

Computer Science

GENERAL INFORMATION

Admission to the Donald Bren School of Information and Computer Science is based on completion of the required preparatory courses and academic performance. *This major is a pre-requisite for the Computer Science major.*

Required for admission:

Students must have a cumulative GPA of 3.0 and grade of B or higher in the following courses:

- **One year of computer programming courses* in a single object-oriented language courses that do not directly articulate to I&C SCI 31-33. Computer science courses do not meet this requirement.**
- Two semesters/two quarters of approved first-year Calculus
- One additional approved transferable course for the major (an approved transferable course for the major)

Additional Approved Courses:

- One course in advanced data structures
- One course in machine organization and assembly language (both topics)
- One course in software engineering
- One course in discrete mathematics
- One course in Boolean algebra
- One course in linear algebra

***NOTE:** Additional computer science courses beyond the two required are encouraged for students with a strong interest. Our first year of object-oriented programming is taught in Python. Students should plan to learn it by studying on their own or by completing a course in Python.

Additional courses beyond those required for admission must be taken to transfer to the upper-division courses. For some transfer students, this may mean that it will be necessary to take additional courses.

Students should have I&C SCI 31-33 credit first in order to move further in the major.

In fulfillment of the requirements below, a single course may be used only once for the major.

For information regarding the [AP and IB examination](#) credit policies refer to the [General Information](#) section.

MAJOR PREPARATION COURSES

I&C SCI 31 - Introduction to Programming (4.00)

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I&C SCI 32 - Programming with Software Libraries (4.00)

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I&C SCI 33 - Intermediate Programming (4.00)

- *Please refer to additional important General Information section above*

MATH 2A - Single-Variable Calculus (4.00)

MATH 2B - Single-Variable Calculus (4.00)

One additional approved transferable course for the major (an approved Math, Science, or CSE course):

- *Please refer to additional important General Information section above*

ONE ADDITIONAL APPROVED TRANSFERABLE COURSE

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MATH 3A - Introduction to Linear Algebra (4.00)

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Requirement by Major

2022-2023 Academic Year

From: Los Angeles City College
2022-2023 General Catalog, Semester

Computer Science, B.S.

ADMISSIONS INFORMATION

The program is highly competitive. The most important selection criteria are completion of the TAG program. *Students who do not participate in the TAG program.*

Complete all required courses below:

Object-oriented programming language (Python, Java, or C++). Object-oriented programming can be used to satisfy the admissions requirements. Introduction to

(Completed math or CS course - see below)

(All required courses must be covered)

UCI strongly recommends, particularly those that align with the major of Computer Science. C++ and Java are used extensively in the curriculum; therefore, transfer students should complete related programming courses prior to their first quarter at UCI.

Students must fulfill the lower-division degree requirements, as many are prerequisites for upper-division courses. It may take longer than two years to complete their degree.

Students must apply to the program here at UCI.

Students must complete the TAG program once.

Students must consult the UCI General Catalogue.

COURSES REQUIRED FOR TRANSFER

CS 113 - Programming in JAVA (3.00)

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CS 213 - Advanced Programming in JAVA (3.00)

MATH 261 - Calculus I (5.00)

MATH 262 - Calculus II (5.00)

No Course Articulated

COURSE FOR THE MAJOR (MATH OR CS COURSE)

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MATH 270 - Linear Algebra (3.00)

Or ---

I&C SCI 6N - Computational Linear Algebra (4.00)	←
I&C SCI 6B - Boolean Logic and Discrete Structures (4.00)	←
I&C SCI 6D - Discrete Mathematics for Computer Science (4.00)	←
I&C SCI 45C - Programming in C/C++ as a Second Language (4.00)	←
I&C SCI 46 - Data Structure Implementation and Analysis (4.00)	←
I&C SCI 51 - Introductory Computer Organization (6.00)	←
I&C SCI 53 - Principles in System Design (4.00)	←
IN4MATX 43 - Introduction to Software Engineering (4.00)	←
STATS 67 - Introduction to Probability and Statistics for Computer Science (4.00)	←
Two courses approved for General Education Category II except those related to computing/engineering, economics, or mathematics	←

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