

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 History who plan to enter Robert Morris University (RMU) in a major under the Bachelor of Arts degree program majoring in History.

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 Social Science 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

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Christopher M. Reber, Ph.D.      Date  
President

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Christopher B. Howard, D.Phil.      Date  
President





**1. ROBERT MORRIS UNIVERSITY CORE--39 Credits**

COSK1220 Reading and Writing Strategies	3WRIT101	HUMA1010 Humanities: Art and Music	3FINE101
COSK1221 Argument and Research	3_____	INFS1020 Intro to Decision Support Systems	3CIST100
COSK2220 Public Speaking and Persuasion	3COMM201	MATH1050 Math Reasoning w/applications	3MATH126
COSK2230 Professional Communications	3_____	*PSYC1010 General Psychology	3PSYC101
*ECON1010 Survey of Economics	3_____	*SOC11010 Principles of Sociology or	3SOC1101
ELIT_____ Literature Elective	3TRAN	_____ Natural Science Elective	3TRAN
*HIST1100 United States History I	3HIST111		

**2. MAJOR--51 Credits**

**General History Requirements – 24 Credits**

**Modern American History Requirements – 9 Credits**

*HIST1200 United States History II	3HIST112
*HIST1700 World Civilization I	3_____
*HIST1800 World Civilization II	3_____
*HIST3900 Historical Methods	3_____
*HIST4120 Selected Topics in Early American History	3_____
or *HIST4140 Selected Topics in Modern American History	
or *HIST4160 Selected Topics in World History	
*HIST4800 Senior Thesis	3_____
*POL1020 American National Government	3_____
*SOSC4803 Social Science Practicum	3_____

**Choose nine (9) credits from the following courses:**

*HIST2200 Twentieth Century America	3_____
*HIST3280 The Vietnam War	3HIST216
*HIST3500 History of Urban America	3_____
*HIST3520 Immigration History	3_____
*HIST3620 World War II	3_____

**World History Requirements – 9 Credits**

**Choose nine (9) credits from the following courses:**

*HIST2600 Modern European History	3_____
*HIST2700 Rome: Republic and Empire	3_____
*HIST3680 Modern Russia and the USSR	3_____
*HIST3700 The Developing World	3_____
*HIST3520 Immigration History	3_____
*HIST3800 Modern East Asia	3_____

**Early American History Requirements – 9 Credits**

**Choose nine (9) credits from the following courses:**

*HIST2002 Colonial America	3_____
*HIST3100 American Revolution	3_____
*HIST3120 Civil War	3_____
*HIST3400 Pennsylvania History	3_____
*HIST3420 Native American History	3_____

**3. OPEN ELECTIVES --30 Credits Minimum**

HIST1500 Western Civilization I	3HIST101	_____	_____	3LITR262
HIST1600 Western Civilization II	3HIST102	_____	_____	3LITR260
_____ TAOB Category Four	3TRAN	PSYC3600 Social Psychology		3PSYC105
_____ MUSI101 or LITR217	3TRAN	_____ Remaining 3 one-credits		3TRAN
GEOG1020 World Geography	3GEOG101	_____	_____	3_____

**IMPORTANT NOTES:**

**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.**

**63 credits apply to this degree program.**

**All students must take 12 credits of Communication Skills as part of the RMU Core Curriculum. Depending upon placement testing scores, students will take COSK1220 or COSK2221 in addition to COSK1221, COSK2220, and COSK2230. If placed in COSK1220, a student’s Core requirements are Communication Skills COSK1220, COSK1221, COSK2220, and COSK2230. If placed in COSK1221 (advanced placement; no credit earned for COSK1220), a student’s Core requirements are Communication Skills COSK1221, COSK2220, COSK2221, and COSK2230. 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.**

**SEMESTER BY SEMESTER BREAKDOWN OF COURSE EQUIVALENTS**

CCBC COURSES		RMU EQUIVALENT	
CRSE NO	COURSE TITLE	CRSE NO	COURSE TITLE
First Semester			
COMM201	Public Speaking	COSK2220	Professional Communications
PSYC101	General Psychology	PSYC1010	General Psychology
HIST101	Western Civilization	HIST1500	Western Civilization (Open Elective)
	Any TAOC Category Four		Natural Science Elective
WRIT101	English Composition I	COSK1220	Reading and Writing Strategies
Second Semester			
LITR210	Concepts of Literature	ELIT_____	Literature Elective
HIST102	Western Civilization II	HIST1600	Western Civilization (Open Elective)
SOCI101	Principles of Sociology	SOCI1010	Principles of Sociology
MATH126	Statistics	MATH1050	Math Reasoning with Applications
	Any TAOC Category Four		Open Elective
Third Semester			
CIST100	Intro to Information Technology	INFS1010	Intro to Decision Support Systems
FINE101	Art History I	ARTM1030	Survey of Art History I (HUMA1010)
GEOG101	World Geography	GEOG1020	World Geography (Open Elective)
HIST111	US History I	HIST1100	U.S. History I
LITR262	British Literature		Open Elective
Fourth Semester			
HIST112	US History II	HIST1200	U.S. History II
LITR260	American Literature		Open Elective
MUSI101	Introduction to Music or LITR217		Open Elective
PSYC105	Social Psychology	PSYC3600	Social Psychology (Open Elective)
HIST216	Vietnam	HIST3280	The Vietnam War

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

- TAOC Category Four
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- MATH126 Statistics

Students are encouraged to take up to 6 credits from the following to maximize transfer:

- BUSM255 Macroeconomics or BUSM256 Microeconomics
- Open Elective

Maximum of 69 credits can transfer