General Admission Requirements

All students must meet basic college-preparatory unit requirements (typically completed in high school): 4 in English, 3 in math (Algebra I, Algebra II, and Geometry). We recommend applicants complete 4 units of mathematics (including pre-calculus or trigonometry), 2 in science, 2 in history/social science, and 2 in the same foreign language.

Transfer students who meet the prerequisite courses and grade-point averages listed are eligible to apply for admission to open majors in the College of Business.

Core Business Prerequisites Include

- Calculus
- Business Statistics
- Microeconomics
- Macroeconomics
- Financial Accounting
- Managerial Accounting

Transfer applicants must meet (or complete during the semester in which they apply) the following requirements to be considered for admission to the following majors:

- Accounting (3.0 CUM GPA)
- Global Business (2.8 CUM GPA)
- Innovation and Entrepreneurship (2.5 CUM GPA)
- Management (2.8 CUM GPA)
- Marketing (3.0 CUM GPA)
- Supply Chain Management (2.5 CUM GPA)

The following major is not open to transfer students: Finance

Business Admission Requirements

Less than 30 attempted credits – GPA 3.0
general admission requirements, as well as demonstrated quantitative and analytical skills.

30-60 earned credits- Complete at least one of the required math and missing no more than one other core courses (Micro, Macro, Acct 1 and Acct 2) and meet the GPA requirement (see the above table for specific GPA requirement by major)

60 or more earned credits- Complete all core requirements and meet the GPA requirement (see the above table for specific GPA requirement by major).

Textiles Majors

Textile Marketing
Textiles, Fashion Merchandising and Design

All students must meet basic college-preparatory unit requirements (typically completed in high school): 4 in English, 3 in math (Algebra I, Algebra II, and Geometry), 2 in science, 2 in history/social science, and 2 units in the same foreign language.

Less than 24 attempted credits – GPA 2.8,
general admission requirements, and submission of SAT or ACT test scores if applicable.

30 + attempted credits- GPA 2.5, as well as all general admission requirements.
Application Process

Transfer applicants are required to use the Transfer Common Application and submit official transcripts. Submitting “School Forms” is not required. A completed application includes:

- Completed Transfer Common Application submitted online
- $65 application fee
- Official electronic or official printed transcripts from all post-secondary institutions whether or not you desire or expect to receive credit for such work. Electronic transcripts should be e-mailed to transferadmission@uri.edu.
- Official high school transcript unless you have an Associate or Bachelor degree in a subject similar in content to what is offered at URI.

Transfer Scholarships

No separate application is required for our merit-based scholarships; Merit awards are not available to students who have already earned a bachelor’s degree.

Transfer Merit Award

Preference for our highest-level awards will be given to students with:

- A minimum of 24 transferable college credits (based on a semester system) in a diversified program of study.
- A cumulative grade point average of 3.3.

Scholarships are renewable for up to six consecutive semesters, as long as the student maintains full-time enrollment and a grade point average of 3.0 or higher.

Phi Theta Kappa Transfer Scholarship

Awarded to Phi Theta Kappa scholars holding an associate degree who have achieved a minimum grade point average of 3.5. Additional eligibility requirements include:

Current membership in Phi Theta Kappa URI must be your first four-year institution

Scholarships are renewable for up to four consecutive semesters, as long as students maintain full-time enrollment and a grade point average of 3.0 or higher.