



MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING TRANSFER ARTICULATION

UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS BOARD OF TRUSTEES ON BEHALF OF COSSATOT COMMUNITY COLLEGE OF THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AND ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY-JONESBORO

Associate of Science in Business and

Bachelor of Science in Accounting

This Memorandum of Understanding ("Agreement"), entered into on February 22, 2018, ("Effective Date") by and between Arkansas State University-Jonesboro (hereinafter, "ASUJ"), located at 2105 Aggie Road, Jonesboro, Arkansas 72401, and University of Arkansas Board of Trustees on behalf of Cossatot Community College of the University of Arkansas (hereinafter "CCCUA"), located at 183 College Drive, De Queen, Arkansas 71832.

PURPOSE

The purpose of this Agreement is to facilitate the transfer and degree completion of students earning the Associate of Science in Business at CCCUA to the Bachelor of Science in Accounting. Through collaborative efforts, ASUJ and CCCUA 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 Science in Business at CCCUA will be admitted to the Bachelor of Science in Accounting 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 Accounting program.
- B. The student will have earned the Associate of Science in Business at CCCUA.
- 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 Business degree plan at CCCUA, 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 Accounting program will be available to CCCUA 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 CCCUA 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 CCCUA 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 CCCUA. A student may opt for a subsequent revision of this Agreement, but must meet all of the requirements specified therein.
- E. ASUJ and CCCUA 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

Ashley Aylett

Vice Chancellor for Academic Services Cossatot Community College of the

University of Arkansas

Date

Appendix A:

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

CCCUA Courses ASUJ Courses English Composition

ENGL 1113 Composition I ENG 1003 Composition I ENGL 1123 Composition II ENGL 1013 Composition II

SPCH 1113 Principles of Speech ENG 1013 Composition II COMS 1203 Oral Communication

Mathematics

MATH 1023 College Algebra
MATH 2053 Survey of Calculus
MATH 2194 Survey of Calculus

Life Science

BIOL 1014 General Biology BIOL 1003/1001 Biological Science/Lab

Physical Sciences

PHYS 2024 Physical Science PHSC 1203/1201 Physical Science/Lab

Social Sciences

SOC 2003 Introduction to Sociology SOC 2213 Introduction to Sociology

U.S. History/Government

HIST 2013 United States History to 1876 OR
HIST 2023 United States History since 1876
HIST 2773 The United States Since 1876

World History

HIST 1003 Western Civilization to 1700 OR
HIST 1013 World Civilization to 1660
HIST 1013 Western Civilization since 1700 OR
PSCI 2003 American Government
HIST 1013 World Civilization to 1660
POSC 2103 Intro to US Government

Humanities

ENGL 2213 World Literature I OR ENGL 2223 World Literature II ENG 2003 World Literature to 1660 ENGL 2223 World Literature II ENG 2013 World Literature Since 1660

Fine Arts

FA 2013 Introduction to Fine Arts: Music OR
FA 2003 Introduction to Fine Arts: Art

MUS 2503 Fine Arts Music
ART 2503 Fine Arts Visual

Business Requirements

SPD 1003 Success Strategies

MATH 2023 Introduction to Statistics

ECON 2003 Macroeconomics

ECON 2013 Microeconomics

ECON 2013 Microeconomics

ECON 2013 Microeconomics

ECON 2013 Microeconomics

ECON 2013 Principles of Microeconomics

ECON 2013 Principles of Microeconomics

ECON 2013 Principles of Microeconomics

ECON 2013 Introduction to Financial Accounting

ACCT 2123 Accounting Principles ii

ACCT 2123 Introduction to Managerial Accounting

BUS 1003 Microcomputer Applications

CIT 1053 Microcomputer Applications

BUS 2023 Business Communications * CIT 1053 Microcomputer Applications BCOM 2563 Business Communications

CCCUA Courses BUS 2103 Business Law

ASUJ Courses LAW 2023 Legal Environment of Business

^{*}Students will choose this as a Directed Elective

^{**}This course will be substituted with STAT 3233 Applied Statistics I

ASU-JONESBORO COURSES

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

College of Business Core Requirements: (18 hours)

CIT 3013 Management Information Systems
CIT 3523 Operations Management
FIN 3713 Business Finance
MGMT 3123 Principles of Management
MGMT 4813 Strategic Management
MKTG 3013 Marketing

Major Requirements (33 hours)*

ACCT 3003 Intermediate Accounting I
ACCT 3013 Intermediate Accounting II
ACCT 3033 Intermediate Accounting III
ACCT 3053 Cost Accounting with a Managerial Emphasis
ACCT 4013 Tax Accounting I
ACCT 4033 Accounting Information Systems
ACCT 4053 Auditing I
ACCT 4123 Government and Not-For-Profit Accounting

Upper-Level Accounting Electives

Choose 6 hours EXCEPT:
ACCT 3063 Hospitality Accounting
ACCT 430V Special Problems in Accounting

LAW 4043 Law of Business Organizations

ACCT 4153 Fraud Examinations
ACCT 478V Internship in Accounting

Additional Electives (0-4 hours)

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