

## **TRANSFER AGREEMENT**

Between

The Lutheran University Association Inc.  
d/b/a Valparaiso University (VU)

and

Ivy Tech Community College Statewide (ITCC)

For Transfer of Ivy Tech Community College's Associate of Science (A.S.) degree in Psychology to Valparaiso University's Bachelor of Science (B.S.) degree in Psychology

### **Statement of Purpose**

The purpose of this transfer agreement is to provide a basis for a cooperative relationship between VU and ITCC to benefit students who desire to complete a bachelor's degree. The intent is for ITCC students completing the Transfer as a Junior degree program to move seamlessly to the VU Bachelor of Science degree program.

### **Transfer Agreement**

Ivy Tech Community College graduates from the Associate of Science degree program of study in Psychology may transfer and apply 60 credits from that completed degree to the requirements for Valparaiso University's Bachelor of Science degree in Psychology.

***Addendum One:** ITCC Curriculum for Associate of Science in Psychology  
Indiana College Core Requirements  
Associate of Science Course Requirements*

***Addendum Two:** Course Requirements for Transfer Details*

The course requirements for this transfer agreement, including remaining courses required at VU (transfer institution) to fulfill the baccalaureate degree requirements and a sample semester sequence

***Addendum Three:** Indiana College Core Course Transfer Information*

Additionally, under the terms of this agreement:

1. Ivy Tech students are eligible for admission with junior standing to VU provided:
  - a. The student has submitted a complete application for admission to VU.
  - b. A course grade of "C" or better must be earned to be accepted for transfer<sup>1</sup>.
  - c. The student has a 2.5 or higher grade-point average on a 4-point scale<sup>2</sup>.
2. As ITCC graduates complete the credit hour requirements for the award of the B.S. degree in Psychology, they must meet the graduation requirements as approved by VU at the time of the student's admission to the B.S. degree in Psychology.
3. Written notice of intention to terminate, modify, or withdraw from this Articulation Agreement will be submitted by the academic head of either institution at least one academic semester prior to the proposed date of termination/withdrawal. Should a decision be made to modify or dissolve this agreement, students who are already attending VU at the time will be permitted to continue as long as their academic performance remains in good standing.

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<sup>1</sup> VU policy is "C-" or better. ITCC requested "C" or better to align with ITCC grading system.


<sup>2</sup> Minimum admissible GPA for VU transfer student admission.


4. Recognizing that changes in curricula and course content are inevitable, each institution agrees to discuss with the other institution all curriculum changes affecting this agreement before the changes are implemented.
  
5. This agreement becomes effective when all signatures are affixed and remains in effect for two years from the date below. After two years, the agreement may be renewed with or without modification by mutual agreement of both Ivy Tech Community College and Valparaiso University.


Agreed to March 22, 2022 (date)

**Ivy Tech Community College**

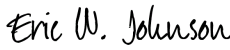
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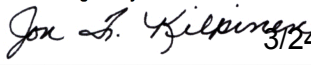
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**Addendum One: Ivy Tech Community College Curriculum  
College-Wide Curriculum of Record  
School of Arts, Sciences, and Education  
Psychology Program  
Associate of Science Degree  
2021-22**

Recommended Full-Time Course Sequence

The following suggested sequence includes all course requirements for this degree.

		Credits
*ENGL 111	English Composition	3
*COMM 101	Fundamentals of Public Speaking	3
*PSYC 101	Introduction to Psychology	3
IVYT 111	Student Success in University Transfer	1
	<b>*Select one of the following</b>	3
MATH 123	Quantitative Reasoning	
MATH 135	Finite Math	
MATH 136	College Algebra	
*COMM 102	Intro to Interpersonal Communication	3
ENGL 215	Rhetoric and Argument	3
PSYC 201	Lifespan Development	3
*SOCI 111	Introduction to Sociology	3
	<b>*Select one of the following</b>	3-5
BIOL 101	Introductory Biology (3 credits)	
BIOL 105	Biology I (5)	
BIOL 107	Biology II (5)	
BIOL 121	General Biology I (4)	
*PSYC 205	Abnormal Psychology	3
PSYC 253	Social Psychology	3
PHIL 102	Introduction to Ethics	3
	<b>*Select one of the following</b>	4
FREN 101	French Level I or higher	
SPAN 101	Spanish Level I or higher	
GERM 101	German Level I or higher	
^PSYC 212	Research Methods in Psychology	4
	<b>*Select one of the following</b>	4
FREN 102	French Level II or higher	
SPAN 102	Spanish Level II or higher	
GERM 102	German Level II or higher	
XXXX XXX	<b>Select one of the following Social and Behavioral Ways of Knowing Electives</b>	3

