



UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS SYSTEM

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# First-Time Transfer Characteristics Fall 2013



## Introduction

The University of Illinois System is among the preeminent public university systems in the nation and strives constantly to sustain and enhance its quality in teaching, research, public service, healthcare, and economic development. The system is made up of three distinctive institutions located in Urbana-Champaign, Chicago, and Springfield. Combined they bring resources, capabilities, and drive that are greater than the sum of their parts – altogether extraordinary.

The System enrolls almost 84,000 students at its three institutions as well as online. The programs at the University are the most comprehensive in the State ranging from general undergraduate education to post-doctoral studies. The System produces just under 22,000 degrees annually and is the State's largest provider of science, engineering, and health related degrees at all levels; undergraduate, graduate, and professional.

Presented here are first-time transfer characteristics at each institution and in total for the University of Illinois System. Data is presented according to state and federal reporting guidelines and definitions.

**University of Illinois System  
Fall 2013 First-Time Transfer Characteristics**

**Race/Ethnicity, Gender, and Residency**

	Urbana-Champaign		Chicago		Springfield		Total	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
<b>Race/Ethnicity*</b>								
American Indian or Alaska Native	.	.	6	0.4	.	.	6	0.2
Asian	114	8.5	225	13.7	23	3.7	362	10.0
Black or African American	59	4.4	132	8.0	63	10.2	254	7.0
Hispanic/Latino	97	7.2	329	20.1	29	4.7	455	12.6
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	1	0.1	4	0.2	.	.	5	0.1
White	749	55.8	763	46.5	447	72.1	1,959	54.4
Two or more races	29	2.2	36	2.2	13	2.1	78	2.2
Race and ethnicity unknown	16	1.2	90	5.5	27	4.4	133	3.7
Nonresident alien	278	20.7	55	3.4	18	2.9	351	9.7
<b>Gender</b>								
Male	738	55.0	815	49.7	328	52.9	1,881	52.2
Female	605	45.0	825	50.3	292	47.1	1,722	47.8
<b>Residency**</b>								
Resident	1,013	75.4	1,549	94.5	479	77.3	3,041	84.4
Non-Resident/Unknown	52	3.9	36	2.2	123	19.8	211	5.9
International	278	20.7	55	3.4	18	2.9	351	9.7
<b>Total</b>	1,343	100.0	1,640	100.0	620	100.0	3,603	100.0

\*US Department of Education racial/ethnic reporting categories were revised in Fall 2010. Prior to that Pacific Islander were included in the Asian category.

\*\*International based on citizen type. Illinois and non-Illinois derived by address at time of application/admission. Prior to Fall16, UIS is based on residency for tuition purposes.

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**Full/Part-Time, Class, and Age Range**

	Urbana-Champaign		Chicago		Springfield		Total	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
<b>Full/Part Status</b>								
<b>Full-Time</b>	1,327	98.8	1,468	89.5	395	63.7	3,190	88.5
<b>Part-Time</b>	16	1.2	172	10.5	225	36.3	413	11.5
<b>Class Level at Transfer</b>								
<b>Advanced Freshman</b>	106	7.9	61	3.7	27	4.4	194	5.4
<b>Sophomore</b>	606	45.1	533	32.5	103	16.6	1,242	34.5
<b>Junior</b>	574	42.7	810	49.4	324	52.3	1,708	47.4
<b>Senior</b>	57	4.2	236	14.4	166	26.8	459	12.7
<b>Age Range</b>								
<b>Under 18</b>	3	0.2	1	0.1	.	.	4	0.1
<b>18</b>	21	1.6	10	0.6	2	0.3	33	0.9
<b>19</b>	347	25.8	114	7.0	34	5.5	495	13.7
<b>20</b>	572	42.6	474	28.9	108	17.4	1,154	32.0
<b>21</b>	206	15.3	308	18.8	67	10.8	581	16.1
<b>22</b>	70	5.2	179	10.9	51	8.2	300	8.3
<b>23</b>	34	2.5	115	7.0	38	6.1	187	5.2
<b>24</b>	19	1.4	80	4.9	21	3.4	120	3.3
<b>25 and over</b>	71	5.3	359	21.9	299	48.2	729	20.2
<b>Total</b>	1,343	100.0	1,640	100.0	620	100.0	3,603	100.0

