



MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING TRANSFER ARTICULATION

UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE AT BATESVILLE AND ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY-JONESBORO

Associate of Science in Criminal Justice and

Bachelor of Arts in Criminology

This Memorandum of Understanding ("Agreement"), entered into on this 8th day of November 2017, ("Effective Date") by and between **Arkansas State University** (hereinafter, "A-State"), located at 2105 Aggie Road, Jonesboro, Arkansas 72401 and the Board of Trustees of the University of Arkansas for and on behalf of **University of Arkansas Community College Batesville** (hereinafter "UACCB"), located at 2005 White Drive, Batesville, Arkansas 72501.

PURPOSE

The purpose of this Agreement is to facilitate the transfer and degree completion of students earning the Associate of Science in Criminal Justice at UACCB to the Bachelor of Arts in Criminology. Through collaborative efforts, ASUJ and UACCB will provide clarity regarding the degree requirements herein, and afford students the opportunity to earn a high-quality degree from both institutions in the most efficient manner possible.

AGREEMENT

It is agreed that any student who has earned the Associate of Science in Criminal Justice at UACCB will be admitted to the Bachelor of Arts in Criminology at ASUJ in either the on-campus or A-State Online program with full junior classification, subject to the provisions listed below.

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

- A. The student must complete the requirements necessary for general admission to ASUJ as well as specific admission to the ASUJ Bachelor of Arts in Criminology program.
- B. The student will have earned the Associate of Science in Criminal Justice at UACCB.
- C. Degree program admission requirements for students who transfer pursuant to this Agreement will be determined in the same manner as if their initial enrollment had been at ASUJ.

TRANSFER OF CREDITS

- A. Course requirements for this Agreement are displayed on the following attachments (see Appendix A).
- B. A transfer student who has not completed all of the courses specified within the Associate of Science in Criminal Justice degree plan at UACCB, before entering ASUJ, must work with an academic advisor to ensure timely completion of degree program requirements.
- C. Current and updated copies of catalogs/curricular requirements for the ASUJ Bachelor of Arts in Criminology program will be available to UACCB online. Catalogs/Curricular requirements are available for both the on-campus and A-State Online programs.
- D. Remedial course grades will not be computed in the cumulative GPA for purposes of admission to ASUJ.
- E. Calculation of overall GPA for purposes of graduation and awarding of honors is left to the discretion of ASUJ.

IMPLEMENTATION AND REVIEW

- A. The Chief Academic Officers at each institution will implement the terms of this Agreement, including incorporation of any mutually agreed upon changes into subsequent revisions of this Agreement, assuring compliance with system policy, procedure and guidelines.
- B. This Agreement will be reviewed on an annual basis. Both ASUJ and UACCB agree to notify one another in a timely manner of any curriculum changes that would significantly impact the nature of this Agreement.
- C. ASUJ and UACCB will work together cooperatively, in the best interest of affected students, to resolve any issues related to the transfer of courses should changes to either degree program occur while the Agreement is in effect.
- D. Students will be subject to the terms and conditions of this Agreement in accordance with their academic year of entry at UACCB. A student may opt for a subsequent revision of this Agreement, but must meet all of the requirements specified therein.
- E. ASUJ and UACCB will make every effort to inform students of this Agreement. This may include, but is not limited to, inclusion within each institution's website, published catalog, recruitment publications, media announcements, social media engagement, and in-person information sessions.

MISCELLANEOUS

- A. This Agreement is effective upon execution and shall remain in effect even if persons, positions, and/or titles change.
- B. This Agreement may be terminated by either party with at least 90 calendar days written notice.
- C. In the event that the Agreement is terminated, no new students will be admitted to the program; however, all students who have already been admitted to ASUJ, in accordance with the terms of this Agreement, will be allowed to complete their approved course of study under the terms contained therein.
- D. This agreement shall become effective at the time that the Arkansas Department of Higher Education has been notified and approval has been granted.

Lynita M. Cooksey, Ph.D.

Date

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Provost and Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs and Research

Arkansas State University-Jonesboro

Deborah J. Frazier

Date

Chancellor

University of Arkansas Community College at Batesville

Appendix A:

Course equivalencies between University of Arkansas Community College at Batesville and Arkansas State University - Jonesboro

ASUJ Courses

UACCB	Courses
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English Composition

ENG 1103 English Composition I ENG 1203 English Composition II SPC 1003 Oral Communication

Mathematics

MTH 1023 College Algebra (or higher level math

course)

MTH 2053 Statistics

ENG 1003 Composition I ENG 1013 Composition II

COMS 1203 Oral Communication

MATH 1023 College Algebra

ECON 2113 Business Statistics I

Life Science

BIO 1033/1031 Biology for General Education/Lab

OR

BIO 1103/1101 Biology for Majors/Lab OR

BIO 2203/2201 Microbiology/Lab OR

BIOL 1003/1001 Biological Science/Lab

BIOL 1003/1001 Biological Science/Lab

BIOL 2103/2101 Microbiology for Nursing/Lab

Physical Sciences

CHM 1103/1101 College Chemistry I/Lab OR PHS 1003/1001 Physical Science/Lab OR

GEL 1003/1001 Physical Geology/Lab

CHEM 1013/1011 General Chemistry I/Lab

PHSC 1203/1201 Physical Science/Lab

GEOL 1003/1001 Environmental Geology/Lab

Social Sciences

POS 2103 United States Government SOC 2003 Principles of Sociology PSY 1003 General Psychology

