

College of Information

B.S. Information Science

2014-2015 Texas Common Course Numbering System Transfer Guide



The Bachelor of Science in Information Science at the University of North Texas is designed to equip graduates with the knowledge needed to build competencies in important and emerging areas such as, information organization, information architecture, information seeking and use, health informatics, knowledge management, digital content and digital curation, and information systems.

Students earning this degree are able to customize their program by developing focused areas of studies (concentrations) or by choosing a minor or certificate in another field. The flexibility built into the BSIS program prepares graduates for the varying career options available in the information profession.

Undergraduate Degree Program Options

B.S. Information Science, Concentrations:

- Digital Content and Information Systems
- Information Science and Knowledge Organization
- Information Management and Health Informatics
- Project and Knowledge Management

Courses Recommended for Transfer

The UNT Core requirements, with the exception of American History and Government/Political Science, and the College & Major requirements are shown with Texas Common Course Numbering System values only when UNT offers equivalent courses. There may be other courses in transfer that apply toward the specific degree requirement, but those listed are known to apply.

UNT Core: Communication

ENGL 1301; and ENGL 1302 or 2311

A grade of 'C' or better is required on courses applied toward this requirement.

UNT Core: Mathematics

One course chosen from: MATH 1316, 1324, 1325 or 1425, 1332, 1342 or 1442 or 2342 or 2442, 1350, 2312 or 2412, 2313 or 2413 or 2513

UNT Core: Life & Physical Sciences

For students not majoring in Science, Mathematics, or Engineering, completing two courses from the list below is recommended (see an Academic Advisor for more options).

- ANTH 2401
- ASTR 1403
- ASTR 1404
- BIOL 1408
- BIOL 2406
- GEOL 1401
- GEOL 1403
- PHYS 1403
- PHYS 1404
- PHYS 1410
- PHYS 1415

UNT Core: American History

Two courses chosen from: HIST 1301, 1302, 2301

UNT Core: Government/Political Science

GOVT 2305 and 2306

UNT Core: Creative Arts

One course chosen from: ARTS 1301 or 1304; DRAM 1310; MUSI 1306 or 1307; SPCH 2341

UNT Core: Language, Philosophy and Culture

One course chosen from: ENGL 2332 or 2333; HIST 2321 or 2322; PHIL 1301, 1304, 2303, 2306, or 2316

UNT Core: Social & Behavioral Sciences

One course chosen from: ANTH 2346 or 2351; COMM 1307; CRIJ 1301; ECON 2301 or 2302; GEOG 1303; PSYC 2301; SOCI 1301; SPCH 1318; TECA 1354

UNT Core: Discovery

One course chosen from: ARTS 1301; BIOL/HECO 1322; COMM 1307; MATH 2305 or 2405; SPCH 1311 or 1315; TECA 1303

UNT Core: Capstone

The Capstone Core requirement is unique to UNT and will be fulfilled by an advanced course at UNT.

Note: The Core Capstone courses are under review by the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board, and are subject to change.

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Information Science: Major Course Requirements

- At least 33 hours including 18 hours of required INFO courses in one of the following program concentrations, and at least 15 additional hours selected with the approval of the department.

Concentrations:

- Digital Content and Information Systems
 - Information Management and Health Informatics
 - Information Science and Knowledge Organization
 - Project and Knowledge Management
- Cross-Functional Area: 45 hours, of which 9 hours must be advanced, may be completed or transferred from related areas and programs as approved by the department. Students must contact an advisor in the Information Science program to determine the 45 hours of course work needed to complete the cross-functional area of the degree.

To enroll for more than 6 hours of courses in the Department of Library and Information Sciences, students must:

- Have at least sophomore standing (at least junior standing is required to enroll for more than 12 hours in the department)
- Have a cumulative grade point average of at least 2.5

There are no TCCNS options for Library and Information Science (INFO) courses.

Special Notes

Hours Required and General/College Requirements:

- A minimum of 120 semester hours, of which 42 must be advanced, and fulfillment of degree requirements for the Bachelor of Science degree as specified in the [general university requirements](#) section of the UNT catalog and the College of Information requirements.
- A minimum grade point average of 2.5 is required on all courses counted toward the major.

UNT Core Curriculum/Transfer of Core Curriculum:

UNT complies with the [mandates of the 1997 Texas Legislature](#) regarding requirements for state-assisted institutions. Students who successfully complete the common core curriculum (in whole or in part) at a Texas state-assisted institution of higher education are eligible to transfer as "core complete" for those categories in the UNT University Core Curriculum.

Individual academic programs may require courses contained in parts of the University Core Curriculum. Students who wish to take courses that will fulfill both core and major/program requirements simultaneously should check with academic advisors for assistance in selecting core courses.

Choice of Catalog: Any student transferring directly from a Texas public community college to UNT shall have the same choice of catalog designating degree requirements as the student would have had if the dates of attendance at the university had been the same as the dates of attendance at the community college.

The College of Information required curriculum and policies are located in the [Undergraduate Catalog 2014-2015](#).

For additional program and contact information see the College of Information Student Advising website: <http://www.ci.unt.edu>.

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JUNIOR	INFO 4710	None	INFO 4206	None
	INFO 4745		INFO 4730	
	Info Science Major Course	Consult UNT advisor	Info Science Major Course	Consult UNT advisor
	Cross-Functional Area Course	Consult UNT advisor	Info Science Major Course	Consult UNT advisor
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	INFO 4365		INFO 4670	
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	INFO 4223		INFO 4203	
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