

BCSA Internal Transfer

Carnegie Mellon University

Bachelor of Computer Science and Arts Internal Transfer Application

Please submit a completed application in pdf format to esyes@andrew.cmu.edu. The deadline is midnight on mid-semester break in October and March each semester. Please title the email subject line and pdf, *[Last Name] BCSA Internal Transfer*.

Name: _____ Andrew ID: _____

Current College: CFA DC E MCS SCS TSB BXA (Changing current BXA program [BHA to BCSA], or CFA concentration [BCSA architecture to BCSA art, or BCSA music performance to BCSA music composition])

SCS Area of Interest: Computer Science

CFA Area of Interest: _____

Requesting transfer into the BCSA program is a process of gathering information about the program and carefully evaluating the possibilities in the BCSA program with your academic passions and goals. All students applying for internal transfer must meet with their current advisor, a BXA advisor and an advisor in their target area, as well as take preliminary coursework in their target area *before* applying. For all concentrations, there are required courses that must be taken before an application will be considered. It is expected that candidates for BCSA have at least a 3.00 cumulative QPA in coursework prior to entry.

Whom did you speak with about transferring into BCSA?

Advisor in SCS: Tom Cortina Advisor Signature: _____

Advisor in CFA: _____ Advisor Signature: _____

Advisor in BXA: Director M. Stephanie Murray or Associate Director Carrie Hagan

I state that the information provided in this application is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge, and I have not knowingly omitted any information requested.

Student Signature: _____ Date: _____

Essay of Interdisciplinary Intent

Please briefly explain—in 500 words or fewer—your goals and intentions for your BXA combination.

Address these three aspects:

1. What interests you about these two concentrations? Are there any particular courses you've taken that have prompted this interest?
2. What are some of the connections you want to explore between these two concentrations?
3. What are your goals for integrating these two concentrations, in your academics and professional development?

This statement does not need to be comprehensive, and shorter is better. The internal transfer admission committee reviews this statement to understand your intent in pursuing a BXA degree. Please include your typed response within your singular pdf application file.