



**MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING
TRANSFER ARTICULATION**

**COLLEGE OF THE OUACHITAS
AND
ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY-JONESBORO**

**Associate of Arts
and
Bachelor of Arts in History**

This Memorandum of Understanding ("Agreement"), entered into on ___ of March, 2018, ("Effective Date") by and between Arkansas State University-Jonesboro (hereinafter, "ASUJ"), located at 2105 Aggie Road, Jonesboro, Arkansas 72401, and College of the Ouachitas (hereinafter "COTO"), located at One College Circle, Malvern, Arkansas 72104.

PURPOSE

The purpose of this Agreement is to facilitate the transfer and degree completion of students earning the Associate of Arts at COTO to the Bachelor of Arts in History. Through collaborative efforts, ASUJ and COTO 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 Arts at COTO will be admitted to the Bachelor of Arts in History 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 Arts in History program.

- B. The student will have earned the Associate of Arts at COTO.
- 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 COTO, 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 History program will be available to COTO 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

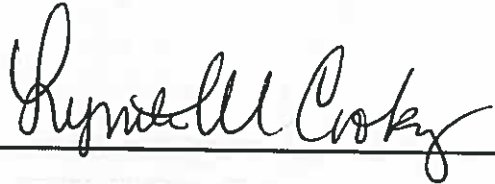
- A. The Chief Academic Officers at each institution will implement the terms of this Agreement, including incorporation of any mutually agreed upon changes into subsequent revisions of this Agreement, assuring compliance with system policy, procedure and guidelines.
- B. This Agreement will be reviewed on an annual basis. Both ASUJ and COTO 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 COTO 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 COTO. A student may opt for a subsequent revision of this Agreement, but must meet all of the requirements specified therein.
- E. ASUJ and COTO 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.
Provost and Vice Chancellor for Academic
Affairs and Research
Arkansas State University-Jonesboro

4/11/18

Date



Pat Simms, M.S.E
Vice President for Academic Affairs
College of the Ouachitas

3/6/18

Date

Appendix A:

Course equivalencies between College of the Ouachitas and Arkansas State University – Jonesboro

COTO Courses	ASUJ Courses
English Composition ENGL 1113 Composition I ENGL 1213 Composition II COMM 2113 Oral Communications	ENG 1003 Composition I ENG 1013 Composition II COMS 1203 Oral Communication
Mathematics MATH 1143 College Algebra	MATH 1023 College Algebra
Life Science BIOL 1124 Introduction to Biology	BIOL 1003/1001 Biological Science/Lab
Physical Sciences PHYC 1124 Introduction to Physics OR PHYC 1134 Introduction to Physical Science OR PHYC 1144 Introduction to Astronomy OR CHEM 1214 General Chemistry I	PHSC 1203/1201 Physical Science/Lab PHSC 1203/1201 Physical Science/Lab PHSC 1103/1101 Intro to Space Science/Lab CHEM 1013/1011 General Chemistry I/Lab
U.S. History/Government HIST 2113 U.S. History through 1865	HIST 2763 The United States to 1876
World Civilization HIST 1113 Civilization through 16 th Century	HIST 1013 World Civilization to 1660
Social Sciences <i>Choose One of the following:</i> SOC 1113 Introduction to Sociology PSYC 1113 General Psychology <i>Choose One of the following not already chosen:</i> SOC 1113 Introduction to Sociology PSYC 1113 General Psychology GEOG 113 Geography ECON 2113 Principles of Macroeconomics	SOC 2213 Introduction to Sociology PSY 2013 Introduction to Psychology SOC 2213 Introduction to Sociology PSY 2013 Introduction to Psychology GEOG 2613 Introduction to Geography ECON 2313 Principles of Macroeconomics
World Literature ENGL 2213 World Literature I OR ENGL 2223 World Literature II	ENG 2003 World Literature to 1660 ENG 2013 World Literature Since 1660
Humanities PHIL 2113 Introduction to Philosophy HUMN 2133 Humanities: Theater OR HUMN 2123 Humanities: Music OR HUMN 2113 Humanities: Art	PHIL 1103 Introduction to Philosophy THEA 2503 Fine Arts Theatre MUS 2503 Fine Arts Music ART 2503 Fine Arts Visual
Institutional Requirements DATA 1123 Fundamentals of Information Technology	CS 1013 Introduction to Computers

COTO Courses

PHYS 1221 Life Fitness

Electives

SPAN 1113 Elementary Spanish I

SPAN 1123 Elementary Spanish II

HIST 1123 Civilization since 16th Century

HIST 2123 U.S. History since 1865

Electives (3 hours)

ASUJ Courses

PE 1002 Concepts of Fitness

SPAN 1013 Elementary Spanish I

SPAN 1023 Elementary Spanish II

HIST 1023 World Civilization Since 1660

HIST 2773 The United States Since 1876

Transfer Credit Electives

ASU- JONESBORO COURSES

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

Language Requirement (6 hours)

SPAN 2013 Intermediate Spanish I

SPAN 2023 Intermediate Spanish II

Major Requirements (33 hours)*

HIST 3333 The Practice of History

HIST 4803 Senior History Seminar

Elective History Courses

At least 9 hours must be at 4000 level

Upper-level United States History electives (9 hours)

Upper-level European History electives (6 hours)

Upper-level World History electives (6 hours)

Upper-level History electives (6 hours)

Electives (21 hours)**

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

**Must include 12 Upper-Level hours