



# MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING TRANSFER ARTICULATION

# ARKANSAS NORTHEASTERN COLLEGE AND ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY-JONESBORO

# Associate of Science in Criminology and

### **Bachelor of Arts in Criminology**

This Memorandum of Understanding ("Agreement"), entered into on \_\_\_\_ of October, 2017, ("Effective Date") by and between Arkansas State University-Jonesboro (hereinafter, "ASUJ"), located at 2105 Aggie Road, Jonesboro, Arkansas 72401, and Arkansas Northeastern College (hereinafter "ANC"), located at 2501 South Division Street, Blytheville, Arkansas 72315.

#### **PURPOSE**

The purpose of this Agreement is to facilitate the transfer and degree completion of students earning the Associate of Science in Criminology at ANC to the Bachelor of Arts in Criminology. Through collaborative efforts, ASUJ and ANC 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 Criminology at ANC 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 Criminology at ANC.
- 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 Criminology degree plan at ANC, 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 ANC 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 ANC 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 ANC 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 ANC. A student may opt for a subsequent revision of this Agreement, but must meet all of the requirements specified therein.
- E. ASUJ and ANC 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 Action has been notified and approval has been granted.

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#### Appendix A:

Course equivalencies between Arkansas Northeastern College and Arkansas State University – Jonesboro

**English Composition** 

EN 12003 English Composition I ENG 1003 Composition I ENG 12013 English Composition II ENG 1013 Composition II

SP 12103 Introduction to Communication COMS 1203 Oral Communication

Mathematics

MA 14043 College Algebra OR MATH 1023 College Algebra

MA 14123 Quantitative Reasoning MATH 1043 Quantitative Reasoning

Life Science

BI 14033/14041 General Biology/Lab BIOL 1003/1001 Biological Science/Lab

**Physical Sciences** 

PS 14003/14011 Physical Science/Lab PHSC 1203/1201 Physical Science/Lab

**US History/Government** 

PO 23003 American National Government POSC 2103 Introduction to US Government

HI 23003 US History to 1876 **OR** HIST 2763 The US to 1876 HI 23013 US History Since 1876 HIST 2773 The US Since 1876

**Social Sciences** 

SO 23013 Introduction to Sociology
PY 23003 General Psychology
HI 13003 World Civilization to 1600 OR
HI 13013 World Civilization Since 1600
HI 13013 World Civilization Since 1600
HI 13013 World Civilization Since 1600

**Arts and Humanities** 

PH 22003 Introduction to Philosophy OR PHIL 1103 Introduction to Philosophy EN 22003 World Literature I OR ENG 2003 World Literature to 1660 EN 22013 World Literature II AND ENG 2013 World Literature since 1660

THE 22013 Fine Arts Theater OR

MU 22003 Music Appreciation OR

AR 22003 Art Appreciation

THEA 2503 Fine Arts Theatre

MUS 2503 Fine Arts Music

ART 2503 Fine Arts Visual

**Required Courses** 

CJ 15003 Introduction to Criminal Justice CRIM 1023 Introduction to Criminal Justice
CJ 25023 Criminal Evidence CRIM 2263 Criminal Evidence and Procedure

CJ 25013 Criminal Investigation CRIM 2253 Criminal Investigation

SO 23043 Social Problems
SO 23103 Criminology\*

SOC 2223 Social Problems
CRIM 3263 Criminology

ANC Courses
Additional Electives
PY 13002 Academic & Career Enrichment
PE 17112 Fitness for Life

**ASUJ Courses** 

Transfer Credit Elective
PE 1002 Concepts of Fitness

<sup>\*</sup>Criminology is a direct transfer to ASUJ, but since Criminology is a 3000-level course at ASUJ students will need to take a 3000-level elective for the difference. Criminology will not need to be taken again.

## **ASU- JONESBORO COURSES**

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

#### Major Requirements: (18 hours)

CRIM 3183 Institutional Corrections OR

**CRIM 3193 Community Corrections** 

CRIM 3223 Police & Society

CRIM 4243 Social Justice

SOC 4293 Methods of Social Research

CRIM 4493 Capstone in Criminology

**SOC 3383 Social Statistics** 

#### 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 3463 Collective Behavior

CRIM 2253 Criminal Investigation\* 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 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: (7-12 hours)

**SOC 3353 Minority Groups** 

<sup>\*</sup>These courses will transfer from ANC and be used as Criminology Electives at ASUJ

### **A-STATE ONLINE COURSES**

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

#### Major Requirements: (18 hours)

**CRIM 3183 Institutional Corrections** 

CRIM 3223 Police & Society

CRIM 4243 Social Justice

SOC 4293 Methods of Social Research

**CRIM 4493 Capstone in Criminology** 

**SOC 3383 Social Statistics** 

#### 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 2253 Criminal Investigation\*

HLTH 4543 Drug Use and Abuse

**CRIM 3193 Community Corrections** 

SOC 2223 Social Problems\*

CRIM 3323 Juvenile Delinquency

SOC 3353 Minority Groups

CRIM 3423 Serial Homicide

SOC 3463 Collective Behavior

CRIM 4103 Criminal Justice Systems

SOC 4063 Sociology of Disasters

Additional Electives: (7-12 hours)

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