TRANSFER TO

CHARLESTON SOUTHERN UNIVERSITY

YOUR PURPOSE.
OUR MISSION.

CSU
Your transfer college experience is much more than just a road to career success. It’s an opportunity to begin living out your one-of-a-kind purpose. Charleston Southern is higher education that will challenge your mind, inspire your heart and prepare you for life.

INTEGRATING FAITH IN LEARNING, LEADING AND SERVING
Starting now, every action, reaction and interaction will open new opportunities for you to more fully embrace the incredible future God has in store for you—and for those you have been called to lead. Are you ready?

Where passion meets purpose

“The faculty and everybody at CSU — their mission is to make sure that we are equipped to go out into the real world.”

CHARLES WILLIAM CANNON / STUDENT
At CSU, academic pursuit is designed to strengthen your faith and apply it to real-world challenges. A biblical worldview is integral to all our programs and across the entire CSU experience—in classroom debates and discussions, in the close relationships among our professors and students, and in the endless extracurricular action on campus.

Mentoring Faculty
CSU professors are experts in their fields, bringing notable credentials and experience. But what really impresses students is how faculty serve as Christian role models and caring advisors.

Prepared Graduates
You will be a leader of Christian character equipped to change the world. CSU graduates are highly sought after because they bring critical thinking, problem solving, communication and collaboration skills to the workplace.

Proven Results
90% of alumni are likely to recommend that prospective students attend CSU. With that vote of confidence, you can be assured you’ll be prepared for what’s next.

CSU welcomes students from 41 States and 24 Countries.

CSU offers 50+ Degree Programs, various study abroad opportunities and special honors programs.

14:1 Student-Faculty Ratio means you’ll know your professors, and they’ll know you—by name.

LEARNING

Education that builds your faith
Excellence sets us apart

With a challenging and exceptionally rewarding academic experience, excellence is what we’re known for. And since your purpose is our mission, our dedicated faculty and staff will be with you every step of the way to help you achieve success. That’s why, when you ask alumni about CSU’s greatest strength, the academic experience is one of the number one points they mention.

LEARN BY DOING
At CSU, you will regularly take the theories and concepts you learn in the classroom and apply them in the real world—whether as part of an internship, high-level research, service learning, study abroad or some other active, hands-on learning experience.

COLLEGE OF BUSINESS
Accounting
Economics
Entrepreneurship
Financial Management
General Business
Human Resource Management
Management
Marketing
Supply Chain Management

COLLEGE OF CHRISTIAN STUDIES
Christian Studies
Christian Studies: Biblical Languages
Christian Studies: Philosophy
Christian Studies: Theology
Christian Studies: Christian Missions and Church Planting
Student Ministry

COLLEGE OF EDUCATION
Biology Education
Child Development
Early Childhood Education
Elementary Education
English Education
Mathematics Education
Middle Grades Education
Music Education: Choral
Music Education: Instrumental
Physical Education
Social Studies Education

COLLEGE OF NURSING
Nursing – Traditional or Accelerated

COLLEGE OF HEALTH SCIENCES
Public Health
Kinesiology: Clinical
Kinesiology: Preathletic Training
Kinesiology: Strength and Conditioning

COLLEGE OF SCIENCE & MATHEMATICS
Applied Mathematics
Biochemistry

*For a full listing including majors, minors, graduate, doctoral and adult and professional programs, visit charlestonsouthern.edu.*
Charleston Southern University students love the size and feel of the campus, but the experience here is far from small. You’ll find all kinds of ways to engage in college life, whether through campus activities, student clubs, campus ministries, intramurals, community service—or very likely, all of the above!

Welcome to Charleston

CSU is just minutes from historic Charleston, recently named “Top City in the USA” by Condé Nast. From Charleston’s southern charm to the beauty of the surrounding Lowcountry, you will have access to a wealth of cultural, historical and recreational opportunities.

Beautiful campus, amazing experience

“A faithfui journey

Through programs and activities like Elevate—our student-led worship—plus chapel services and independent small groups on- and off-campus, there’s always a way for you to learn, grow and thrive in your faith at CSU.

Division I Athletics—Go Bucs!

CSU fields 16 teams at the NCAA Division I level. We compete in the Big South Conference while also playing national powerhouses such as Alabama, Clemson, Florida and South Carolina.

NCAA Division I Sports

Women’s
Basketball
Cross Country
Golf
Soccer
Softball
Tennis
Track & Field*
Volleyball

Men’s
Baseball
Basketball
Cross Country
Football
Golf
Track & Field*

*Indoor and outdoor seasons

“...It’s the greatest city in the world. There is so much to do; it’s so beautiful, and it’s so historic. And the food is really good no matter where you go.”

