



Transfer Guide - Bachelor of Science in Mass Communications

Transfer Process

All transfer students seeking a Bachelor of Science in Mass Communications should follow the admission procedures located at www.stcloudstate.edu/transfer to be admitted to St. Cloud State. Students must meet minimum major requirements before graduation to graduate with that program’s degree. The Mass Communications Department offers these program concentrations: **Journalism, Strategic Communications, and Creative Multimedia Production.**

Complete the **Transfer Review Form** to find out how previous courses will transfer to St. Cloud State. Star ID and password is required. If you do not have a Star ID, [click here](#).

The following courses transfer to St. Cloud State from Anoka-Ramsey Community College:

| SCSU Course | ARCC Course |
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| CMST 192 Intro to Communication Studies | CMST 1110 Intro to Communication |
| MCOM 220 Intro to Mass Communication | MCOM 1100 Intro to Mass Communication or JOUR1100 Intro to Mass Communications |
| ENGL 191 Intro to Rhetorical & Analytical Writing | ENGL 1121 College Writing & Critical Reading |
| JOUR 1131 Publication Editing | MCOM 365 Strategic Communications Layout & Design |

- It is recommended that students take these courses as a part of the Minnesota Transfer Curriculum (MnTC) or Associate in Arts (AA) degree.
- If a student completes a goal within the MnTC, the same goal will be completed at St. Cloud State once transferred.

Additional Requirements to Consider when Degree Planning:

- Completion of 10 Goals (40 credits) in the MnTC (known as the Liberal Education Program at St. Cloud State)
- Mass Communication majors are required to have a second major, minor OR one year of a foreign language
- A minimum GPA of 2.50 is required to graduate with a mass communications degree
- 40 upper-division credits (300-400 level coursework) required to graduate
- Due to accreditation, 72 credits of the degree must be OUTSIDE of MCOM major courses

Please refer to www.transferology.com for up-to-date information on transfer equivalencies.

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