

# TRANSFER PATHWAY GUIDE 2024-2025

## Associate of Applied Science in Computer and Information Technologies – Programming Track to Bachelor of Science in Information Technology – Cloud and System Administration Track

Completion of the following curriculum will satisfy the requirements for the Associate of Applied Science (AAS) in Computer and Information Technologies – Programming Track degree at the Gateway Community and Technical College (GCTC) and leads to the Bachelor of Science (BS) in Information Technology – Cloud and System Administration Track degree at Northern Kentucky University (NKU).

Students can apply to participate in the pathway program by completing the online application on the NKU transfer webpage. Students must be enrolled in at least six credit hours at Gateway CTC, enrolled in an associate degree program, plan to transfer to NKU, and maintain a minimum 2.0 cumulative GPA at Gateway CTC.

1) Minimum cumulative GPA 2.0, 2) minimum of 25 percent of credit hours required for the degree earned at the institution awarding the degree, and 3) demonstration of digital literacy.

Students completing an associate degree with a cumulative GPA of 2.0 or higher will be accepted into NKU.

The Information Technology, B.S. – Cloud and Systems Administration Track is offered both face-to-face and online.

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Students must complete the online application to NKU. There is no application fee for students who are transferring from GCTC.

KCTCS Scholars Award: Students who are KY residents transferring directly from a KCTCS institution with at least 36 hours from that institution and minimum GPA of 3.0, were never enrolled as a degree-seeking student at NKU, and will be enrolled in at least 12 credit hours both fall and spring semester are eligible for a limited number of \$2,500 annual scholarships (\$1,250 per fall and spring). Students must gain admission to NKU by June 15 for fall and November 1 for spring to be eligible for a possible scholarship. Online accelerated programs are not eligible for the KCTCS Scholars Award.

Credits for Certifications: Students with a current certification at the time of registering for classes will receive credit for equivalent NKU courses based on the following course mappings.

Cisco

NKU students who have taken and passed an examination from Cisco, and hold a current certification (at the time of registering for classes) will receive credit for an equivalent NKU course. The chart below shows the semester credit hours and the equivalent NKU course.

EXAMINATION	EQUIVALENT NKU COURSE	TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS
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GCTC Course	Course or Category	Credits	NKU Course	Completed
	Total Associate Degree Hours	62		

Category 3: Additional Gateway Requirements for Core General Education Certification

In addition to completing the requirements of the AAS degree, students