Alisa Ljunquist / Music Therapy
If your purpose is our mission, we see that mission fulfilled when Charleston Southern graduates are prepared to excel in the workplace. Armed with extensive knowledge from a rigorous education and practical skills from real-world work experiences, our alumni are finding success in all kinds of endeavors. Most importantly, though, they’re known for humility, service and the desire to glorify God in their work.

CSU ALUMNI EMPLOYERS
ABC News
ACC Network
Blackbaud
BMW
Boeing
Booz Allen Hamilton
The Center for Birds of Prey
Duke University Hospital
FBI
International Mission Board
K-12 Public and Private Schools
Medical University of South Carolina
National Parks Service
Prison Fellowship Ministries
Spotify
S.C. Highway Patrol
9th Judicial Circuit Solicitor’s Office
Trident Medical
U.S. Department of Homeland Security
U.S. Senate

MORE THAN SUCCESS
CSU is an education about majors and degrees, but it is one equally concerned with matters of ethics, responsibility and hard work.

PURPOSE AT WORK
CSU graduates are fulfilling their life purpose at leading companies and organizations in the region and across the nation.
Your transfer questions answered

**Q** I am currently enrolled at another institution. When should I apply for admission?

**A** We suggest you apply for admission at the beginning of your last semester of attendance at your present institution.

**Q** How do I apply for admission to CSU?

**A** Submit an application and official transcripts from all previously attended institutions. You may apply online at www.charlestonsouthern.edu. Transcripts can be mailed to the Enrollment Services Office at Charleston Southern University, Post Office Box 118087, Charleston, SC 29423-8087.

**Q** What are the transfer requirements?

**A** Transfer students must meet the following criteria:
- Minimum college-level Grade Point Average of 2.0 (on a 4-point scale).
- At least 24 transferable credit hours from a regionally accredited college or university.
- Successful completion of courses equivalent to CSU Math 105 (Introduction to Mathematical Structures) and CSU English 111 (English Composition and Rhetoric I) as determined by the CSU Registrar’s Office.

**Q** What happens if I don’t meet the transfer requirements?

**A** If you do not meet the transfer requirements, then you must submit an official high school transcript and official SAT or ACT scores in addition to official transcripts from all previously attended colleges or universities. Students over 21 years of age do not need to submit SAT or ACT scores.

**Q** How do I know which classes will transfer to CSU?

**A** Transcript evaluations are coordinated by the Registrar’s Office. Contact your enrollment counselor about this process. Only courses with a “C” or better grade are eligible for transfer credit consideration.

**Q** What is the maximum number of credits I can transfer to CSU?

**A** A student can transfer up to 68 credit hours from a 2-year college or 89 credit hours from a 4-year college. No more than 30 general elective credit hours will be accepted.

**Q** Are transfer students eligible to receive financial aid?

**A** Transfer academic scholarships are available and awarded based on college GPA; loan eligibility is based on credit hours earned; and additional financial aid, including institutional, state and federal need-based grants, is based on the information provided on the FAFSA. You may submit the FAFSA online at fafsa.ed.gov.

**Q** Are there time limitations for classes that I have taken?

**A** The following academic departments have time limitations on transfer credit:
- Behavioral Sciences: 10 years
- Business and Economics: 10 years
- Computer Science: 5 years
- Mathematics: 5 years
- Physical Sciences: 5 years
- Education: 7 years

**CSU IS MILITARY FRIENDLY**
Charleston Southern has been named by G.I. Jobs magazine as a Military Friendly School. CSU has a full-time VA Certifying Official to assist you with all of your educational benefits. Our office has been diligent in serving the military community, veterans and their families for more than 40 years. Let us assist you with your educational benefits and enrollment at CSU. Please call 843-863-7050, email veterans@csuniv.edu or visit charlestonsouthern.edu/veterans.

More Questions? Call 800-947-7474 to speak with one of our transfer counselors or visit charlestonsouthern.edu/transfer.
With 95 percent of our students receiving financial aid, combined with our many scholarship opportunities, we make private education affordable. Our financial aid specialists will customize a plan to help make Charleston Southern a reality for you.

COME SEE US!
Visit campus to discover why so many students are making CSU their final college destination. We offer a variety of visit options—from personal campus visits to First Look (our open house event).

For more information or help in scheduling your visit, please call us at 800-947-7474 or register online at charlestonsouthern.edu.
Charleston: the place to be

Top East Coast City Attracting Millennials

INC.

#5 Most Up-and-Coming City in America

YELP’S LOCAL ECONOMIC OUTLOOK

#1 City in the World

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Growth Rate 3x the National Average

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