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**Illinois Transfer Institutions**

		Urbana-Champaign		Chicago		Springfield		Total	
		N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
<b>Public Universities</b>	<b>Chicago State University</b>	.	.	1	0.1	2	0.3	3	0.1
	<b>Eastern Illinois University</b>	10	0.7	13	0.8	1	0.2	24	0.7
	<b>Illinois State University</b>	29	2.2	15	0.9	7	1.1	51	1.4
	<b>Northeastern Illinois University</b>	6	0.4	14	0.9	.	.	20	0.6
	<b>Northern Illinois University</b>	7	0.5	15	0.9	.	.	22	0.6
	<b>Southern Illinois University at Carbondale</b>	11	0.8	4	0.2	5	0.8	20	0.6
	<b>Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville</b>	7	0.5	1	0.1	15	2.4	23	0.6
	<b>University of Illinois at Chicago</b>	34	2.5	.	.	1	0.2	35	1.0
	<b>University of Illinois at Springfield</b>	1	0.1	1	0.1	.	.	2	0.1
	<b>University of Illinois at Urbana - Champaign</b>	.	.	62	3.8	7	1.1	69	1.9
	<b>Western Illinois University</b>	8	0.6	7	0.4	3	0.5	18	0.5
	<b>Total</b>	113	8.4	133	8.1	41	6.6	287	8.0
<b>Community Colleges</b>									
	<b>Black Hawk College</b>	8	0.6	3	0.2	5	0.8	16	0.4
	<b>Black Hawk College East Campus</b>	2	0.1	.	.	.	.	2	0.1
	<b>CCC - Central Office</b>	.	.	4	0.2	1	0.2	5	0.1
	<b>CCC - Harold Washington College</b>	11	0.8	114	7.0	6	1.0	131	3.6
	<b>CCC - Harry S Truman College</b>	5	0.4	47	2.9	.	.	52	1.4
	<b>CCC - Kennedy King College</b>	.	.	11	0.7	.	.	11	0.3
	<b>CCC - Malcolm X College</b>	.	.	25	1.5	1	0.2	26	0.7
	<b>CCC - Olive Harvey College</b>	1	0.1	7	0.4	.	.	8	0.2
	<b>CCC - Richard J Daley College</b>	.	.	31	1.9	.	.	31	0.9
	<b>CCC - Wilbur Wright College</b>	3	0.2	70	4.3	1	0.2	74	2.1
	<b>Carl Sandburg College</b>	1	0.1	1	0.1	3	0.5	5	0.1
	<b>College of Du Page</b>	73	5.4	139	8.5	13	2.1	225	6.2
	<b>College of Lake County</b>	35	2.6	63	3.8	11	1.8	109	3.0
	<b>Danville Area Community College</b>	8	0.6	1	0.1	.	.	9	0.2
	<b>Elgin Community College</b>	27	2.0	40	2.4	3	0.5	70	1.9
	<b>Heartland Community College</b>	3	0.2	3	0.2	5	0.8	11	0.3
	<b>Highland Community College</b>	2	0.1	1	0.1	3	0.5	6	0.2
	<b>IECC - Lincoln Trail College</b>	.	.	.	.	1	0.2	1	0.0
	<b>IECC - Olney Central College</b>	.	.	1	0.1	.	.	1	0.0
	<b>IECC - System Office Olney</b>	9	0.7	.	.	.	.	9	0.2
	<b>IECC - Wabash Valley College</b>	.	.	.	.	1	0.2	1	0.0
	<b>Illinois Central College</b>	34	2.5	6	0.4	41	6.6	81	2.2
	<b>Illinois Valley Community College</b>	15	1.1	1	0.1	4	0.6	20	0.6
	<b>John A. Logan College</b>	2	0.1	.	.	.	.	2	0.1
<b>John Wood Community College</b>	1	0.1	.	.	7	1.1	8	0.2	

