



MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING TRANSFER ARTICULATION

ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY-MOUNTAIN HOME AND ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY-JONESBORO

Associate of Arts

and

Bachelor of Science in Psychology

This Memorandum of Understanding ("Agreement"), entered into on 8th of March, 2018, ("Effective Date") by and between Arkansas State University-Jonesboro (hereinafter, "ASUJ"), located at 2105 Aggie Road, Jonesboro, Arkansas 72401, and Arkansas State University-Mountain Home (hereinafter "ASUMH"), located at 1600 South College St., Mountain Home, AR 72653.

PURPOSE

The purpose of this Agreement is to facilitate the transfer and degree completion of students earning the Associate of Arts at ASUMH to the Bachelor of Science in Psychology. Through collaborative efforts, ASUJ and ASUMH 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.

<u>AGREEMENT</u>

It is agreed that any student who has earned the Associate of Arts at ASUMH will be admitted to the Bachelor of Science in Psychology at ASUJ 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 Science in Psychology program.
- B. The student will have earned the Associate of Arts at ASUMH.
- 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 Arts degree plan at ASUMH, 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 Science in Psychology program will be available to ASUMH online.
- 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 ASUMH 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 ASUMH 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 ASUMH. A student may opt for a subsequent revision of this Agreement, but must meet all of the requirements specified therein.
- E. ASUJ and ASUMH 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.

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Provost and Vice Chancellor for Academic

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Arkansas State University-Jonesboro

Date

Martin Eggensperger, Ph.D.

Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs

Arkansas State University-Mountain Home

Date

Appendix A:

Course equivalencies between Arkansas State University-Mountain Home and Arkansas State University — Jonesboro

ASUMH Courses ASUJ Courses

English Composition

ENG 1003 Composition I ENG 1003 Composition I ENG 1013 Composition II ENG 1013 Composition II

Mathematics

MATH 1023 College Algebra MATH 1023 College Algebra

Humanities

Choose 6 hours from the following:*

ENG 2003 World Literature to 1660

ENG 2013 World Literature Since 1660

ENG 2013 World Literature Since 1660

PHIL 1103 Introduction to Philosophy PHIL 1103 Introduction to Philosophy

Fine Arts

THEA 2503 Fine Arts - Theatre OR
MUS 2503 Fine Arts - Music OR
MUS 2503 Fine Arts Music
MUS 2503 Fine Arts Music

ART 2503 Fine Arts - Visual ART 2503 Fine Arts Visual

Social Sciences

PSY 2513 Introduction to Psychology PSY 2013 Introduction to Psychology

Choose 6 hours:

SOC 2213 Principles of Sociology
ECON 2313 Principles of Macroeconomics
ECON 2313 Principles of Macroeconomics
ECON 2333 Economic Issues and Concepts
HIST 1013 World Civilization to 1660
HIST 1023 World Civilization Since 1660
GEOG 2703 World Geography

SOC 2213 Introduction to Sociology
ECON 2313 Principles of Macroeconomics
ECON 2313 Economic Issues and Concepts
HIST 1013 World Civilization to 1660
HIST 1023 World Civilization Since 1660
GEOG 2703 World Geography

SOC 2233 Introduction to Cultural Anthropology ANTH 2233 Introduction to Cultural

Anthropology

U.S. History/Government

HIST 2763 The United States to 1876 OR
HIST 2763 The United States to 1876
HIST 2773 The United States Since 1876 OR
POSC 2103 United States Government
POSC 2103 Intro to US Government

Life Science

BIOL 1004 Biology Science & Lab BIOL 1003/1001 Biological Science/Lab

Physical Sciences

PHYS 1204 Physical Science & Lab PHSC 1203/1201 Physical Science/Lab

Institutional Requirements

CIS 1053 Computer Essentials Transfer Credit Elective ORT 1011 First Year Experience Transfer Credit Elective

SPCH 1203 Oral Communication COMS 1203 Oral Communication

ASUMH Courses HLT 2203 Basic Human Nutrition OR Any PE courses (3 hours) ASUJ Courses NS 2203 Basic Human Nutrition Transfer Credit Elective

Directed ElectivesDirected Electives (12 hours)

Transfer Credit Electives

^{*}Students choose one course as a Directed Elective

ASU- JONESBORO COURSES

The following are courses that ASUMH students must take to complete ASUJ's Bachelor of Science in Psychology

Major Requirements (41 hours)*

PSY 2023, Psychology as a Science and a Profession

PSY 3103 AND PSY 3101, Quantitative Methods for Behavioral Sciences and Laboratory

PSY 3113, Research Design in Psychology

PSY 3123 AND PSY 3121, Experimental Methods in Psychology and Laboratory

Psychology as a Natural Science

Choose Two of the Following:

PSY 3214, Introduction to Neuroscience

PSY 4343, Learning Processes

PSY 3303, Motivation

PSY 4363, Cognitive Psychology

PSY 4323, Physiological Psychology

PSY 4383, Introduction to Behavior Analysis

Psychology as a Social Science

Choose Three of the Following (Only two of PSY 3403, PSY 3413, and PSY 3453 may be chosen):

PSY 3403, Child Psychology

PSY 3413, Adolescent Psychology

PSY 3453, Developmental Psychology

PSY 3523 Social Psychology

PSY 3823 History of Psychology

PSY 4533 Abnormal Psychology

PSY 4553 Personality Theory

Integrative Psychology

Choose Twelve hours of the Following:

(Courses from Psychology as a Natural Science or Psychology as a Social Science may be substituted for courses in this category)

PSY 3603, Positive Psychology

PSY 3613, Cultural Psychology

PSY 3703, Educational Psychology

PSY 380V, Special Problems

PSY 4053, Today's Families

PSY 4173, Psychometrics

PSY 4723, Organizational Psychology

PSY 4853, Psychological Seminar

Minor or Area of Concentration (18-24 hours)*

^{*}Due to rotation all courses may not be available every term