POSC 2103 Intro to US Government **SOC 2213 Introduction to Sociology** PSY 2013 Introduction to Psychology

Arts and Humanities

ENG 2113 World Literature I OR ENG 2213 World Literature II AND

FAT 2013 Theater OR FAM 2003 Music OR FAV 2023 Visual Art

ENG 2003 World Literature to 1660 ENG 2013 World Literature Since 1660

THEA 2503 Fine Arts Theatre MUS 2503 Fine Arts Music ART 2503 Fine Arts Visual

Required Classes

CRJ 1103 Introduction to Criminal Justice CRJ 1303 Criminal and Procedural Law CRJ 1403 Criminal Investigations CRJ 2304 Forensic Science w/Lab CRJ 1253 Criminology

CRIM 1023 Introduction to Criminal Justice CRIM 2263 Criminal Evidence and Procedure CRIM 2253 Criminal Investigation

Transfer Credit Elective Transfer Credit Elective

UACCB Courses CRJ 2503 Legal Writing SPA 1003 Spanish I ASUJ Courses
Transfer Credit Elective
SPAN 1013 Elementary Spanish I

ASU-JONESBORO COURSES

The following are courses that UACCB students must take to complete ASUJ's Bachelor of Arts in Criminology

Social Science General Education Requirement (Select 1 course from the list below for a total of 3

hours)

ANTH 2233 Introduction to Cultural Anthropology

ECON 2313 Principles of Macroeconomics

GEOG 2613 Introduction to Geography

HIST 1023 World Civilization Since 1660

HIST 2773 United States History Since 1876

Major Requirements: (21 hours)

CRIM 3183 Institutional Corrections OR

CRIM 3193 Community Corrections

CRIM 3223 Police & Society

CRIM 3263 Criminology

SOC 3383 Social Statistics

CRIM 4243 Social Justice

SOC 4293 Methods of Social Research

CRIM 4493 Capstone in Criminology

Foreign Language Requirement (9 hours)

SPAN 1023 Elementary Spanish II

SPAN 2013 Intermediate Spanish I

SPAN 2023 Intermediate Spanish II

Criminology Electives (Select 7 courses from the list below for a total of 21 hours)

CRIM 2043 Community Relations

CRIM 2253 Criminal Investigation*

CRIM 3323 Juvenile Delinquency

CRIM 3423 Serial Homicide

CRIM 4103 Criminal Justice Systems

CRIM 4603 Special Problems

CRIM 470V Internship

HIST 3583 History of Law Enforcement

POSC 3113 American Municipal Government

POSC 3143 State and Local Government

POSC 3183 Criminal Law/ Constitution

POSC 4533 Environmental Law & Administration

PSY 3413 Adolescent Psychology

PSY 4533 Abnormal Psychology

SOC 2223 Social Problems

SOC 3273 Social Stratification OR

SOC 3293 Self and Society

SOC 3353 Minority Groups

SOC 3463 Collective Behavior

CMAC 1003 Mass Communication

HIST 1013 World Civilization to 1660

POSC 1003 Introduction to Politics

ECON 2333 Economic Issues and Concepts

HIST 2763 United States History to 1876

SOC 4003 Perspectives on Death and Dying

SOC 4063 Sociology of Disasters

SOC 4073 Sociology of Family Violence OR

SOC 4213 Intro to Domestic Violence

SOC 4203 Social Deviance

SOC 4223 Urban Sociology

SOC 4233 Social Organization

SOC 4243 Social Theory

SOC 4253 Rural Sociology

SOC 4263 Terrorism/Social Movement

SOC 4273 World Population & Society

SOC 4283 Qualitative Data Analysis

SOC 4323 Applied Research

SOC 4343 GIS for the Social Sciences

SOC 4363 Environmental Sociology

SW 3323 Substance Abuse & Treatment

SW 3343 Child Abuse & Neglect

Additional Electives: (7-12 hours)

*This course will transfer from UACCB and can be used as a Criminology Elective at ASUJ

A-STATE ONLINE COURSES

The following are courses that UACCB students must take to complete ASUJ's Bachelor of Arts in Criminology through A-State Online

Social Science General Education Requirement (Select 1 course from the list below for a total of 3 hours)

CMAC 1003 Mass Communication

ECON 2333 Economic Issues and Concepts

HIST 2763 United States History to 1876

Major Requirements: (21 hours)

CRIM 3183 Institutional Corrections CRIM 3223 Police & Society **CRIM 3263 Criminology SOC 3383 Social Statistics** CRIM 4243 Social Justice SOC 4293 Methods of Social Research **CRIM 4493 Capstone in Criminology**

Foreign Language Requirement: (9 hours)

SPAN 1023 Elementary Spanish II SPAN 2013 Intermediate Spanish I SPAN 2023 Intermediate Spanish II

Criminology Electives: (Select 7 courses from the list below for a total of 21 hours)

CRIM 2253 Criminal Investigation*

HLTH 4543 Drug Use and Abuse

CRIM 3193 Community Corrections

SOC 3353 Minority Groups

SOC 3463 Collective Behavior

CRIM 3323 Juvenile Delinquency

SOC 4063 Sociology of Disasters

CRIM 3423 Serial Homicide CRIM 4103 Criminal Justice Systems

Additional Electives: (7-12 hours)

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