



**This video will provide an overview of the General Education, or GE, requirements at Eleanor Roosevelt College.**

Remember, each college at UC San Diego has its own set of GEs that reflect the philosophy of that college. Keep in mind, some of the courses you take for GE requirements may also meet major requirements.

Let's review your GE requirements.

## MAKING OF THE MODERN WORLD (MMW)

- MMW 121: Exploring the Pre-Modern World (4 units)

*MMW must be taken for a letter grade*

All ERC transfer students must take MMW 121 as one of two courses for ERC's interdisciplinary core sequence. Since MMW is taught by faculty from many departments, it will introduce you to a variety of disciplines.

You will need to take MMW 121 in the Fall. Be sure to check the [New Student Site](#) in August for your course recommendations.

## MAKING OF THE MODERN WORLD (MMW)

MMW 121 and either...

- MMW 122: Exploring the Modern World (4 units)
  - If you have completed 2 semesters of writing

OR

- MMW 12 or 13: Classical and Medieval Traditions or New Ideas and Cultural encounters (4 units)
  - If you have completed 1 semester of writing

*MMW must be taken for a letter grade*

In addition to MMW 121, all ERC transfer students must take a second MMW course to complete ERC's interdisciplinary core sequence.

Depending on your situation, you will take either MMW 122 **OR** MMW 12 or 13. Be sure to check the New Student Site in August for your course recommendations.

## TRANSFER AGREEMENTS

If you transferred from a California Community College:

- **IGETC**: Intersegmental General Education Transfer Curriculum
  - *Be sure to send your Certification to the UCSD Office of Admissions*

Must be complete prior to transferring to UCSD.  
Waives all ERC GE requirements except MMW.

Let's talk about transfer agreements.

If you transferred from a community college in California, you may have completed **IGETC**.

**IGETC** is a series of courses transfer students attending California Community Colleges may complete to satisfy most lower-division general education requirements at the University of California.

If you choose to follow IGETC, you must be certified **BEFORE** you transfer to UC San Diego. Make sure that you request to have your IGETC Certification sent from your community college to UCSD Office of Admissions. This certification is separate from your transcript. The IGETC Certification is **REQUIRED** to verify official completion of IGETC requirements.

As an IGETC student you will be required to take MMW 121 and 122 to complete [ERC GE](#) requirements.

## TRANSFER AGREEMENTS

If you are missing no more than 2 courses for IGETC:

- **Partial IGETC**: No more than two (2) courses missing to complete IGETC prior to transferring to UCSD.
  - *Be sure to send your Partial Certification to the UCSD Office of Admissions*

**Must be complete prior to transferring to UCSD.**  
**Waives all ERC GE requirements except MMW and 1-2 missing course(s) for transfer agreement.**

If you chose to follow IGETC but did not complete all the requirements, you may be **Partial IGETC Certified**.

To be **Partial IGETC**, you cannot be deficient more than 2 courses of IGETC requirements prior to transferring. Make sure that you request to have your Partial IGETC Certification sent from your community college to UCSD Office of Admissions.

As a partial IGETC student, you will be required to take MMW 121 and 122 and your missing IGETC requirements to complete ERC GE requirements.

## TRANSFER AGREEMENTS

If you transferred from another UC Campus:

- **UC Reciprocity**: Completing all lower-division general education/breadth requirements at a UC prior to transferring.
  - *Be sure to send your UC Reciprocity letter to:  
ERC Academic Advising  
9500 Gilman Drive #0546  
La Jolla, CA 92093-0546*

**Must be complete prior to transferring to UCSD.  
Waives all ERC GE requirements except MMW.**

If you transferred from another UC campus you may have completed **UC Reciprocity**.

If you completed **ALL** lower-division general education/breadth requirements at a UC campus **PRIOR** to transferring to UC San Diego, you are considered a **UC Reciprocity** transfer student.

An academic counselor from your previous institution must send a letter on official university or college letterhead to ERC Academic Advising. The letter must verify that **ALL** your lower-division general education/breadth requirements were complete **PRIOR** to your transfer to UC San Diego.

This letter should be sent to ERC Academic Advising.

As a UC Reciprocity student you will be required to take MMW 121 and 122 to complete ERC GE requirements.

## TRANSFER AGREEMENTS

If you transferred from another 4-Year Institution:

- **GE Certified**: Completing all lower-division general education/breadth requirements at a 4-year institution prior to transferring.
  - *Be sure to send your GE Certification letter to  
ERC Academic Advising  
9500 Gilman Drive #0546  
La Jolla, CA 92093-0546*

Must be complete prior to transferring to UCSD.  
Waives all ERC GE requirements except MMW.

If you transferred from another 4-year institution you may have completed **GE Certification**:

If you have completed **ALL** lower-division general education/breadth requirements at a 4-year institution **PRIOR** to transferring to UC San Diego, you are considered a **GE Certified** transfer student.

An academic counselor from your previous institution must send a letter on official university or college letterhead to ERC Academic Advising. The letter must verify that **ALL** your lower-division general education/breadth requirements were complete **PRIOR** to your transfer to UC San Diego.

The letter should be sent to ERC Academic Advising. Note that some institutions do not provide such letters for students, in which case, you will be an **Articulation Student** instead.

As a GE Certified student you will be required to take MMW 121 and 122 to complete ERC GE requirements.

