



# Washington University in St. Louis

## GRADUATE SCHOOL OF ARTS & SCIENCES

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### TRANSFER OF CREDIT POLICY

A maximum of 6 semester hours may ordinarily be transferred from an institution of recognized graduate standing toward fulfillment of requirements for the master's degree from Washington University. Applications to transfer credits for a master's degree are not ordinarily approved until one full semester of study (12 semester hours) has been completed at Washington University. Academic credits applied to complete requirements for the bachelor's degree are ordinarily not transferable toward the fulfillment of advanced degree requirements at Washington University. Likewise, academic credits counted toward requirements for any completed graduate degree are ordinarily not transferrable toward a subsequent degree of equivalent or lower level.

For Ph.D. students, the maximum credit ordinarily transferable is one full year of study (24 semester hours). Applications to transfer credit are not ordinarily approved, however, until one full year has been completed at Washington University. Academic credits counted toward requirements for the bachelor's degree are ordinarily not transferable toward the doctoral degree. Likewise, academic credits counted toward requirements for any completed graduate degree are ordinarily not transferrable toward a subsequent degree of equivalent or lower level.

All transfers of credit are evaluated by the department or program which must recommend the transfer to the Graduate School Office.

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