

City Colleges of Chicago	Columbia College Chicago
<b>Degree:</b> Associate in Arts	<b>Degree:</b> Bachelor of Arts
<b>Focus:</b> Music Business	<b>Major:</b> Music Business
<b>Minimum credits at the City Colleges:</b> 61	<b>Credits completed at Columbia:</b> 59

## Degree Information

As a Music Business major, you will choose a concentration in Recorded Music and Publishing, Live and Touring, or Artist Management so that you can gain relevant experience in your chosen field. Learn more about the major, faculty, and concentrations at [colum.edu/academics/programs/music-business](https://colum.edu/academics/programs/music-business).

## Admissions & Deadlines

Columbia accepts and reviews applications to our Bachelor of Arts programs on a rolling basis and it is to your advantage to complete your application as early as possible. Use the [Transfer Timeline](#) and [Transfer Checklist](#) to plan your transfer.

## Tuition & Scholarships

General Tuition and Fees: [colum.edu/tuition](https://colum.edu/tuition)

Scholarships and Financial Aid: [colum.edu/scholarships](https://colum.edu/scholarships)

## Contact Information

Want to learn more?

Web: [colum.edu/transfer](https://colum.edu/transfer)

Email: [transfer@colum.edu](mailto:transfer@colum.edu)

## More Information

Completion of this transfer guides does not guarantee admission to Columbia College Chicago. Additionally, the Columbia semester plan should be considered a guide and all Columbia transfer students should work with their academic advisor to ensure that they are making progress toward graduation.

All degree-seeking Columbia students are required to complete the Columbia Core which contains the Essential Liberal Arts and Sciences coursework in addition to mission-specific graduation requirements: Nine credit hours of 200-level (or higher) coursework, 3 credit hours of Columbia Experience coursework, and at least two courses (6 credit hours) with a Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion (DEI) designation to meet graduation requirements.

# City Colleges of Chicago Transfer Pathway

## SEMESTER 1

City Colleges of Chicago		Columbia College Chicago
Course Title	Credits	Course Title
BUSINESS 111 Introduction to Business	3	Collegewide Elective*
ENGLISH 101 Composition I	3	ENGL 111 Writing and Rhetoric I
MATH 118 General Education Math (or higher course)	4	Mathematics course
SOC SCI 102 General Course II Social Science	3	Social Science course
PHILOSOPHY 105 Logic OR other IAI Humanities course	3	Humanities course

## SEMESTER 2

City Colleges of Chicago		Columbia College Chicago
Course Title	Credits	Course Title
BUSINESS 181 Financial Accounting	4	BUSE 201 Accounting
ECONOMICS 201 Principles of Economics I	3	BUSE 210 Economics for Creatives
ENGLISH 102 Composition II	3	ENGL 112 Writing and Rhetoric II
MUSIC 221 Music Literature & History OR other IAI Fine Arts course	3	Humanities course

## SEMESTER 3

City Colleges of Chicago		Columbia College Chicago
Course Title	Credits	Course Title
MUSIC 120 Introduction to Music Business	3	BUSE 135 Business of Music
PSYCH 201 General Psychology	3	200-Level Social Science course
SPEECH 101 Fundamentals of Speech Communication	3	Meets IAI Communication requirements
200-Level Humanities OR other 200-Level Fine Arts course**	3	200-Level Humanities course
IAI Physical Science course with lab	4	Science course with lab

## SEMESTER 4

City Colleges of Chicago		Columbia College Chicago
Course Title	Credits	Course Title
BUSINESS 211 Business Law I OR BUSINESS 214 The Legal & Social Environment of Business	3	BUSE 205 Law for Creative Industries
BUSINESS 213 Data Visualization and Presentation for Business	3	BUSE 109 Information Management
ENGLISH 105 Business Writing	3	BUSE 208 Business Writing
IAI Life Science course	4	Science course
IAI Social and Behavioral Science course	3	Social Science course

**Total transfer credits toward Columbia degree**

**61**

\*Collegewide Electives will be applied toward required graduation hours at Columbia College Chicago.

\*\*The City College's Human Diversity requirement must be met by taking either a Social & Behavioral Science, Fine Arts, or Humanities course designated with an HD in their catalog.

# Remaining Coursework at Columbia College Chicago

## SEMESTER 5

Course Title	Credits
BUSE 220 Entertainment Marketing	3
BUSE 308 Entrepreneurship	3
BUSE 334 Digital Media Strategies	3
Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion designated course	3
Collegewide Elective or Minor Course	3
<b>Total Credit Hours</b>	<b>15</b>

## SEMESTER 6

Course Title	Credits
BUSE 250 Music Publishing	3
Concentration course	3
Concentration course	3
CCCX Columbia Experience course with DEI designation	3
Collegewide Elective or Minor Course	3
<b>Total Credit Hours</b>	<b>15</b>

## SEMESTER 7

Course Title	Credits
BUSE 354 Decision Making: Music Business	3
BUSE 358 Marketing Data Analytics	3
Concentration course	3
Collegewide Elective or Minor Course	3
Collegewide Elective or Minor Course	3
<b>Total Credit Hours</b>	<b>15</b>

## SEMESTER 8

Course Title	Credits
400-Level Concentration Practicum course	3
Collegewide Elective or Minor Course	3
Collegewide Elective or Minor Course	3
Collegewide Elective or Minor Course	3
Collegewide Elective or Minor Course	2
<b>Total Credit Hours</b>	<b>14</b>

**Total Degree Credit Hours**

**120**