ANTH 154 Cultural Anthropology  
 ECON 201 Principles of Macroeconomics  
 ECON 202 Principles of Microeconomics  
 HIST 101 Survey of American History I  
 HIST 102 Survey of American History II  
 POLS 101 Intro to American Government & Politics  
 POLS 211 Intro to World Politics  
 PSYC 240 Human Sexuality  
 SOCI 245 Cultural Diversity  
 SOCI 252 Social Problems

XXXX XXX **Select a different subject than previously  
 completed from the following Social and  
 Behavioral Ways of Knowing Electives** 3

ANTH 154 Cultural Anthropology  
 ECON 201 Principles of Macroeconomics  
 ECON 202 Principles of Microeconomics  
 HIST 101 Survey of American History I  
 HIST 102 Survey of American History II  
 POLS 101 Intro to American Government & Politics  
 POLS 211 Intro to World Politics  
 PSYC 240 Human Sexuality  
 SOCI 245 Cultural Diversity  
 SOCI 252 Social Problems

XXXX XXX Any Other ICC Elective 3

**Total 60 credits**

^ Capstone Course

\* Required for Indiana College Core (ICC) Certificate

The Indiana College Core (ICC) Certificate requirements for this degree require a minimum of 30 credits. The ICC Certificate requires a minimum of one course from six areas of study. The number of ICC elective courses shown above may vary based on required ICC course credits earned, area of study, and the student's Individual Academic Plan. The remaining degree requirements provide a mechanism for students to obtain the required minimum 60 credits to graduate with the appropriate Associate level transfer degree.

**Addendum Two: Valparaiso University Course Equivalencies and Requirements**  
**Bachelor of Science in Psychology**  
**2021-22**

ITCC Course	ITCC Title	ITCC Credit Hours	VU Course	VU Credit Hours
<b>ITCC Transfer General Education Curriculum</b>				
ENGL 111	English Composition	3	CORE 110 (+CORE 115 equiv. based on >30 trf credits)	3
COMM 101	Fundamentals of Public Speaking	3	CVA 243	3
COMM 102	Intro to Interpersonal Communication	3	CVA 145	3
Choose One: MATH 123, MATH 135, or MATH 136	Quantitative Reasoning, Finite Math, or College Algebra	3	MATH 120, MATH 124, or MATH 111 + TR UND	3, 3, or 1+2
Choose One: BIOL 101, BIOL 105, BIOL 107, or BIOL 121	Introductory Biology, Biology I, Biology II, or General Biology I	3, 5, 5, or 4	BIO-UNDNS, BIO 171 + BIO 171L + TR UND, BIO 172 + BIO 172L + TR UND, or BIO 171 + BIO 171L	3, 4+0+1, 4+0+1, or 4+0
PSYC 101	Introduction to Psychology	3	PSY 110	3
PSYC 205	Abnormal Psychology	3	PSYC 235	3
SOCI 111	Introduction to Sociology	3	SOC 110	3
Choose One: FREN 101, SPAN 101, or GERM 101	French Level I, Spanish Level I, or German Level I	4	FLF UND, or FLS UND, or FLG UND	4
<b>ITCC Program Course Requirements</b>				
ENGL 215	Rhetoric and Argument	3	ENGL 431	3
PHIL 102	Introduction to Ethics	3	PHIL 125	3
PSYC 201	Lifespan Development	3	PSY 215	3
PSYC 253	Social Psychology	3	PSY 225	3

Continue Previous Language, Choose: FREN 102, SPAN 102, or GERM 102	French Level 2, Spanish Level 2, or German Level 2	4	FLF UND, FLS UND, or FLG UND	4
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**ITCC Other Institutional Requirements**

IVYT 111	Student Success in University Transfer	1	TR UND	1
PSYC 212	Research Methods in Psychology	4	PSY 202	3+1

