



**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 Criminal Justice
and
Bachelor of Arts in Criminology**

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 Criminal Justice at CCCUA to the Bachelor of Arts in Criminology. 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.

AGREEMENT

It is agreed that any student who has earned the Associate of Science in Criminal Justice at CCCUA 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 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 Criminal Justice 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 Arts in Criminology program will be available to CCCUA 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.

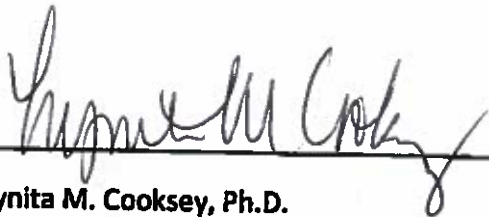
IMPLEMENTATION AND REVIEW

- 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 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.



Lynita M. Cooksey, Ph.D.
Provost and Vice Chancellor for Academic
Affairs and Research
Arkansas State University-Jonesboro

2/27/18

Date



Ashley Aylett
Vice Chancellor for Academic Services
Cossatot Community College of the
University of Arkansas

2/22/18

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 ENGL 1123 Composition II SPCH 1113 Principles of Speech	ENG 1003 Composition I ENG 1013 Composition II COMS 1203 Oral Communication
Mathematics MATH 1023 College Algebra	MATH 1023 College Algebra
Life Science BIOL 1014 General Biology	BIOL 1003/1001 Biological Science/Lab
Physical Sciences PHYS 2024 Physical Science	PHSC 1203/1201 Physical Science/Lab
Government PSCI 2003 American Government	POSC 2103 Intro to US Government
U.S. History HIST 2013 United States History to 1876 OR HIST 2023 United States History since 1876	HIST 2763 The United States to 1876 HIST 2773 The United States Since 1876
World History HIST 1003 Western Civilization to 1700 OR HIST 1013 Western Civilization since 1700	HIST 1013 World Civilization to 1660 HIST 1023 World Civilization since 1660
Humanities ENGL 2213 World Literature I OR ENGL 2223 World Literature II	ENG 2003 World Literature to 1660 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
Criminal Justice Requirements SPD 1003 Success Strategies BUS 1003 Microcomputer Applications SOC 2003 Introduction to Sociology PSYC 2003 General Psychology PSCI 2013 State & Local Government CRJU 1103 Introduction to Criminal Justice CRJU 2503 Criminal Law BIOL XXX4 Biological Science Elective	UC 1013 Making Connections CIT 1053 Microcomputer Applications SOC 2213 Introduction to Sociology PSY 2013 Introduction to Psychology Transfer Credit Elective CRIM 1023 Introduction to Criminal Justice Transfer Credit Elective Transfer Credit Elective

ASU- JONESBORO COURSES

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

Major Requirements (24 hours)

CRIM 2263 Criminal Evidence and Procedure OR
POSC 3183 Criminal Law and the Constitution
CRIM 3183 Institutional Corrections OR
CRIM 3193 Community Corrections
CRIM 3223 Policy and Society
CRIM 3263 Criminology
CRIM 4243 Social Justice
CRIM 4493 Capstone In Criminology
SOC 3383 Social Statistics
SOC 4293 Methods of Social Research

Foreign Language Requirement (12 hours)

SPAN 1013 Elementary Spanish I
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	SOC 3353 Minority Groups
CRIM 2253 Criminal Investigation	SOC 3463 Collective Behavior
CRIM 2263 Criminal Evidence and Procedure <i>If not used for major core course requirement</i>	SOC 4003 Perspectives on Death and Dying
CRIM 3323 Juvenile Delinquency	SOC 4063 Sociology of Disasters
CRIM 3423 Serial Homicide	SOC 4073 Sociology of Family Violence OR
CRIM 4103 Criminal Justice Systems	SOC 4213 Intro to Domestic Violence
CRIM 4603 Special Problems	SOC 4203 Social Deviance
CRIM 470V Internship	SOC 4223 Urban Sociology
HIST 3583 History of Law Enforcement	SOC 4233 Social Organization
POSC 3113 American Municipal Government	SOC 4243 Social Theory
POSC 3143 State and Local Government	SOC 4253 Rural Sociology
POSC 3183 Criminal Law/ Constitution <i>If not used for major core course requirement</i>	SOC 4263 Terrorism/Social Movement
POSC 4533 Environmental Law & Administration	SOC 4273 World Population & Society
PSY 3413 Adolescent Psychology	SOC 4283 Qualitative Data Analysis
PSY 4533 Abnormal Psychology	SOC 4323 Applied Research
SOC 2223 Social Problems	SOC 4343 GIS for the Social Sciences
SOC 3273 Social Stratification OR	SOC 4363 Environmental Sociology
SOC 3293 Self and Society	SW 3323 Substance Abuse & Treatment
	SW 3343 Child Abuse & Neglect

Additional Electives (3-12 hours)*

*0-12 hours must be Upper-Level

A-STATE ONLINE COURSES

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

Major Requirements (24 hours)

CRIM 2263 Criminal Evidence and Procedure

CRIM 3183 Institutional Corrections

CRIM 3223 Police and Society

CRIM 3263 Criminology

CRIM 4243 Social Justice

CRIM 4493 Capstone in Criminology

SOC 3383 Social Statistics

SOC 4293 Methods of Social Research

Foreign Language Requirement (12 hours)

SPAN 1013 Elementary Spanish I

SPAN 1023 Elementary Spanish II

SPAN 2013 Intermediate Spanish I

SPAN 2023 Intermediate Spanish II

Criminology Electives (Choose 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

CRIM 3323 Juvenile Delinquency

SOC 3463 Collective Behavior

CRIM 3423 Serial Homicide

SOC 4063 Sociology of Disasters

CRIM 4103 Criminal Justice Systems

Additional Electives: (3-6 hours)*

*3-6 hours must be Upper-Level