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		Urbana-Champaign		Chicago		Springfield		Total	
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<b>Community Colleges</b>	Joliet Junior College	25	1.9	73	4.5	4	0.6	102	2.8
	Kankakee Community College	4	0.3	3	0.2	4	0.6	11	0.3
	Kaskaskia College	8	0.6	.	.	3	0.5	11	0.3
	Kishwaukee College	6	0.4	6	0.4	1	0.2	13	0.4
	Lake Land College	18	1.3	4	0.2	3	0.5	25	0.7
	Lewis & Clark Community College	2	0.1	.	.	7	1.1	9	0.2
	Lincoln Land Community College	23	1.7	1	0.1	147	23.7	171	4.7
	McHenry County College	9	0.7	24	1.5	4	0.6	37	1.0
	Moraine Valley Community College	23	1.7	131	8.0	2	0.3	156	4.3
	Morton College	1	0.1	44	2.7	1	0.2	46	1.3
	Oakton Community College	24	1.8	90	5.5	2	0.3	116	3.2
	Parkland College	178	13.3	9	0.5	16	2.6	203	5.6
	Prairie State College	4	0.3	12	0.7	3	0.5	19	0.5
	Rend Lake College	.	.	.	.	1	0.2	1	0.0
	Richland Community College	7	0.5	.	.	15	2.4	22	0.6
	Rock Valley College	14	1.0	5	0.3	4	0.6	23	0.6
	Sauk Valley Community College	6	0.4	2	0.1	1	0.2	9	0.2
	South Suburban College of Cook County	3	0.2	12	0.7	.	.	15	0.4
	Southeastern Illinois College	2	0.1	.	.	2	0.3	4	0.1
	Southwestern Illinois College	5	0.4	1	0.1	5	0.8	11	0.3
	Spoon River College	1	0.1	.	.	3	0.5	4	0.1
Triton College	5	0.4	70	4.3	2	0.3	77	2.1	
Waubensee Community College	14	1.0	26	1.6	6	1.0	46	1.3	
William Rainey Harper College	49	3.6	100	6.1	6	1.0	155	4.3	
<b>Total</b>	<b>671</b>	<b>50.0</b>	<b>1,181</b>	<b>72.0</b>	<b>348</b>	<b>56.1</b>	<b>2,200</b>	<b>61.1</b>	
<b>Private Institutions</b>									
	American Academy of Art	1	0.1	1	0.1	.	.	2	0.1
	Augustana College	5	0.4	1	0.1	.	.	6	0.2
	Aurora University	2	0.1	1	0.1	.	.	3	0.1
	Benedictine University	1	0.1	1	0.1	3	0.5	5	0.1
	Bradley University	3	0.2	2	0.1	3	0.5	8	0.2
	Columbia College	4	0.3	10	0.6	.	.	14	0.4
	Concordia University	2	0.1	1	0.1	.	.	3	0.1
	DePaul University	17	1.3	10	0.6	.	.	27	0.7
	DeVry University	.	.	2	0.1	1	0.2	3	0.1
	Dominican University	3	0.2	2	0.1	.	.	5	0.1
	East West University	.	.	2	0.1	.	.	2	0.1
	Elmhurst College	2	0.1	2	0.1	1	0.2	5	0.1