**ITCC Indiana Core Electives**

Social and Behavioral Ways of Knowing Elective - <b>Choose One<sup>3</sup>:</b> ANTH 154, ECON 201, ECON 202, HIST 101, HIST 102, POLS 101, POLS 211, PSYC 240, SOC 245, or SOC 252	Cultural Anthropology, Principles of Macroeconomics, Principles of Microeconomics, Survey of American History I, Survey of American History II, Intro to American Government & Politics, Intro to World Politics, Human Sexuality, Cultural Diversity, or Social Problems	3	TR-UNDCD, ECON 222, ECON 221, HIST 120, HIST 121, POLS 120, POLS 150, PSY-UNDCD, SOC- UNDCD, SOC 210	3
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Social and Behavioral Ways of Knowing Elective - <b>Select a different subject than previously completed:</b> ANTH 154, ECON 201, ECON 202, HIST 101, HIST 102, POLS 101, POLS 211, PSYC 240, SOC 245, or SOC 252	Cultural Anthropology, Principles of Macroeconomics, Principles of Microeconomics, Survey of American History I, Survey of American History II, Intro to American Government & Politics, Intro to World Politics, Human Sexuality, Cultural Diversity, or Social Problems	3	TR-UNDCD, ECON 222, ECON 221, HIST 120, HIST 121, POLS 120, POLS 150, PSY-UNDCD, SOC- UNDCD, SOC 210	3
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<sup>3</sup> These courses fulfill both an Ivy Tech and a VU General Education requirement. If a student chooses a different Social and Behavioral Ways of Knowing Elective from the ICC Certificate, that course will transfer to VU as undistributed elective credit toward the Bachelor of Science degree requirements. The student will then fulfill the missing VU Bachelor of Science General Education requirement at VU in place of an elective.

XXXX XXX	Any Other ICC Elective	3	3
<b>Total Credits for ITCC A.S. in Psychology Degree</b>		<b>60</b>	<b>Total Transfer Credits to VU</b>
			<b>60</b>

### Sample course sequence for B.S. in Psychology 40-Credit Major at Valparaiso University

#### Fifth Semester

VU Course	VU Course Title	Credits
PSY 102	Intro to Professional Development in Psychology	1.5
PSY 111	Lab in General Experimental Psychology	1
BIO 151 or 171 (if equivalent not completed at ITCC)	Anatomy & Physiology I or Unity of Life	4
MATH 124 (if equivalent not completed at ITCC)	Finite Math	4
PSY 245 or 350	Physiological Psychology or Human Cognition	3
Remaining Gen Ed (could fulfill WIC here)		3
<b>Total Semester</b>		<b>16.5</b>

#### Sixth Semester

VU Course	VU Course Title	Credits
PSY 201	Statistical Methods	3
PSY Electives		6
THEO 200 (could fulfill WIC here)	The Christian Tradition	3
Remaining Gen Ed (could fulfill WIC here)		3
<b>Total Semester</b>		<b>15</b>

#### Seventh Semester

VU Course	VU Course Title	Credits
PSY 302	Advanced Professional Development in Psychology	1.5
PSY XXX	Exp Psychology w/ Lab	4
PSY XXX	Exp Psychology w/ Lab	4
THEO 300		3
KIN 101	Wellness and Stress	1
Other Elective		3
<b>Total Semester</b>		<b>16.5</b>

**Eighth Semester**

<b>VU Course</b>	<b>VU Course Title</b>	<b>Credits</b>
PSY 493	Senior Seminar	0
PSY Capstone	Capstone Experience	1-3
PSY Elective		3
Other Electives		10-12
<b>Total Semester</b>		<b>16</b>

**Total Credit Requirement at VU: 124 credits (60 transfer + 64 VU)**



### **Addendum Three: Indiana College Core Course Transfer Information**

The following courses or discipline categories are recommended or required to fulfill Ivy Tech Community College's Indiana College Core for students pursuing the Bachelor of Science degree in Psychology from Valparaiso University. The information below provides details on how these course requirements will be transferred to meet Valparaiso University degree requirements.