## TRANSFER AGREEMENTS

If you do not have any transfer agreement:

- Articulation Student: You will need to complete ERC's GE requirements
- Making of the Modern World (MMW 121 & 122)
- Language Proficiency (0 - 4 courses)
- Fine Art (1 course)
- Quantitative / Formal Skills (2 courses)
- Natural Science (2 courses)
- Regional Specialization (2 upper-division courses)
- Upper Division Writing (covered by either MMW 121 or 122)

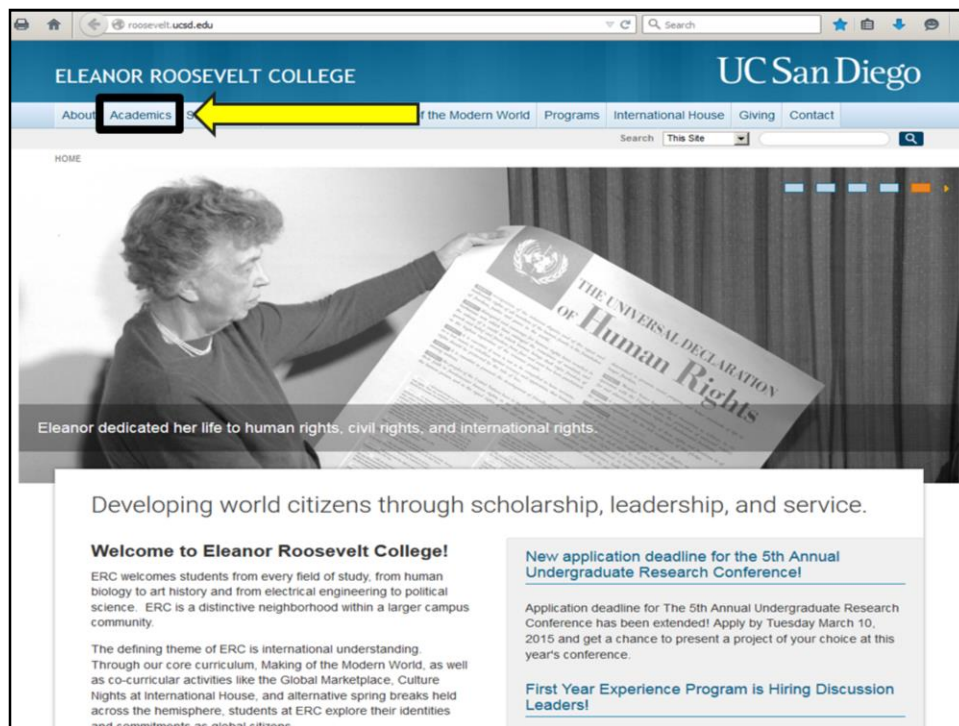
<http://roosevelt.ucsd.edu>

If you transferred to UC San Diego without any agreement, you are considered an **Articulation student**.

You will be required to complete **ALL** the lower-division and upper-division general education requirements for ERC. An Academic Counselor will review your transfer work to determine which lower-division and upper-division GEs have been cleared by your transfer work. You will need to complete the remaining requirements.

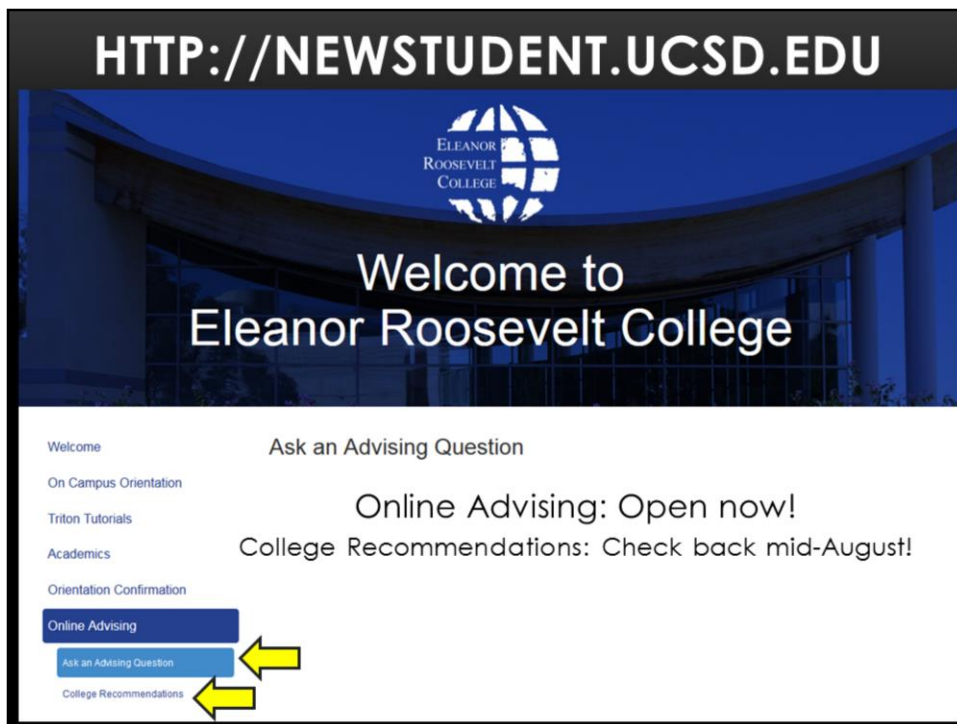
You can review the GE requirements on the ERC website to help you determine which GEs are needed.





You can always refer to the ERC website for a complete list of GEs and requirements.

Go to “roosevelt.ucsd.edu” and click on the “Academics” tab to access the list of GEs.



If you have any questions, utilize the New Student Site for Online Advising to Ask an Advising Question. Be sure return to the site and check your course recommendations in August.



Be sure to watch the “Major Information” video and the “University & Degree Requirements” video so you get the whole picture of your UC San Diego degree!