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<b>Private Institutions</b>	<b>Illinois College</b>	.	.	.	.	4	0.6	4	0.1
	<b>Illinois Institute of Art (The)</b>	.	.	1	0.1	.	.	1	0.0
	<b>Illinois Institute of Technology</b>	1	0.1	4	0.2	.	.	5	0.1
	<b>Illinois Wesleyan University</b>	8	0.6	4	0.2	.	.	12	0.3
	<b>Knox College</b>	.	.	1	0.1	.	.	1	0.0
	<b>Lake Forest College</b>	1	0.1	1	0.1	.	.	2	0.1
	<b>Lewis University</b>	2	0.1	4	0.2	.	.	6	0.2
	<b>Lincoln College</b>	3	0.2	2	0.1	6	1.0	11	0.3
	<b>Loyola University Chicago</b>	18	1.3	8	0.5	.	.	26	0.7
	<b>MacMurray College</b>	.	.	.	.	1	0.2	1	0.0
	<b>Millikin University</b>	2	0.1	.	.	1	0.2	3	0.1
	<b>Moody Bible Institute</b>	.	.	1	0.1	.	.	1	0.0
	<b>North Central College</b>	6	0.4	.	.	.	.	6	0.2
	<b>North Park University</b>	1	0.1	1	0.1	.	.	2	0.1
	<b>Northwestern Business College</b>	.	.	1	0.1	.	.	1	0.0
	<b>Northwestern University</b>	.	.	1	0.1	.	.	1	0.0
	<b>Olivet Nazarene University</b>	.	.	2	0.1	.	.	2	0.1
	<b>Quincy University</b>	.	.	.	.	1	0.2	1	0.0
	<b>Robert Morris College</b>	1	0.1	7	0.4	4	0.6	12	0.3
	<b>Roosevelt University</b>	2	0.1	9	0.5	.	.	11	0.3
<b>Saint Augustine College</b>	.	.	1	0.1	.	.	1	0.0	
<b>Saint Xavier University</b>	1	0.1	4	0.2	.	.	5	0.1	
<b>School of the Art Institute of Chicago</b>	.	.	1	0.1	.	.	1	0.0	
<b>Springfield College Illinois</b>	.	.	.	.	8	1.3	8	0.2	
<b>Trinity College of Nursing and Health Sciences Schools</b>	.	.	1	0.1	.	.	1	0.0	
<b>University of Chicago (The)</b>	.	.	2	0.1	.	.	2	0.1	
<b>Total</b>	86	6.4	91	5.5	33	5.3	210	5.8	
<b>Out-of-State/Unknown</b>	<b>Out-of-State</b>	471	35.1	166	10.1	167	26.9	804	22.3
	<b>Unknown</b>	2	0.1	69	4.2	31	5.0	102	2.8
	<b>Total</b>	473	35.2	235	14.3	198	31.9	906	25.1
	<b>Total</b>	1,343	100.0	1,640	100.0	620	100.0	3,603	100.0

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**Transfer Hours and GPA Ranges**

	Urbana-Champaign		Chicago		Springfield		Total	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
<b>Transfer Hour Ranges*</b>								
<b>30 or less</b>	114	9.5	50	3.1	26	4.2	190	5.5
<b>31 - 60</b>	530	44.0	570	35.2	125	20.4	1,225	35.6
<b>61 - 90</b>	509	42.2	773	47.8	307	50.0	1,589	46.2
<b>91 or more</b>	52	4.3	225	13.9	156	25.4	433	12.6
<b>Transfer GPA Ranges*</b>								
<b>2.25 or less</b>	2	0.2	11	0.7	71	11.6	84	2.4
<b>2.26 - 2.75</b>	91	7.6	156	9.6	161	26.2	408	11.9
<b>2.76 - 3.25</b>	308	25.6	560	34.6	191	31.1	1,059	30.8
<b>3.25 - 4.00</b>	804	66.7	891	55.1	191	31.1	1,886	54.9
<b>Total</b>	1,205	100.0	1,618	100.0	614	100.0	3,437	100.0

\*Includes only transfer coursework submitted as of census. Unknown/not reported are not included in the distribution.



