields of philosophy and/or theology.
- *SCPS Courses*: three courses focused on personal and professional identity and development (9 credit hours). (See next page)
- *Major Courses*: Students can transfer up to half of the major credits.

In total, students must complete 120 hours to earn a degree at Loyola.

### Can I earn credit in other ways?

Students can earn credit for experience-based learning for up to four courses in the major and up to 36 credits total. Pursuing non-traditional sources of credit offer opportunities to earn credit for knowledge gained through life experiences that qualify as college-level learning, providing substantial savings of time and tuition.

### Where are classes held?

- Online—perfect for working adults balancing work, life, and school.
- Downtown Water Tower Campus (820 N. Michigan Ave.),
- Lakeshore Campus (1032 W. Sheridan Rd.) in Rogers Park

### When are classes held?

SCPS offers evening, weekend, and online classes during the eight week sessions we offer throughout the year.

### What is my next step if I'm interested in transferring to Loyola?

Contact us at [adult@luc.edu](mailto:adult@luc.edu) or 312-915-6501 to schedule a meeting with a counselor to request an unofficial audit.

64

Transfer credit hours accepted from Oakton.

Non-traditional credit hours that can be applied toward your degree.

36

2

Loyola Mission Specific courses required of transfer students.

Credit hours of SCPS courses designed to prepare you for success.

9

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Core credit hours remaining if you've completed IAI GECC.

Major requirements that can be satisfied with transfer credit.

Half

45

Loyola credit hours required to earn a Loyola degree.

Total credit hours needed to earn your degree.

120



# B.A. Applied Studies *Transfer Guide*

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#### SCPS School Requirements (9 credit hours)

CPST 200 Introduction to Degree Completion  
 CPST 201 Professional Identity and Development  
 CPST 397 Capstone

#### Mission Specific Requirements (6 credit hours)

A Loyola's Mission course (THEO 190 *or* PHIL 190) and an ethics course.

If chosen correctly, the 20-23 elective credits required to complete your A.A. or A.S. can include classes that will transfer and count toward your major. It is recommended that you select four courses from the Oakton courses listed below to transfer toward the Applied Studies major:

**SCPS B.A. in Applied Studies – Major Requirements**

<b>Transferable Classes</b> <i>from Oakton Community College</i>	<b>Applied Studies Major Requirements</b> <i>At Loyola University Chicago</i>
MGT 121 Principles of Management <i>or</i> MGT 205 Organizational Behavior	CPST 250 Foundations of Organizations
ECO 202 Principles of Microeconomics <i>or</i> ECO 201 Principles of Macroeconomics	CPST 243 Microeconomics <i>or</i> CPST 245 Macroeconomics
	COMM 175 Introduction to Communication
CIS 101 Intro to Computer Information Systems <i>or</i> CIS 103 Computer Software & Concepts <i>or</i> CIS 180 Intro to Visual Basic Programming	CPST 247 Computer Concepts and Applications
ACC 153 Principles of Financial Accounting <i>or</i> ACC 154 Principles of Managerial Accounting	CPST 310 Accounting Principles and Application
MAT 131 Elementary Statistics	STAT 103 Statistics
	<b>Writing: Complete One Course</b>
	ENGL 310 Advanced Writing
	CPST 315 Technical Writing
	<b>Communication: Complete One Course</b>
SPE 103 Effective Speech	COMM 101 Public Speaking and Critical Thinking
MGT 118 Effective Management Communications <i>or</i> CAB 184 Communication Strategies	COMM 103 Business and Professional Speaking
	COMM 200 Communication and New Media
	COMM 215 Ethics and Communication
	COMM 231 Conflict Management and Communication
SPE 215 Group Discussion	COMM 237 Small Group Communication
	COMM 277 Organizational Communication
	<b>Theoretical Skills: Complete One Course</b>
MKT 131 Principles of Marketing	CPST 340 Principles of Marketing
	CPST 360 Development and Change in Organization
	CPST 370 Theories of Leadership

In total, students must complete 120 hours to earn a Bachelor's degree at Loyola University Chicago.  
*Final confirmation of all degree requirements is subject to department, school, and university approval.*