ASSOCIATE IN ARTS
TO A
BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN MEDIA STUDIES

UNIVERSITY OF MISSOURI – ST. LOUIS &
JEFFERSON COLLEGE
TRANSFER GUIDE

This Guide is intended for the use of students who plan on transferring from Jefferson College (JeffCo) with a completed Associate in Arts to the University of Missouri – St. Louis (UMSL) to pursue a Bachelor of Science in Media Studies.

For more information on UMSL’s Bachelor of Science in Media Studies, please visit our online Course Catalog.

The following are the requirements of the JeffCo Associate in Arts degree program as they are recommended for students intending to continue on into UMSL’s Bachelor of Science in Media Studies. Completing these requirements as they are recommended here will maximize the transferability of a student’s coursework toward their UMSL Bachelors degree. Further details of this Associates degree program, as well as comprehensive lists of courses that satisfy each General Education component, may be found within the JeffCo course catalog or may be obtained through a JeffCo advisor.

This guide is intended for use under advisement of a JeffCo Academic Advisor or UMSL Transfer Representative and is not considered to be substitution of such advisement.

I. COMMUNICATIONS  9 Hours
☐ ENG 101 English Composition I (3)
☐ ENG 102 English Composition II (3)
☐ Complete 1 of the Following Courses:
    COM 100 Fundamentals of Communication (3)
    COM 110 Public Speaking (3)

II. HUMANITIES  9 Hours
☐ Complete 1 of the Following Courses to satisfy UMSL’s Cultural Diversity Requirement:
    HST 210 Asian Civilization (3)
    MSC 137 World Music (3)
    PHL 201 World Religions (3)
☐ ENG 122 Film Appreciation: Introduction to Cinema (3)
☐ Complete 1 Additional Course in the Humanities: __________________________

III. MATHEMATICS AND NATURAL SCIENCES
Mathematics  3 Hours
☐ Complete 1 of the Following Courses:
    MTH 131 Survey of College Mathematics (3)
    MTH 134 College Algebra (3)
    Any Higher Level MTH Course: __________________________

Natural Sciences  7 Hours
☐ Complete 2 Courses, 1 in the Biological Sciences and 1 in the Physical Sciences, at least 1 Course with a Laboratory Component:
    Biological Science Course: __________________________
    Physical Science Course: __________________________

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IV. SOCIAL AND BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES
U.S. and Missouri Constitutions  6 Hours
☐ ☐ Complete 2 Courses, 1 in Constitution studies and 1 in American History or Government:
   Constitution Course: ____________________________
   American History or Government Course: ____________________________

Social and Behavioral Sciences  6 Hours
☐ ☐ Complete 2 Courses in the Social and Behavioral Sciences:
   Social and Behavioral Sciences Course: ____________________________
   Social and Behavioral Sciences Course: ____________________________

V. GENERAL EDUCATION OPTION  2 HOURS
☐ Complete 1 Course from Any Above General Education Area: ____________________________

VI. COMPUTER LITERACY  3 HOURS
☐ CIS 125 Computer Concepts and Applications (3)

VII. FIRST YEAR EXPERIENCE  1 HOUR
☐ Complete 1 First-Year Experience Course: ____________________________

VIII. ELECTIVES  16 HOURS
A student must complete enough Elective Coursework to reach 62 Total Hours:
☐ COM 130 Introduction to Mass Media Communications (3)
☐ COM 150 Introduction to Television Production (3)
☐ COM 250 Television Production II (3)
☐ Elective Course: ____________________________
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Students that plan to transfer to UMSL to pursue a Bachelor of Science in Media Studies but do not wish to complete an Associates degree at JeffCo should focus on completing the Highlighted Courses above in conjunction with those outlined in the JeffCo General Education Transfer Guide.

For any questions regarding this guide please contact Sue Bateman at batemans@umsl.edu.

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