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**Program by Two-Digit CIP**

	Urbana-Champaign		Chicago		Springfield		Total	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
<b>00 - Undeclared/Unclassified</b>	57	4.2	229	14.0	12	1.9	298	8.3
<b>01 - Agriculture, Agriculture Operations, and Related Sciences</b>	121	9.0	.	.	.	.	121	3.4
<b>03 - Natural Resources and Conservation</b>	13	1.0	.	.	6	1.0	19	0.5
<b>04 - Architecture and Related Services</b>	23	1.7	35	2.1	.	.	58	1.6
<b>05 - Area, Ethnic, Cultural, Gender, and Group Studies</b>	27	2.0	7	0.4	.	.	34	0.9
<b>09 - Communication, Journalism, and Related Programs</b>	87	6.5	.	.	27	4.4	114	3.2
<b>11 - Computer and Information Science and Support Services</b>	24	1.8	88	5.4	136	21.9	248	6.9
<b>13 - Education</b>	39	2.9	29	1.8	.	.	68	1.9
<b>14 - Engineering</b>	201	15.0	208	12.7	.	.	409	11.4
<b>15 - Engineering Technologies and Related Fields</b>	.	.	1	0.1	.	.	1	0.0
<b>16 - Foreign Languages, Literature, and Linguistics</b>	16	1.2	5	0.3	.	.	21	0.6
<b>19 - Family and Consumer Sciences/Human Sciences</b>	8	0.6	.	.	.	.	8	0.2
<b>22 - Legal Professions and Studies</b>	.	.	.	.	7	1.1	7	0.2
<b>23 - English Language and Literature/Letters</b>	35	2.6	22	1.3	23	3.7	80	2.2
<b>24 - Liberal Arts and Science, General Studies and Humanities</b>	.	.	.	.	28	4.5	28	0.8
<b>26 - Biological and Biomedical Sciences</b>	89	6.6	197	12.0	34	5.5	320	8.9
<b>27 - Mathematics and Statistics</b>	48	3.6	8	0.5	24	3.9	80	2.2
<b>30 - Multi/Interdisciplinary Studies</b>	26	1.9	4	0.2	1	0.2	31	0.9
<b>31 - Parks, Recreation, Leisure, and Fitness Studies</b>	58	4.3	52	3.2	.	.	110	3.1
<b>38 - Philosophy and Religious Studies</b>	7	0.5	4	0.2	3	0.5	14	0.4
<b>40 - Physical Science</b>	59	4.4	41	2.5	8	1.3	108	3.0
<b>42 - Psychology</b>	70	5.2	115	7.0	41	6.6	226	6.3
<b>43 - Homeland Security, Law Enforcement, Firefighting</b>	.	.	16	1.0	27	4.4	43	1.2
<b>44 - Public Administration and Social Services Prof.</b>	10	0.7	.	.	27	4.4	37	1.0
<b>45 - Social Science</b>	138	10.3	90	5.5	21	3.4	249	6.9
<b>50 - Visual and Performing Arts</b>	15	1.1	11	0.7	8	1.3	34	0.9
<b>51 - Health Professions and Related Programs</b>	50	3.7	199	12.1	14	2.3	263	7.3
<b>52 - Business, Management, Marketing, and Related Services</b>	97	7.2	266	16.2	164	26.5	527	14.6
<b>54 - History</b>	25	1.9	13	0.8	9	1.5	47	1.3
<b>Total</b>	1,343	100.0	1,640	100.0	620	100.0	3,603	100.0

\*CIP stands for Classification of Instructional Programs, a federal coding system to describe and aggregate college majors. Degree-seeking students with undeclared majors are reported in CIP 00 through Fall 2013. Fall 2014 forward, they are reported in CIP 24.

