

Transfer Schools

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The following is the list of my top transfer schools: The University of Central Florida, University of Florida, Florida International University, Carnegie Mellon University, and Illinois Institute of Technology. I believe these schools are the best for me in terms of the great Information Technology majors they have. I want to learn more about networking and telecommunication and, unlike most schools with IT programs, the schools in my list have networking as part of the curriculum.

Although my list of universities is not in order, the University of Central Florida (UCF) is the school I'd like to attend. My main reason is that they provide an emphasis on computer networks as part of the course description on their website for the Information Technology major. I have satisfied the freshman requirements including, PSY2012, ENC1101, and MAC1105, however, I must take more classes next semester to satisfy the sophomore requirements.

The University of Florida (UF) is another school where I can take advantage of Bright Futures. The major listed there is Information Systems, where I would learn about economics, mathematics, computing skills, and accounting. The total cost of attendance is \$23,150 for the 2023-24 school year.

The major listed in Florida International University (FIU) is also Information Technology and the prerequisite classes are COP2250, MAD2104, and CGS2518. There are student organizations that correspond to my major like, Women in Computer Science (WiCS), Women in CyberSecurity (WiCyS), and Upsilon Pi Epsilon (UPE). The mission statement for the Knight

Foundation School of Computing and Information Sciences, the college my program is in, is to provide a high-quality learning experience to learn technical concepts.

Carnegie Mellon University has an Information Systems major, which is similar to IT but implements some business factors into it. A college transcript, high school transcripts, a recommendation from a professor or advisor, and a college report are all required to transfer to Carnegie Mellon. SAT/ACT scores are not required nor recommended for the transfer process.

Like my previous college, Illinois Institute of Technology has a Computer Information Systems major, but also has a Computer Networking minor which goes hand-in-hand with the career I want to pursue, network administration. This minor would allow me to learn more about how data is connected and transferred to different networks. Illinois Tech is a private non-profit university; therefore, the cost of attendance is expensive: \$74,047.