Tuition: $14,856 per year
Room & Board: $10,500 per year
Enrollment: 26,000

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**OVERVIEW**
The College of Urban Planning and Public Policy offers two undergraduate degrees in Public Policy and in Urban Studies. The Bachelor of Arts in Public Policy is designed to enhance understanding of public problems and how governments attempt to address them. The BAPP may be useful for students considering careers in a variety of policy-related fields, including jobs in policy analysis institutes, research and not-for-profit organizations, and as consultants for business and government entities. The Bachelor of Arts in Urban Studies offers the opportunity to share the laboratory that great urbanists and planners used to study and transform cities, the Chicago metropolitan region. Our students experience and analyze urban issues from many different academic and practical perspectives in a department dedicated exclusively to the city.

**ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS FOR TRANSFER STUDENTS**
Applicants are considered on an individual basis. Admission is selective and competitive. Specific admission requirements include the following.

1. Minimum GPA is 2.50. Average GPA for admitted students is 2.80 to 3.60.
2. Admission to the degree program requires junior standing. At the time of application, students must have at least 44 semester hours of course work completed. Before enrolling in the program, students must have 60 semester hours of course work completed including:
   - ENG 101 and 102
   - One of the following: MTH 162 or 165 or 225; MTH 101, 104, 124, 134, 140, 200, 265; PHI 102
   - One course in Analyzing the Natural World that includes a formal laboratory (4 hours)
3. A written statement of academic or professional goals is required for admission to the program.

**FOREIGN LANGUAGE REQUIREMENT**
Students graduating from the College of Urban Planning and Public Affairs must complete two years (four semesters) of a single foreign language at the college level.

**TAG (Transfer Admission Guarantee)**
Transfer Admission Guarantee (TAG) – The TAG Program offers guaranteed admission into select undergraduate majors in the College of Urban Planning and Public Affairs. Students who actively participate in the TAG Program receive advising and benefits that exceed those of a regular transfer student and a guaranteed admission opportunity. For detailed information, see your Harper academic advisor or counselor and refer to this website: [http://tag.uic.edu](http://tag.uic.edu).

- Apply for TAG participation no later than the first two weeks of your final year at Harper
- Earn a minimum transfer GPA of 3.00 overall and in required major preparation courses
- Successfully complete the Harper equivalent of required courses
- Transfer to UIC within three years of signing the TAG participation form
- Meet with the Harper TAG representative and create a Transferology account (see [http://tag.uic.edu](http://tag.uic.edu) for details)
- Apply to UIC in either February or September depending upon the semester you plan to enter UIC

Note: If you do not wish to be a TAG participant or do not qualify, UIC welcomes a regular transfer application.
TRANSFERLOGY
Students interested in transferring to UIC should utilize Transferology to see how their courses will transfer and also to plan any future courses accordingly. Transferology can be accessed at www.transferology.com. If you need assistance using Transferology please stop by Academic Advising and Counseling in Building I, Room 117 or call 847-925-6393.

CALCULATION OF ADMISSION GRADE POINT AVERAGE
Grades for all baccalaureate-oriented course work attempted are used in computing the transfer GPA. However, a particular school or college may not accept all courses toward a degree and may delete credits and grades for such courses.

Effective with the Fall 2013 application UIC has begun to use the Common Application: https://www.commonapp.org/

Transfer students have the option to complete the Common Application or the UIC Web Application:

http://www.uic.edu/depts/oar/undergrad/apply_transfer.html

For the Common Application the only materials that need to be submitted are:
- application
- UIC supplement (accessed through the Common Application)
- all college transcripts
- application fee

Some specific majors may require letters of recommendation but those will be submitted separately and not through the Common Application. No Common Application Supplemental Forms are required.

APPLICATION DEADLINES
Spring: October 15th
July 15th for International Students

Fall: March 31st
January 15th for International Students

TRANSFER SCHOLARSHIPS
PHI THETA KAPPA SCHOLARSHIP
Each fall and spring the Honors College awards the Phi Theta Kappa Scholarship, a one-time, one-semester tuition waiver, to new Honors College transfer students. Transfer students to the college who are members of Phi Theta Kappa, the community college honor society, have a minimum of a 3.5 transfer GPA, and are enrolled for at least 12 credit hours during the fall term are eligible to apply. This scholarship is competitive and not all eligible students will receive an award.

TRANSFER MERIT TUITION AWARD
The UIC Transfer Merit Tuition Awards are given on a competitive basis to new transfer students each fall and spring. Applicants must be enrolled in a baccalaureate degree program, have a minimum transfer GPA of 3.25 on a minimum of 45 transfer credits, and be enrolled for at least 12 credit hours. A written statement outlining your educational and career goals and how you have financed your education thus far and a copy of financial aid awards statement should be submitted along with a completed application.

HOW TO USE THIS TRANSFER GUIDE
The following page lists course work for the College of Urban Planning and Public Affairs at the University of Illinois at Chicago. Included are areas of study, number of courses required in each, and Harper courses that will transfer to UIC and meet these various requirements.

