

# **William Rainey Harper College and Governors State University**

## **Transfer Guide for Associate of Applied Science in Computer Information Systems- Database Management Interdisciplinary Studies**

The following is presented as an articulation agreement between Harper College (Harper) and Governors State University (GSU) for the Interdisciplinary Studies degree program based on the current catalogs for both institutions. The student would receive an Associate in Applied Science (AAS) degree from Harper and a Bachelors of Arts (BA) degree in Interdisciplinary Studies from GSU. The BA in Interdisciplinary Studies can be completed online.

### **I. TRANSFERABLE GENERAL EDUCATION CORE CURRICULUM: (18 credits)**

#### **Communications (6 hours)**

- ENG 101 - Composition I (3)
- ENG 102 - Composition II (3) use as English elective

#### **Humanities and Fine Arts (3 hours)**

- Humanities elective- choose course that meets  
World Cultures and Diversity Course requirement (3)\*

#### **Mathematics (3 hours)\***

#### **Physical and Life Sciences (0 hours)**

#### **Social and Behavioral Sciences (6 hours)**

- ECO 200 - Introduction to Economics (3) (suggested)\*
- PSY 101 - Introduction to Psychology (3) (suggested)\*

### **II. A.A.S. AREA OF CONCENTRATION/MAJOR FIELD (42 credits)**

- CIS 101 - Intro to Computer Information Systems (3) (meets GSU Tech requirement)
- CIS 106 - Computer Logic and Programming Technology (3)
- CIS 143 - Introduction to Database Systems (3)
- CIS 243 - Database Administration (3)
- CIS 244 - Database Design and Implementation (3)
- CAS 160 - Introduction to Business Software Packages (3)
- NET 105 - Introduction to Operating Systems (3)
- NET 121 - Introduction to Networking Operations (3)
- NET 111 - A+ Hardware (3)
- NET 112 - A+ Operating Systems Technologies (3)
- NET 122 - Internet Protocols (3)
- Database MGT Electives (9) select electives from Harper approved courses.

### **REQUIRED A.A. DEGREE PROGRAM TOTAL: 60 hours**

#### **\*Refer to the AA/AS Degree Guidelines for a list of courses in Section I**

Note: Students can complete up to 80 hours at Harper by taking additional General Education courses required for BA degree.

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**III. TO BE TAKEN AT GSU OR HARPER COLLEGE (19-20 Hours)**

**Transferable General Education courses**

HC SPE 101 - Fundamentals of Speech Communication (3) or  
GSU Oral Communications Course (3)

Fine Arts Course (3)\*  
Humanities or Fine Arts Course (3)\*  
Social Science Course (3)\*

Select one life science course & one physical science course. One course must have a lab.

Life Science Course (3-4)\*  
Physical Science Course (3-4)\*

**IV. TO BE COMPLETED AT GSU (40-41 Hours)**

IDSS 3100 - Perspectives on Interdisciplinary Studies (3)  
IDSS 4900 - Interdisciplinary Studies Appraisal (3)

Interdisciplinary Requirement (6) (Students must take upper division courses in at least two different disciplines).

3000-5000 Level Electives (28-29)

Students are strongly encouraged to follow a recommended interdisciplinary path of study or complete a minor in a subject area. Courses are selected with advisor assistance for both. Some HC courses may be applied towards completion of specific minors; consult advisor for assistance.

**Minimum Required for BA in Interdisciplinary Studies: 120 hours**

**\*Refer to GSU/HC website for a list of course choices in Section III General Education course options.**

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