Moreno Valley College

Associate Degree for Transfer℠

California Community Colleges are now offering associate degrees for transfer to the CSU. These may include Associate in Arts (AA-T) or Associate in Science (AS-T) degrees. These degrees are designed to provide a clear pathway to a CSU major and baccalaureate degree. California Community College students who are awarded an AA-T or AS-T degree are guaranteed admission with junior standing somewhere in the CSU system and given priority admission consideration to their local CSU campus or to a program that is deemed similar to their community college major. This priority does not guarantee admission to specific majors or campuses. Students who have been awarded an AA-T or AS-T are able to complete their remaining requirements for the 120-unit baccalaureate degree within 60 semester or 90 quarter units. To view the most current list of Moreno Valley College Associate Degrees for Transfer and to find out which CSU campuses accept each degree, please go to: http://californiacommunitycolleges.cccco.edu/Students/AssociateDegreeforTransfer.aspx.
Students are encouraged to meet with a Moreno Valley College counselor to review their options for transfer and to develop an educational plan that best meets their goals and needs.

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SOCIOLOGY
(CSUGE) MAA695
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The Associate in Arts in Sociology for Transfer degree is designed to prepare the student for transfer to four-year institutions of higher education and specifically intended to satisfy the lower division requirements for the Baccalaureate Degree in Sociology at a California State University. It will also provide the student with a sufficient academic basis from which to pursue a career in the social science professions. The student will be afforded the opportunity to study the nature of the human affinity for aggregation and the complexities of societal organization. The breadth of Sociology will be examined to include the historical and contemporary theory and research as the basis from which to gain an in-depth awareness and understanding of the world in which we live.

Program Learning Outcomes
Upon successful completion of this program, students should be able to:

- Demonstrate an awareness and understanding of the historical and contemporary theoretical frameworks that form the basis of Sociological study.
- Demonstrate the utility of past and present sociological research and the research methodologies that form the basis of sociological inquiry.
- Demonstrate the ability to be academically proficient in at least two specific areas of sociological emphasis, i.e., Marriage and Family, Race/Ethnicity, Culture, Crime and Deviance, Social Problems.
- Demonstrate an understanding of the basic principles for at least one of the social sciences beyond Sociology, i.e., Anthropology or Psychology.

Required Courses: (18 units)		Units
SOC-1	Introduction to Sociology	3
Electives from Group A		6
Electives from Group B		6
Electives from Group C		3

Electives Group A (6 units)		Units
SOC-2	American Social Problems	3
MAT-12	Statistics	3
	or	
MAT-12H	Honors Statistics	3
SOC-50	Introduction to Social Research Methods	3

Electives Group B (6 units)		Units
SOC-10	Race and Ethnic Relations	3
SOC-12	Marriage Family Relations	3
SOC-20	Introduction to Criminology	3

Electives Group C (3 units)		Units
ANT-2	Cultural Anthropology	3
PSY-1	General Psychology	3
PSY-8	Introduction to Social Psychology	3

Associate in Arts for Transfer Degree
The Associate in Arts for Transfer degree will be awarded upon completion of 60 California State University (CSU) transferable units including the above major requirements and the Intersegmental General Education Transfer Curriculum (IGETC) or California State University General Education (CSUGE) requirements and 3-8 units of electives with a minimum grade point average of 2.0. All courses in the major must be completed with a grade of "C" or better. (Students completing this degree are not required to fulfill the RCCD graduation requirements found in section VII. Additional degree requirements: Health Education and Self Development.)