

## 2025 – 2026 IVCC Transfer Guide for Environmental Studies Majors

For information on Colleges or Universities not listed here, see a counselor. Several private colleges have evaluated IVCC course work for transfer, this includes DePaul, Bradley, Loyola, Monmouth, North Central and Eureka.

UNIVERSITY	OPTIONS AVAILABLE WITHIN DEPARTMENT	MINIMUM GPA REQUIRED	MAJOR COURSES REQUIRED FOR TRANSFER
EASTERN ILLINOIS UNIVERSITY	BS Biological Sciences (Environmental Biology Option)	2.0	BIO 1003, 1004, CHM 1006, 1007, 2002, ECN 2003, MTH 1008 or ECN 2004, & MTH 1007 or 2001. World language requirement equivalent to 2 years high school ("C" or better) or 2 semesters college in a single language. <a href="http://www.eiu.edu/~evb/">http://www.eiu.edu/~evb/</a> 2/25
ILLINOIS STATE UNIVERSITY	BS Environmental Health & Sustainability (Health Sci. Dept.)  BS Environmental Systems Science & Sustainability (Geology Dept.)	2.0	Recommended: <u>EHS</u> : BIO 1007, 1008, 1009; MTH 1008 <u>or</u> ECN 2004, MTH 1006 <u>or</u> 2001, CHM 1006, 1007; PHY 2003 <u>or</u> (PHY 105 offered in Summer at ISU), GEL 1008 will count as major elective. <u>ESSS</u> : BIO 1003 & 1004; CHM 1006; ECN 2002; GEG 1003; MTH 2001; PSI 1000; One from: PHY 2011, 2003, (or PHY 105 @ ISU); Two from: CHM 1007, MTH 2002, PHY 2012, PHY 2004. World Language requirement of 2 semesters (or 3 years in high school) with a "C" or better (ESSS only).  *AMALI required for graduation. <a href="https://illinoisstate.edu/academics/environmental-health/">https://illinoisstate.edu/academics/environmental-health/</a> <a href="https://illinoisstate.edu/academics/environmental-systems/">https://illinoisstate.edu/academics/environmental-systems/</a> 2/25
NORTHERN ILLINOIS UNIVERSITY	Environmental Studies • Biodiversity & Env Restoration (BS) • Sustainability & Energy Studies (BA, BS) • Environmental Justice (BA, BS) • Env. Policy & Law (BA, BS) • Sustainable Food Systems (BA, BS) • Teacher Licensure in Environ Science	2.0 GPA  2.7 GPA Teacher Licensure	B.S. - CHM 1006, 1007, MTH 1007 and MTH008 or MTH 2001 and 2002. B.A. - Foreign Language equivalent to 2 years college instruction plus CHM1004, MTH1003 and MTH 1008. <u>Biodiversity</u> : BIO1001 or BIO1003 <u>Sustain/Energy</u> : MTH1005, MTH1007, PHY2011 or 2003, ECN2002 <u>Env Justice</u> : BIO1000 <u>Env Policy</u> : BIO1000, ECN2002, BUL2000 & ANT1002 rec a pre-req to upper div. courses. <u>Food</u> : recommended- ECN2002, ALH1000, BIO1002 or 1004 For additional majors see Geography or Geology guide sheet. <u>Teacher Licensure in Environ. Sciences</u> : BIO1001 & 1002 <u>or</u> BIO1003 & 1004, CHM1006, 1007, PHY2003, 2004, MTH1007. *Human Diversity course required for this major, choose from NIU Equiv. guide (except Env and Nature if taken ANT1002) <a href="http://www.niu.edu/ese/academics/major.shtml">http://www.niu.edu/ese/academics/major.shtml</a> 5/25
SOUTHERN ILLINOIS UNIVERSITY - CARBONDALE	• Interdisciplinary Minor available.	2.0	Can fit into a variety of Biology, Chemistry, Geology, Geography degrees. Recommended prior to transfer: GEG 1003; GEG 1001 or GEL 1008 or GEL 1009  The Biology, Chemistry, Geology, Geography and Zoology departments each have various Environmental concentrations. Please see separate guide sheets per department for more specific information. <a href="http://www.environmentalstudies.siu.edu/">www.environmentalstudies.siu.edu/</a> 2/25
UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS CHICAGO	• B.S with a Major in Earth and Environmental Sciences	2.5 Does not guarantee admission. Most competitive applicants will have a higher transfer GPA	CHM 1006; ENG 1001; ENG 1002; PHY 2003 or PHY 2011; CHM 1006 BIO 1003; MTH 2001; MTH 2002; GEL 1008; select one: CHM 1007, PHY 2003, PHY 2012, or MTH 2003 Refer to the UIC General Education Core requirements for additional coursework necessary. <a href="https://catalog.uic.edu/ucats/colleges-depts/liberal-arts-sciences/">https://catalog.uic.edu/ucats/colleges-depts/liberal-arts-sciences/</a> 6/25
UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS URBANA CHAMPAIGN	<u>College of ACES</u> • Natural Resources and Environmental Sciences  <u>Concentrations:</u> • Fish, Wildlife, and Conservation Biology • Environmental Science and Management • Human Dimensions of the Environment • Ecosystem Stewardship and Restoration Ecology	2.5	<b>Required for Sophomore admission:</b> CHM 1004; MTH 1003 (or higher).  <b>Required for Junior admission:</b> CHM 1006; MTH 1007 ( <u>or</u> 2001).  Recommended prior to transfer: AGR 1001 (or ECN 2002), AGR 1005; BIO 1004; BIO 1009 or GEG 1002 or GEL 1008 or PHY 2003; CHM 1007; ENG 1001, 1002; MTH 1008; SPH 1001; Language Other than English (3 <sup>rd</sup> level), Campus-Wide Gen. Eds.  <a href="https://admissions.illinois.edu/Content/docs/Handbook_ACES.pdf">https://admissions.illinois.edu/Content/docs/Handbook_ACES.pdf</a> 2/25
UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS SPRINGFIELD	Environmental Studies	2.0	AA/AS or IAI recommended prior to transfer. BIO 1000 <a href="http://uis.edu/environmental-studies">uis.edu/environmental-studies</a> 217.206.7495 6/25