In the Hub, you will explore a broad array of disciplines and ways of thinking as you prepare to navigate an increasingly complex and interconnected world. Transfer students entering in fall 2020 and beyond will follow a specially tailored Hub curriculum that builds on the coursework they have completed while assuring that they develop the capacities required of all BU graduates.

**TRANSFER STUDENTS COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING 10 BU HUB UNITS:**

### DID YOU KNOW?

- Many courses carry multiple Hub units; most transfer students will fulfill their Hub requirements in 4–5 Hub courses.
- Hub courses can also count towards majors and minors.
- Some Hub requirements assume and build on previous coursework. If you have not taken a first-year writing course, you will need to do so before taking a Writing, Research, and Inquiry or Writing-Intensive course.
- Courses used to fulfill Hub requirements must be taken at Boston University.
- You can see if your AP or other exams fulfill Hub units by visiting [bu.edu/admissions/apply/faqs-helpful-forms/advanced-credit/](http://bu.edu/admissions/apply/faqs-helpful-forms/advanced-credit/).
- Transfer students may fulfill one Hub unit through a Hub cocurricular experience.
- The Cross-College Challenge (XCC) is a 4-credit course available to juniors and seniors that carries 4 Hub units (3 of which are required for transfer students).

### PHILLOSOPHICAL, AESTHETIC, AND HISTORICAL INTERPRETATION

1 unit in one of the following Hub areas:
- Philosophical Inquiry and Life’s Meanings (PLM)
- Aesthetic Exploration (AEX)
- Historical Consciousness (HCO)

### SCIENTIFIC AND SOCIAL INQUIRY

1 unit in Scientific Inquiry I (SI1) or Scientific Inquiry II (SI2)
1 unit in Social Inquiry I (SO1) or Social Inquiry II (SO2)

### QUANTITATIVE REASONING

1 unit in Quantitative Reasoning II (QR2)

### DIVERSITY, CIVIC ENGAGEMENT, AND GLOBAL CITIZENSHIP

1 unit in one of the following Hub areas:
- The Individual in Community (IIC)
- Global Citizenship and Intercultural Literacy (GCI)
- Ethical Reasoning (ETR)

### COMMUNICATION

1 unit in Writing, Research, and Inquiry (WRI) or Writing-Intensive Course (WIN)

### INTELLECTUAL TOOLKIT

1 unit in Critical Thinking (CRT)
1 unit in Research and Information Literacy (RIL)
1 unit in Teamwork/Collaboration (TWC)
1 unit in Creativity/Innovation (CRI)
Life Skills (opportunities selected by student; no units required)