ADDITIONAL ASSISTANCE
For assistance with the transfer process, contact:
- Academic Advising and Counseling Center in I-117 (847-925-6393)
- Center for Multicultural Learning in A-347 (847-925-6522)
- Career Development Center in A-347 (847-925-6220)
Below are the general education requirements for the College of Urban Planning and Public Affairs (SAMPLE ONLY)
Final verification needs to be made using Transferology (www.transferology.com)

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<td>ENG 101 and ENG 102</td>
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<td>ARB 101, 102, 201, 202; FRN 101, 102, 201, 202; GER 101, 102, 201, 202; JPN 101, 102, 201, 202; SPA 101, 102, 201, 202</td>
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<td>Quantitative Reasoning</td>
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<td>Analyzing the Natural World</td>
<td>3-5</td>
<td>AST 101, 112, 115, 201; BIO 104, 110, 115, 116, 120, 140; CHM 100, 103, 105, 110, 121, 122, 125; GEG 111 &amp; 112; GEO 101 or 102, 103, 201, 202; PHS 105, 111, 112; PHY 121, 122, 201, 202</td>
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<td>Exploring World Cultures</td>
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<td>ANT 202, 206, 208; ART 133; FRN 210; GEG 100, 101, 103, 104, 210; GER 210, 230; HST 121, 231, 232, 241, 242, 245; HUM 103, 104, 106, 107, 125; LIT 208, 215; PHI 160, 205, 231, 232; PSC 250, 270, 260, 280; SPA 210</td>
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<td>Understanding the Creative Arts</td>
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<td>ART 105, 114, 130, 131, 132, 133; FRN 210; GER 210; HUM 101, 102, 103, 104, 110, 125; LIT 105, 110, 112, 115, 206, 207, 208, 210, 215, 216, 217, 221, 222, 223, 224, 231, 241; MUS 101, 103, 104, 106, 107, 120; SPA 210; THE 111</td>
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<td>Understanding the Individual and Society</td>
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<td>ANT 101, 202, 203, 208; DIV 101, ECO 200, 211, 212; EDU 201; GEG 100, 101, 103, 104, 210; GER 230; HED 206; HST 151, 152, 153; HUM 110, 125; LIT 112, 216, 217, 224; LNG 105, 205; MCM 120; PHI 101, 105, 115, 120, 160, 170, 190, 205, 210, 215, 231, 232; PSC 101, 220, 250, 270; PSY 101, 225, 230; SOC 101, 120, 205, 210, 230, 235; SPE 200</td>
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<td>ANT 203; DIV 101; ECO 200, 211, 212; EDU 201; HED 206; HST 111, 112, 210, 212, 214, 219, 261; LEJ 101; LIT 221, 222, 223; LNG 205; PHI 120 (F'09 or later); PSC 101, 220; SOC 101, 120, 205, 210, 230, 235</td>
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<td>ANT 101, 206; HST 105 or HUM 105, HST 111, 112, 121, 141, 142, 151, 152, 153, 210, 212, 214, 219, 231, 232, 241, 242, 243, 245, 261, 270, 281, 282; HUM 101, 102, 120, 125; LIT 206, 207, 210; MUS 106;</td>
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<td>Additional General Education</td>
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If a course is listed in more than one category, that course may only fulfill the requirement in one category.
College of Applied Health Sciences
   Health Information Management
   Nutrition
   Kinesiology

College of Architecture, Design and the Arts
   Architecture
   Architectural Studies
   Art Education
   Electronic Visualization
   Graphic Design
   Industrial Design
   Moving Image
   Photography
   Studio Arts—Painting and Sculpture
   Art History
   Music
   Theatre
   Performance

College of Business Administration
   Accounting
   Finance
   Information and Decision Sciences
   Entrepreneurship
   Management
   Marketing

College of Education
   Elementary Education

College of Engineering
   Bioengineering
   Chemical Engineering
   Civil Engineering
   Computer Science
   Electrical Engineering
   Computer Engineering
   Engineering Physics
   Mechanical Engineering
   Industrial Engineering
   Engineering Management

College of Liberal Arts and Sciences
   African American Studies
   Anthropology
   Biochemistry
   Biological Sciences
   Chemistry
   Teaching of Chemistry
   Classical Civilization
   Communication
   Criminology, Law, and Justice
   Earth and Environmental Sciences
   Economics
   English
   Teaching of English
   Gender and Women's Studies
   Germanic Studies
   Teaching of German
   History
   History
   Latin American and Latino Studies
   Mathematics
   Teaching of Mathematics
   Mathematics and Computer Science
   Neuroscience
   Philosophy
   Physics
   Teaching of Physics
   Physics
   Political Science
   Psychology
   Russian
   Polish
   Sociology
   Spanish
   Spanish-Economics
   Teaching of Spanish
   French
   Teaching of French
   Italian
   Statistics and Operations Research

College of Nursing
   Nursing

College of Pharmacy
   Pharmacy

College of Urban Planning and Public Affairs
   Urban and Public Affairs