



### MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING TRANSFER ARTICULATION

# EAST ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE AND ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY-JONESBORO

## Associate of Arts and

#### **Bachelor of Arts in History**

This Memorandum of Understanding ("Agreement"), entered into on \_\_\_\_ of April, 2018, ("Effective Date") by and between Arkansas State University-Jonesboro (hereinafter, "ASUJ"), located at 2105 Aggie Road, Jonesboro, Arkansas 72401, and East Arkansas Community College (hereinafter "EACC"), located at 1700 New Castle Road, Forrest City, Arkansas 72335.

#### **PURPOSE**

The purpose of this Agreement is to facilitate the transfer and degree completion of students earning the Associate of Arts at EACC to the Bachelor of Arts in History. Through collaborative efforts, ASUJ and EACC 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 EACC 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 EACC.
- 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 EACC, 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 EACC online.
- 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 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 EACC 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 EACC 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 EACC. A student may opt for a subsequent revision of this Agreement, but must meet all of the requirements specified therein.
- E. ASUJ and EACC 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.

4-24-18

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Provost and Vice Chancellor for Academic
Affairs and Research
Arkansas State University-Jonesboro

Date

Michelle Wilson

Vice President for Academic Affairs East Arkansas Community College Date

#### Appendix A:

Course equivalencies between East Arkansas Community College and Arkansas State University - Jonesboro

EACC Courses ASUJ Courses

**English Composition** 

ENG 1013 English Composition I ENG 1003 Composition I ENG 1023 English Composition II ENG 1013 Composition II

Mathematics

MTH 1113 College Algebra MATH 1023 College Algebra

Life Science

BIO 1014 General Biology OR

BIO 2114 Anatomy & Physiology I OR

BIO 2203/2201 Anatomy and Physiology I/Lab

BIO 2504 Microbiology

BIO 2103/2101 Microbiology for Nursing/Lab

**Physical Sciences** 

PHS 1214 Physical Science OR PHSC 1203/1201 Physical Science/Lab

PHY 2114 General Physics I OR PHYS 2054 General Physics I

CHE 1214 College Chemistry | CHEM 1013/1011 General Chemistry I/Lab

**Social Sciences** 

SOC 2043 Cultural Anthropology OR ANTH 2233 Introduction to Cultural Anthropology

SOC 1013 Introduction to Sociology OR SOC 2213 Introduction to Sociology PSY 1003 General Psychology PSY 2013 Introduction to Psychology

**World History** 

HIS 1013 Western Civilization I HIST 1013 World Civilization to 1660

**US History/Government** 

HIS 2033 US History Before 1865 HIST 2763 The United States to 1876

**Arts and Humanities** 

ENG 2073 World Literature I ENG 2003 World Literature to 1660
ENG 2083 World Literature II ENG 2013 World Literature Since 1660
DRA 1003 Theatre Appreciation OR THEA 2503 Fine Arts Theatre

MUS 1003 Theatre Appreciation OR HEA 2503 Fine Arts Theatre
MUS 1003 Music Appreciation OR MUS 2503 Fine Arts Music
ART 1003 Art Appreciation ART 2503 Fine Arts Visual

**Institutional Requirements** 

SPE 1003 Introduction to Oral Communication

BUS 1603 Computer Fundamentals

CIT 1503 Microcomputer Applications

**Directed Electives** 

HIS 1023 Western Civilization II HIST 1023 World Civilization Since 1660 HIS 2043 US History Since 1865 HIST 2773 The United States Since 1876

Directed Electives (1 hours) Transfer Credit Elective

Choose 12 ASUJ equivalent hours of one language from the following:

SPA 1114 Elementary Spanish I SPAN 1013 Elementary Spanish I

#### **EACC Courses**

SPA 1124 Elementary Spanish II SPA 2114 Intermediate Spanish I SPA 2124 Intermediate Spanish II FRE 1014 Elementary French I FRE 1024 Elementary French II FRE 2014 Intermediate French I

FRE 2024 Intermediate French II

#### **ASUJ Courses**

SPAN 1023 Elementary Spanish II SPAN 2013 Intermediate Spanish I SPAN 2023 Intermediate Spanish II FR 1013 Elementary French I FR 1023 Elementary French II FR 2013 Intermediate French I

FR 2023 Intermediate French II

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

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

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 (27 hours)\*\*

<sup>\*</sup>Due to rotation all courses may not be available every term

<sup>\*\*</sup>Must include 12 Upper-Level hours