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**Urbana-Champaign Admissions College**

	<b>N</b>	<b>%</b>
<b>Agr, Consumer, &amp; Env Sciences</b>	162	12.1
<b>Applied Health Sciences</b>	108	8.0
<b>College of Media</b>	36	2.7
<b>Division of General Studies</b>	50	3.7
<b>Education</b>	22	1.6
<b>Engineering</b>	203	15.1
<b>Fine &amp; Applied Arts</b>	45	3.4
<b>Gies College of Business</b>	73	5.4
<b>Liberal Arts &amp; Sciences</b>	634	47.2
<b>School of Social Work</b>	10	0.7
<b>Total</b>	1,343	100.0

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**Chicago Admissions College**

	<b>N</b>	<b>%</b>
<b>Applied Health Sciences</b>	85	5.2
<b>Architecture, Design, &amp; the Arts</b>	111	6.8
<b>Business Administration</b>	281	17.1
<b>Education</b>	21	1.3
<b>Engineering</b>	287	17.5
<b>Liberal Arts &amp; Sciences</b>	674	41.1
<b>Nursing</b>	162	9.9
<b>School of Public Health</b>	6	0.4
<b>Urban Planning &amp; Public Affairs</b>	13	0.8
<b>Total</b>	1,640	100.0

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**Springfield Admissions College**

	<b>N</b>	<b>%</b>
<b>Business and Management</b>	170	27.4
<b>Education and Human Services</b>	27	4.4
<b>Liberal Arts &amp; Sciences</b>	356	57.4
<b>Provost &amp; VC Acad Affairs</b>	12	1.9
<b>Public Affairs &amp; Administratn</b>	55	8.9
<b>Total</b>	620	100.0

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**Urbana-Champaign Top 25 Majors**

<b>Rank</b>	<b>Major</b>	<b>Frequency</b>
1	Psychology	70
2	Economics	67
3	Communication	55
4	Molecular and Cellular Biology	48
5	Political Science	44
6	Electrical Engineering	42
7	Accountancy	41
8	Agr & Consumer Economics	36
9	Animal Sciences	36
10	Mathematics	36
11	English	34
12	Chemistry	31
13	Kinesiology	30
14	Integrative Biology	28
15	Recreation, Sport, and Tourism	28
16	Mechanical Engineering	27
17	Community Health	26
18	Food Science & Human Nutrition	25
19	History	25
20	Actuarial Science	24
21	Computer Engineering	24
22	Computer Science	24
23	Civil Engineering	20
24	Advertising	17
25	Crop Sciences	17

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**Chicago Top 25 Majors**

<b>Rank</b>	<b>Major</b>	<b>Frequency</b>
1	Biological Sciences	160
2	Nursing (BSN)	121
3	Psychology	115
4	Accounting	110
5	Computer Science	73
6	Mechanical Engineering	62
7	Finance	52
8	Graphic/Industrial Desgn-Found	51
9	Marketing	50
10	Kinesiology	44
11	Management	42
12	Nursing-R.N. Completion (BSN)	41
13	Chemical Engineering	39
14	Biochemistry	37
15	Architecture	35
16	Civil Engineering	34
17	Chemistry	30
18	Electrical Engineering	30
19	Political Science	24
20	Health Information Management	23
21	English	22
22	Education - Undeclared	21
23	Economics	20
24	Computer Engineering	19
25	Sociology	19

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**Springfield Top 25 Majors**

<b>Rank</b>	<b>Major</b>	<b>Frequency</b>
1	Computer Science	132
2	Business Administration	120
3	Accountancy	43
4	Psychology	41
5	Biology	34
6	Liberal Studies	28
7	Communication	27
8	Criminal Justice	27
9	Social Work	27
10	Mathematical Sciences	24
11	English	23
12	Clinical Laboratory Science	14
13	Political Science	14
14	History	9
15	Chemistry	8
16	Visual Arts	8
17	Legal Studies	7
18	Environmental Studies	6
19	Sociology/Anthropology	5
20	Management Information Systems	4
21	Philosophy	3
22	Economics	2
23	Global Studies	1
24	Management	1