

AN ARTICULATION AGREEMENT
BETWEEN
ROBERT MORRIS UNIVERSITY
AND
COMMUNITY COLLEGE OF BEAVER COUNTY

OBJECTIVE OF THE AGREEMENT

Based on the commonality of purpose and a mutual goal of assuring a quality education, Community College of Beaver County and Robert Morris University enter into the following articulation agreement. The primary objective of this agreement is to maximize credit transferability while retaining all Robert Morris academic requirements and providing a rigorous program of study. This agreement will afford students the opportunity to realize their educational goals and enhance their future employability through a curriculum that is both challenging and rewarding.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF THE AGREEMENT

This agreement applies to Community College of Beaver County (CCBC) graduates with an earned Associate in Arts Degree in Criminal Justice who plan to enter Robert Morris University (RMU) in a major under the Bachelor of Arts degree program majoring in Criminal Justice.

Up to 63 credits will be granted to students who have successfully completed an Associate Degree provided that:

- Students have completed the curriculum as outlined in the CCBC 2016-2017 College catalog
- Students have fulfilled grade requirements of the major into which they are transferring.

Courses completed at other academic institutions do not affect the nature or scope of this agreement. Said courses will be evaluated according to the Academic Policies of RMU regarding transfer credits.

RMU will provide an official evaluation of all previously completed coursework and placement of those credits at the time of application.

RMU reserves the right to change program requirements and/or transfer equivalents.

Notice of changes in program requirements by any party of this agreement must be given in writing in a timely manner.

Termination of this agreement may be made by any party, and must be in writing.

Students who sign a letter of intent are indicating their interest in attending RMU and will be entitled to:

- a waiver of the RMU application fee
- advanced registration along with RMU students
- participation in department functions and activities while enrolled at CCBC

However, this letter of intent does not obligate students to attend RMU. Students who sign a letter of intent must matriculate within three years.

CCBC will properly advertise and will provide information regarding RMU, its academic programs, requirements, and services extended to the transfer graduate under the terms of this agreement.

CCBC will communicate with the RMU Academic Services Office regarding issues and questions posed by participating students.

CCBC will provide the RMU Admissions Office with the names and addresses of CCBC students who have indicated an interest in attending RMU and would benefit from major department activity information.

The undersigned duly authorized officials agree to abide by the above terms and conditions.

APPROVED BY:

COMMUNITY COLLEGE OF BEAVER COUNTY

ROBERT MORRIS UNIVERSITY

Christopher M. Reber, Ph.D. Date
President

Christopher B. Howard, D.Phil. Date
President

1. ROBERT MORRIS UNIVERSITY CORE--39 Credits

COSO1220 Reading and Writing Strategies	3WRIT101	INFS1020 Intro to Decision Support Systems	3CIST100
COSO1221 Argument and Research Strategies	3_____	LITO_____ Literature Elective	3LITR210
COSO2220 Speaking Strategies	3COMM201	MATH1010 College Mathematics	3MATH130
COSO2230 Professional Communications Strategies	3_____	PSYC1010 General Psychology	3PSYC101
ECON1010 Survey of Economics	3_____	SOCI1020 Contemporary American Social Problems	3_____
HIST1200 United States History II	3_____	_____ Natural Sci Elective	3TRAN
HUMA1010 Humanities: Art/Music or PHIL1101	3FIN100, MUSI101, or PHIL1101		

2. MAJOR--45 Credits

*CRMJ1010 Introduction to Criminal Justice	3CRIM100	*POLS1020 American National Government	3POLS101
*CRMJ2010 Corrections	3CRIM125	*POLS2020 Criminal Law and Evidence	3CRIM233
*CRMJ2020 Policing	3CRIM124	*POLS3060 Civil Rights and Civil Liberties	3_____
*CRMJ2030 Juvenile Delinquency	3CRIM210	*SOCI3210 Sociology of Deviant Behavior	3_____
*CRMJ4803 Criminal Justice Practicum	3_____	*SOCI3220 Introduction to Criminology	3_____
*PSYC3550 Human Growth and Development	3_____	*SOCI3230 Sociology of Race/Ethnicity	3_____
*PSYC3700 Abnormal Psychology	3PSYC208	*STAT2110 Statistics	3MATH126
*PSYC3840 Forensic Psychology	3_____		

