

Transfer of Credit

Credit hours may be accepted for transfer into the Ph.D. and M.S. programs. These must be graduate courses taken at regionally accredited colleges or universities. All courses to be transferred must be substantially equivalent to courses taught in the program to which the student is applying. Each applicant's submissions will be reviewed on an individual basis. There are no transfer credits given for electives.

Transfer of credits need to be submitted upon admission to a program and prior to the development of degree plans. Requests for transfer of credit must be completed before the end of the student's first term. Requests for transfer of credit received after the completion of the student's first term will not be accepted.

To be considered for transfer of credit, students must submit an Application for Transfer of Credit, available online for the program to which they are applying. The application must be supported with a catalog course description and the syllabus that document the content of each of the course(s). No more than two courses may be used to establish equivalence with one NSU course, nor can any syllabus be submitted for transfer to two courses. To be considered for transfer of credit, courses must have been completed less than 7 years prior to the beginning of the student's first term. Also, course grades for any transfer of credit request must be a "B" or higher. Courses approved for transfer of credit are recorded on the student's NSU transcript.

Course work submitted from a foreign institution will be evaluated for equivalency in accordance with accreditation standards.

The following is the maximum number of transfer credits accepted by each program:

- Ph.D. in Conflict Analysis and Resolution: 15 credits from institutions other than NSU; maximum 24 credits from NSU
- M.S. in Conflict Analysis and Resolution: 9 credits from institutions other than NSU; maximum 12 credits from NSU