



### MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING TRANSFER ARTICULATION

# PHILLIPS COMMUNITY COLLEGE OF THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AND ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY-JONESBORO

## Associate of Arts in Business Administration and

**Bachelor of Science in Business Administration** 

This Memorandum of Understanding ("Agreement"), entered into on the 17<sup>th</sup> of November, 2017, by and between Arkansas State University-Jonesboro (hereinafter, "ASUJ"), located at 2105 Aggie Road, Jonesboro, Arkansas 72401, and the Board of Trustees of the University of Arkansas Acting for and on Behalf of Phillips Community College of the University of Arkansas (hereinafter "PCCUA"), located at 1000 Campus Road, Helena, Arkansas 72342.

#### **PURPOSE**

The purpose of this Agreement is to facilitate the transfer and degree completion of students earning the Associate of Arts in Business Administration at PCCUA to the Bachelor of Science in Business Administration. Through collaborative efforts, ASUJ and PCCUA 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 in Business Administration at PCCUA will be admitted to the Bachelor of Science in Business Administration 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 Science in Business Administration program.
- B. The student will have earned the Associate of Arts in Business Administration at PCCUA.
- 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 in Business Administration degree plan at PCCUA, 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 Business Administration program will be available to PCCUA 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 ASUI.
- E. Calculation of overall GPA for purposes of graduation and awarding of honors is left to the discretion of ASUI.

#### 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 PCCUA 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 PCCUA 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 PCCUA. A student may opt for a subsequent revision of this Agreement, but must meet all of the requirements specified therein.
- E. ASUJ and PCCUA 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

Date

Keith Pinchback, Ed.D.

Chancellor

Phillips Community College of the University

of Arkansas

Date

#### Appendix A:

**BMGT 283 Business Statistics** 

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

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PCC Courses	ASUJ Courses
English Composition	
EH 113 Composition I	ENG 1003 Composition I
EH 123 Composition II	ENG 1013 Composition II
SP 243 Fundamentals of Speech	COMS 1203 Oral Communication
EH 233 World Literature I	ENG 2003 World Literature to 1660
Mathematics	
MS 223 Survey of Calculus	MATH 2194 Survey of Calculus
Life Science	
BY 114 General Biology I OR	BIOL 1003/1001 Biological Science/Lab
BY 124 General Biology II OR	BIOL 1003/1001 Biological Science/Lab
BY 154 Anatomy/Physiology I	BIOL 2203/2201 Human Anatomy and Physiology/Lab
Physical Sciences	
PS 215 General Physics I OR	PHYS 2054 General Physics I
PS 114 Physical Science I OR	PHSC 1203/1201 Physical Science/Lab
CY 114 General Chemistry I	CHEM 1013/1011 General Chemistry I/Lab
Social Sciences	
HY 213 U.S. History I OR	HIST 2763 The United States to 1876
HY 223 U.S. History II	HIST 2773 The United States Since 1876
HY 113 Western Civilization I OR	HIST 1013 World Civilization to 1660
HY 123 Western Civilization II	HIST 1023 World Civilization since 1660
ES 223 Microeconomics*	ECON 2323 Principles of Microeconomics
Humanities	
EH 243 World Literature II OR	ENG 2013 World Literature Since 1660
PHIL 153 Intro to Philosophy	PHIL 1103 Introduction to Philosophy
Fine Arts	
SP 123 Intro to Theatre OR	THEA 2503 Fine Arts Theatre
MSC 223 Music Appreciation OR	MUS 2503 Fine Arts Music
FA 213 Fine Arts I OR	ART 2503 Fine Arts Visual
FA 223 Fine Arts II	ART 2503 Fine Arts Visual
Physical Education	
PEAC 142 Fitness Concepts	PE 1002 Concepts of Fitness
Business Core	
ES 213 Macroeconomics	<b>ECON 2313 Principles of Macroeconomics</b>
BAN 213 Principles of Accounting I	ACCT 2033 Introduction to Financial Accounting
BAN 223 Principles of Accounting II	ACCT 2133 Introduction to Managerial Accounting

ECON 2113 Business Statistics I\*\*

**PCC Courses** 

BAN 233 Legal Environment of Business BAN 263 Business Communication CT 113 Computer Information Systems **ASUJ Courses** 

LAW 2023 Legal Environment of Business BCOM 2563 Business Communications CS 1013 Introduction to Computers

<sup>\*</sup>Students will need to choose this Social Science course

<sup>\*\*</sup>ECON 2113 will be substituted for STAT 3233 Applied Statistics I

#### **ASU-JONESBORO COURSES**

The following are courses that PCC students must take to complete ASUJ's Bachelor of Science in Business Administration

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 (24 hours)\*

Choose one course from each of the categories

Accounting Elective

ACCT 3053 Cost Accounting with a Managerial

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**ACCT 4153 Fraud Examinations** 

Finance Elective

FIN 3763 Financial Institutions and Markets

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FIN 4743 Managerial Finance

International Elective

FIN 3813 International Finance Management and

Banking

**ECON 4353 Economic Development** 

Macro Economics Elective

ECON 3323 Money and Banking ECON 3363 Labor Economics

Management Elective

MGMT 3143 Human Resource Management

MGMT 3613 Leadership

MGMT 4163 Small Business Management

Marketing Elective

MKTG 3033 Advertising and Promotion

MKTG 4023 Services Marketing

MKTG 4113 International Marketing

Micro Economic Elective

**ECON 3313 Microeconomic Analysis** 

ECON 4333 Government Regulation of Business

**ECON 4363 Global Environmental Policies** 

Upper-Level Business Elective

Choose any Upper-Level Business Elective

ACCT 4013 Tax Accounting I

FIN 4723 Investments

FIN 4753 Capital Management

ECON/IB 4143 Export Policy and Procedures

ECON 4103 International Trade

ECON 3353 Macroeconomic Analysis

ECON 4323 Economic Policy Analysis

MGMT 3183 Entrepreneurship

MGMT 4123 International Management

MKTG 3043 Retailing

MKTG 4043 Consumer Behavior

**ECON 4303 Sport Economics** 

ECON 4343 Managerial Economics

#### Additional Electives (3-18 hours)\*\*

- \*Due to rotation all courses may not be available every term
- \*\*Must include 3 Upper-Level hours

#### A-STATE ONLINE COURSES

The following are courses that PCC students must take to complete ASUJ's Bachelor of Science in Business Administration through A-State Online

#### 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 (24 hours)\*

Choose one course from each of the categories

Accounting Elective

**ACCT 4153 Fraud Examination** 

Finance Elective

FIN 3763 Financial Institutions and Markets

FIN 4723 Investments

FIN 4743 Managerial Finance

FIN 4753 Capital Management

International Elective

FIN 3813 International Finance Management and

**ECON 4143 Export Policy and Procedures** 

Banking

Macro Economics Elective

**ECON 3353 Macroeconomic Analysis** 

Management Elective

MGMT 3143 Human Resource Management

MGMT 3183 Entrepreneurship

MGMT 3613 Leadership

MGMT 4123 International Management

Marketing Elective

MKTG 3043 Retailing

MKTG 4043 Consumer Behavior

Micro Economics Elective

ECON 4333 Government Regulation of Business

Upper-Level Business Elective

Choose any Upper-Level Business Elective

**ECON 4363 Global Environmental Policies** 

Additional Electives: (3-18 hours)\*\*

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<sup>\*\*</sup>Must include 3 Upper-Level hours