3. RESTRICTED ELECTIVES--12 Credits

Choose any four (4) of the following

*CRMJ3010 Community Based Corrections	3_____	*PSYC3600 Social Psychology	3_____
*CRMJ3020 Sex Crimes	3_____	*PSYC3770 Drugs and Behavior	3_____
*CRMJ3030 White-Collar Crime	3_____	*SOCI2330 Marriage and Families	3_____
*INFS3120 Introduction to Computer Forensics	3_____	*SOCI3240 Women in Society	3_____
*INFS3170 Cyberlaw	3_____		

4. OPEN ELECTIVES-- 24 Credits Minimum

_____ Any TAOC Category Four course	3TRAN	_____ Three one-credits from three 4 cr. courses	3TRAN
_____ Interviewing and Interrogation	3CRIM212	_____	3_____
_____ Domestic Terrorism	3CRIM133	_____	3_____
_____ Criminology Theory	3CRIM230	_____	3_____

IMPORTANT NOTES:

63 credits apply to this degree program from Community College of Beaver County

****** Students completing three four-credit courses will transfer this elective**

A cumulative Q.P.A. of 2.00 or higher is required for graduation.

A minimum grade of C must be earned in each course identified with an asterisk.

All students must take 12 credits of Communication Skills as part of the RMU Core Curriculum. Depending upon placement testing scores, students will take COSO1220 or COSO2221 in addition to COSO1221, COSO2220, and COSO2230. If placed in COSO1220, a student's Core requirements are Communication Skills COSO1220, COSO1221, COSO2220, and COSO2230. If placed in COSK1221 (advanced placement; no credit earned for COSK1220), a student's Core requirements are Communication Skills COSO1221, COSO2220, COSO2221, and COSO2230. Upon completion of the COSK courses, students must complete a component of courses (the specific number is determined by the student's "academic" School) to meet one of the requirements for graduation. These courses called "Communication Skills Intensive" are integrated into the degree as part of the "major" areas of the checksheet.

CCBC COURSES		RMU EQUIVALENT	
CRSE NO	COURSE TITLE	CRSE NO	COURSE TITLE
First Semester – 15 Credits			
CIST100	Intro to Information Technology	INFS1020	Intro to Decision Support Systems
CRIM100	Intro to Criminal Justice Systems	CRMJ1010	Introduction to Criminal Justice
CRIM210	Juvenile Justice	CRMJ2030	Juvenile Delinquency
CRIM212	Interview and Interrogation		Open elective
WRIT101	English Composition I	COSO1220	Reading/Writing Strategies
Second Semester – 15 Credits			
CRIM124	Policing/Law Enforcement	CRMJ2020	Policing
CRIM125	Corrections	CRMJ2010	Corrections
LITR210	Concepts of Literature	LITO_____	Literature Elective
MATH130	College Algebra or MATH129	MATH1010	College Mathematics
POLS101	American National Government	POLS1020	American National Government
Third Semester – 16 Credits			
	Any TAOC Category Four course	_____	Natural Science Elective
CRIM133	Domestic Terrorism	_____	Open Elective
CRIM230	Criminology Theory	_____	Open Elective
COMM201	Public Speaking	COSO2220	Speaking Strategies
PSYC101	General Psychology	PSYC1010	General Psychology
Fourth Semester – 17 Credits			
	Any TAOC Category Four course	_____	Open Elective
CRIM233	Law, Adjudication/ Procedure	POLS2020	Criminal Law and Evidence
MATH126	Statistics	STAT2110	Statistics
PSYC208	Abnormal Psychology	PSYC3700	Abnormal Psychology
FINE100	Art Appreciation or PHIL101 or PHIL110	HUMA1010	Intro to Humanities: Art and Music

In addition to the above, the following four-credit courses will have 3 credits apply to an open elective:

TAOC Category Four course
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MATH126 Statistics

Students are encouraged to take up to 3 credits from the following:

- HIST112
- SOCI210

Students are encouraged to take up to 3 credits from the following:

- BUSM255 Macroeconomics
- BUSM256 Microeconomics

Maximum of 69 credits can transfer