#### **Ivy Tech Community College Courses Fulfilling Indiana College Core Competencies**

**\*\* All courses are appropriate for STEM programs unless otherwise noted.**

***Written Communication*** **3 credits** **STEM: 3 credits**  
ENGL 111 English Composition\* transfers as **CORE 110 First-Year Seminar** with CORE 115 First-Year Seminar being waived by transferring in >30 credits toward the BS degree requirements. Students will complete another Writing Intensive Course (WIC) at VU.

***Speaking and Listening*** **6 credits** **STEM: 6 credits**  
COMM 101 Fundamentals of Public Speaking\* and/or COMM 102 Intro to Interpersonal Communication\* transfer as CVA 243 Public Speaking, CVA 145 Interpersonal and Small Group Communication elective credit toward the BS degree requirements.

***Quantitative Reasoning*** **3 credits** **STEM: 3 credits**  
MATH 123 Quantitative Reasoning; MATH 136 College Algebra transfer as elective credit (MATH 120 Mathematics in Modern Society and MATH 111 College Algebra, respectively) preparing students for the next class needed for the Quantitative Analysis BS degree requirement. MATH 135 Finite Math transfers as MATH 124 Finite Math in partial fulfillment the Quantitative Analysis BS degree requirement (remaining requirement would be fulfilled by completing Psychology Statistics at VU).

***Scientific Ways of Knowing*** **3-5 credits** **STEM: 3-5 credits**  
BIOL 101 Introductory Biology; BIOL 105 Biology I; BIOL 107 Biology II; or BIOL 121 General Biology I transfer as fulfilling half of the **Natural Science** cluster for the BS degree requirements. All except BIOL 101 also transfer as fulfilling the biology course requirement for the Psychology major.

***Social and Behavioral Ways of Knowing*** **9-12 credits** **STEM: 9-12 credits**  
ECON 201 Principles of Economics; ECON 202 Principles of Microeconomics; POLS 101 Introduction to American Government and Politics; POLS 211 Introduction to World Politics; and SOCI 111 Introduction to Sociology; transfer as fulfilling half of the **Social Science** cluster for the BS degree requirements.  
ANTH 154 Cultural Anthropology; PSYC 240 Human Sexuality; SOCI 245 Cultural Diversity; and SOCI 252 Social Problems transfer as fulfilling the **Cultural Diversity** BS degree requirement.  
HIST 101 Survey of American History I; HIST 102 Survey of American History II; and HIST 112 World Civilization II transfer as fulfilling half of the **Humanities** cluster for the BS degree requirement.  
PSYC 101 Introduction to Psychology transfers as fulfilling half of the **Natural Science** cluster for the BS degree requirement when the student completes PSY 111 General Psychology Lab at VU.  
PSYC 201 Lifespan Development; PSYC 205 Abnormal Psychology transfer as psychology major courses.  
ECON 101 Economics Fundamentals; SOCI 164 Multicultural Studies; and HIST 111 World Civilization I transfer as **undistributed elective credit** toward the BS degree requirements.

***Humanistic and Artistic Ways of Knowing***      ***4-7 credits***

***STEM: 4-7 credits***

ARTH 101 Survey of Art & Culture; ARTH 102 Survey of Art and Culture II; ARTH 110 Art Appreciation; ENGL 202 Creative Writing; ENGL 206 Introduction to Literature; ENGL 220 Introduction to World Literature; ENGL 221 Introduction to World Literature After the Renaissance; ENGL 222 American Literature to 1865; ENGL 223 American Literature After 1865; HUMA 118 Music Appreciation; PHIL 102 Introduction to Ethics; transfer as fulfilling half of the **Humanities** cluster for the BS degree requirement.

ENGL 214 Introduction to Poetry; HUMA 100 Theatre Appreciation; PHIL 101 Introduction to Philosophy; PHIL 220 Philosophy of Religion; FREN 101 French Level I; FREN 102 French Level II; FREN 201 French Level III; FREN 202 French Level IV; GERM 101 German Level I; GERM 102 German Level II; SPAN 101 Spanish Level I; SPAN 102 Spanish Level II; SPAN 201 Spanish Level III; SPAN 202 Spanish Level IV transfer as **undistributed elective credit** toward the BS degree requirements.

**Total Indiana College Core**  
**\*CTL courses**

**30 credits**