



Transfer Admissions Requirements for ChE Undergraduate Students

The Department of Chemical Engineering prioritizes admissions for highly qualified transfer applicants who have completed an Associate in Arts (AA) degree at a Florida public community or state college. Students seeking admissions from other universities or out of state schools *may* be considered on a space available basis.

Transfer students are admitted in Summer, Fall, and Spring terms.

Admissions Process

Freshman admissions are handled through <https://admissions.ufl.edu/>. The department has **NO** involvement or influence over freshmen admission decisions.

Transfer admissions start at <https://admissions.ufl.edu/>.

Transfer Requirements

Applicants **must** meet the following criteria. Meeting the minimum requirements does **not** guarantee admission.

- Completion of a minimum of 60 transferable credit hours.
- Completion of UF's foreign language requirement (2 sequential years of a foreign language in high school **OR** a minimum of 8-10 college level credits of the same foreign language).
- A minimum 2.0 cumulative (overall GPA).
- Grades posted in at least the first 6 of the 8 critical tracking courses listed below at the time of application with a minimum of 2.5 critical tracking GPA and a minimum GPA of 2.5⁺ in the Analytical Geometry and Calculus sequence. No more than *two attempts* are allowed for each tracking course; withdrawals/drops count as attempts. No more than *three double attempts* in overall tracking courses; withdrawals/drops count as attempts.

⁺Recent transfer students admitted to ChE have significantly higher critical tracking GPA.

- Students with grades posted in at least 6 of the 8 critical tracking courses and current registration in the remaining two courses have the opportunity to apply for the Summer semester and immediately take major coursework (Ex. ECH3023, ECH4934). This offers the possibility to complete the major in an earlier timeframe.

CRITICAL TRACKING COURSES

MAC2311 Analytical Geometry & Calculus I (4) PHY2048/L* Physics with Calculus I (3/1)

MAC2312 Analytical Geometry & Calculus II (4) PHY2049/L* Physics with Calculus II (3/1)

MAC2313 Analytical Geometry & Calculus III (4) CHM2045/L* General Chemistry I (3/1)

MAP2302 Elementary Differential Equations (3) CHM2046/L* General Chemistry II (3/1)

*Chemistry & Physics labs are required but are **not** calculated into the pre-professional GPA for evaluation purposes.

Application Posted Deadlines

Semester	Application	File Completion	Decision
Spring	September 15	October 1	November 15
Summer A/C or Summer B	February 15	March 1	April 1
Fall	May 1	May 15	June 15

Other Important Information:

- It is ***your*** responsibility to make sure that your transcripts arrive by the posted deadline. If you have trouble getting your official transcripts sent, you may upload an unofficial transcript directly to your transfer application. **ALL** official transcripts with final grades posted *must* be submitted prior to the start of the term you have applied for to provide accurate academic advising.
- Transfer students may ***not*** change majors after matriculation to UF. Also, you may only apply to one major at a time. It is thus critical that you fully commit to one major before you apply.

Equivalencies

Courses taken at a Florida public college or university (SUS) with the same prefix and last 3 numbers are equivalent at any Florida institution (Ex. CHM1045 is equivalent to CHM2045). A “C” at the end of the course number indicates a ***combined*** class and lab (Ex. CHM2045C is equivalent to CHM2045 and CHM2045L).

Courses taken at private, out of state, and international schools: *The student is responsible* for pursuing course equivalencies. Consult Transferology (<https://admissions.ufl.edu/apply/transfer/credit-evaluation>). Schedule an appointment with the undergraduate coordinator for major specific (Ex. mass balances, thermodynamics, statics/dynamics, etc.) course reviews.

Application Review

Once a transfer application is complete, the file is “referred” to the department.

A student’s application status can be viewed at <https://admissions.ufl.edu/>.

The department does ***not*** review or require letters of recommendation.

All applications are reviewed at one time, not on a rolling basis. The date of the review is based upon the number of completed applications. Applications may be processed weeks *after* the deadline.

Applicants who GREATLY exceed minimum GPA requirements are most competitive for admission.

NOTE: If you are a state/community college student from a Florida institution, UF rules require completion of the AA degree. Doing so, you automatically satisfy requirements for non-technical courses. Out of state, in-state, non-SUS, or SUS transfer admits *without* a Florida AA degree must complete **ALL** University and State requirements, including: *General Education (including State Core), International, Diversity, Writing, Quest 1, Quest 2, and Civic Literacy**.

*Civics Literacy Requirements by Cohort of Students

Cohort	Students Included in Cohort	Civic Literacy Competency Requirement
Cohort 1	Students first entering the SUS or FCS prior to Fall 2018	None
Cohort 2	Students first entering the SUS or FCS in Fall 2018 – Summer A 2021	Complete a course (Ex. AMHX020 or POSX041) <i>or</i> exam
Cohort 3	Students first entering the SUS or FCS in Summer B 2021 and thereafter	Complete <i>both</i> a course (Ex. AMHX020 or POSX041) <i>and</i> exam