

Northeastern Illinois University Transfer Guide College of Business and Management

(Majors in Accounting, Finance, General Business Administration, Management, and Marketing)
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NEIU's College of Business and Management offers five undergraduate majors leading to a Bachelor of Science degree: Accounting, Finance, General Business Administration, Management, and Marketing. **All business programs are offered on the Chicago campus only.** The programs are accredited by the Higher Learning Commission. The College of Business and Management at NEIU is accredited by [AACSB International](http://www.aacsb.edu).

Transfer Options

- **Guaranteed Admission** to the University and to your major in the College of Business and Management at time of transfer under following conditions:
 - NEIU General Education requirements complete (see Education Plan on last page of this guide)
 - Foundation Courses complete with minimum grade of C and minimum 2.5 GPA (see Education Plan on last page of this guide)
 - Minimum 2.5 cumulative GPA
 - Submit [Participation Form](#) prior to completing 45 credits at MCC.Additional benefits: MCC Honors Program graduates granted automatic admission to NEIU's Honors Program; admission application fee waived; academic guidance from both MCC and NEIU. See your MCC academic advisor for more information.
- **Associate in Arts (AA) Degree** – Illinois public community college transfer students who have completed an AA degree receive the following benefits:
 - Junior status
 - NEIU general education requirements satisfied (specific majors may require additional coursework)
- **Associate in Science (AS) Degree - AS degree requirements changed, beginning Summer 2016.** Transfer students admitted to NEIU who have completed an AS degree under MCC's 2016/17 or after catalog receive the following benefits: junior status; NEIU general education requirements **may not be satisfied.**
- **Illinois Articulation Initiative** - Transfer students who have been certified by a participating Illinois college or university as having completed the IAI GECC will have satisfied NEIU's general education requirements if their general education component has a minimum of 37 semester hours (specific majors may require additional coursework).
- **For students who transfer prior to completing an AA degree or the IAI core:**
 - If only a portion of the IAI GECC is completed upon transfer, NEIU will evaluate each course to determine whether it meets an NEIU General Education requirement. The IAI GECC may not be completed at NEIU.
 - The AA may be completed while enrolled at NEIU.

Admission

- **Application and admission to University** - For details, please refer to the NEIU website. **Application deadline:** Fall: July 15; Spring: November 1; Summer: April 1. **Minimum cumulative GPA – 2.00**
- **College of Business and Management admission requirements** – For details, please refer to the NEIU website.
 - Complete General Education requirements
 - Complete Foundation Courses with a grade of C or higher in each course and earn a Foundation Course cumulative GPA average of 2.5 or higher
 - Complete at least 60 total credit hours with a cumulative GPA of 2.0 or higher (include General Education and Foundation Courses)

Additional Information

- **GPA calculation for admission** – For admission purposes only, all college level course work is considered in GPA calculation. Repeated courses are accepted only once in transfer. In the case where a repeated course is one which was initially failed, the F grade will not be counted in the GPA. This applies to one F grade per course repeated.
- **Maximum hours accepted from a community college** – Up to 64 hours may be transferred from a community college. Science and education courses which are 15 years old or more are not transferable without special departmental and/or college approval. Business courses which are 6 years old or more generally are not applicable toward a Business and Management major.
- **Catalog Rule** Students follow the General Education requirements in place at the time of initial enrollment. Students follow Major requirements in place at the time of initial enrollment as well.
- **Improving Human Relations Requirement:** A course designated as Improving Human Relations is a graduation requirement. Following are courses that satisfy the requirement: ANT 170; ART155, 165; ENG275, 276; GEG203, 204; HIS165; MUS153; PHI160, 251, 261; PLT151; SOC151, 260.
- Students can use two D grades in their general education requirements.
- **Scholarship opportunity** – The Provost and Dean Merit Scholarships for transfer students provide funding to students who have earned an AA or AS degree and enroll at least fulltime (12 credits hours) at NEIU. The scholarship will provide \$2,000 to students who have earned a cumulative 3.5 transfer GPA and \$1,000 to students who have earned a cumulative 3.0 transfer GPA. Illinois residency is required.

Education Plan

The Education Plan on the following page is a suggested program for students who plan to complete the AA degree at McHenry County College and then transfer to an NEIU College of Business program. Completion of this coursework will satisfy the following:

- Requirements for MCC's AA degree
- NEIU's General Education requirements
- NEIU's Foundation requirements
- NEIU's Human Relations requirement (PHI251, also a required College of Business and Management requirement)

The bolded courses are Foundation and Core Courses required for admission to the College of Business and Management (minimum grade of C required).

Please refer to MCC's AA degree planning sheet or catalog for approved IAI and Diversity & Multicultural Studies courses and detailed AA degree requirements. **Work with an advisor when planning your transfer program.**

MCC AA Degree Requirements		MCC AA Degree Requirements	
MCC Courses	Credits	MCC Courses	Credits
Communications (9 SH)		*Diversity & Multicultural Studies	
_____ ENG151 Composition I	3	Two 3-credit hour courses are required. Courses that fulfill this requirement may be used to satisfy requirements in Humanities/ Fine Arts, Social/Behavioral Sciences, or Electives. See current MCC catalog or AA planning sheet for course options.	
_____ ENG152 Composition II	3		
_____ SPE151 Introduction to Speech	3		
*Humanities & Fine Arts (9 SH)		Electives (approximately 23 credits)	
(No more than 2 courses can be chosen with the same prefix.)		Select courses that apply toward the bachelor's degree with the assistance of an academic advisor and the NEIU contact listed on this guide.	
_____ PHI251 Intro to Ethics	3	_____ ACC151 Financial Accounting	3
_____ IAI Fine Arts	3	_____ ACC152 Management Accounting	3
_____ IAI Humanities or Fine Arts	3	_____ BUS241 Legal Environment of Business	3
Physical and Life Sciences (7 SH)		_____ **MAT161 College Algebra	3
7 credits, at least 1 course w/lab		_____ Electives to complete 60 credits required for AA degree	
_____ IAI Physical Science	3-4		
_____ IAI Life Science	3-4		
*Social & Behavioral Sciences (9 SH)		** MAT161 is the prerequisite for MAT170	
_____ IAI Social & Behavioral Sciences (not ECO prefix)	3		
_____ ECO251 Microeconomics	3		
_____ ECO252 Macroeconomics	3		
Mathematics (3 SH)		TOTAL CREDITS - 60 credits required for an MCC AA degree.	
_____ MAT170 Finite Math	3		