

TRANSFER ARTICULATION AGREEMENT

Salem State College

and

Northern Essex Community College

Criminal Justice

January 2008

Salem State College and Northern Essex Community College, in recognition of a valuable and barrier free public academic experience, have created a transfer articulation agreement between the Criminal Justice department at Salem State College and the Criminal Justice Program at Northern Community College.

OBJECTIVES:

1. To encourage the transfer of qualified students from Northern Essex Community College to Salem State College.
2. To award academic credit for courses completed at Community College, that meet the terms of the Criminal Justice, Associate Degree, for application toward the requirements for the Bachelor of Science in Criminal Justice at Salem State College.
3. To provide effective and concise guidelines for students seeking to transfer to Salem State College. Students will have accurate and clear information regarding the transfer of their coursework and credits toward the Bachelor of Science in Criminal Justice at Salem State College.

TERMS OF THE TRANSFER ARTICULATION AGREEMENT:

1. Salem State College guarantees the acceptance of students who completed the Criminal Justice Transfer Associate Degree program at Northern Essex Community College with an overall GPA of 2.5 or better to the Bachelor of Science in Criminal Justice.
2. Salem State College guarantees the transfer of credit as stipulated in the attached Program of Studies. This agreement assumes the completion of the Associate Degree and completion of the courses listed on the attached Program of Studies. Salem State College requires that 50% of the major is completed in residence, a minimum total of 120 credits must be completed to earn the Bachelor of Science in Criminal Justice. Salem State College may accept courses taken beyond the Associate Degree (up to 68 credits); however, students should contact the transfer advisor at Salem State College.
3. Northern Essex Community College transfer students will be subject to all general education requirements of Salem State College as set forth in the Salem State College catalogue.
4. This document is based upon the evaluation of course descriptions presented to Salem State College. Courses as listed in this agreement will transfer to Salem State College provided a grade of "C-" or better has been earned. When appropriate, the requirements of the Commonwealth Transfer Compact will be honored.
5. Northern Essex Community College students interested in participating in this agreement should be advised to take the suggested liberal arts courses. These courses are required at Salem State College and students are advised to complete them as part of their Associate Degree.
6. This agreement shall remain in effect for a period of two years from the date listed below, with the provision that the terms specified herein will continue to apply to students admitted from Northern Essex Community College's Criminal Justice Associate Degree program within one year of the expiration of the agreement. Each institution agrees to provide timely notice to the other in the event of any modification to the curriculum that might affect compatibility for admission and transfer of coursework. This agreement may be subject to change, without notice, if curriculum requirements change at either institution. Students admitted to the Northern Essex Community College's Criminal Justice Associate Degree program prior to such notification shall be admitted to Salem State College on the basis of this agreement.

Approved on (date): _____

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Northern Essex Community College Criminal Justice Program		Salem State College Equivalent Criminal Justice Program	
ENG101 English Composition I	3	ENG101 Composition I	3
Select 1 Math course MAT112 Contemporary Math II MAT125 Statistics MAT130 College Algebra & Trig MAT140 Advanced Algebra & Trig	3	MATT23 Mathematics Div II. MAT247 Statistics MAT202N Precalculus MAT202N Precalculus	3
SOC101 Introduction to Sociology	3	SOC201 Intro Sociology	3
CIS110 Computer Applications	3	ITC117 Microcomputer Appl. (Free Elective)	3
CRJ101 Intro. to Criminal Justice	3	CRJ101 Intro Criminal Just	3
ENG102 English Composition II	3	ENG103 Composition II	3
GOV101 American Gov. & Politics	3	POL201 American Politics (Support course)	3
PSY101 Introduction to Psychology	3	PSY101 General Psychology (Division III elective)	3
CRJ103 Modern Policing	3	CRJ330 Police Studies Anal	3
CRJ102 Incarceration & Alternatives	3	CRJ301 Comm Correction	3
PHI121 Practical Logic OR PHI120 Introduction to Logic	3	PHL201 Principles of Logic	3
Electives: (Choose two)	6		6
LIT201 American Literature I LIT201 American Literature II OR LIT211 British Literature I LIT212 British Literature II OR LIT221 Western Literature I LIT222 Western Literature II		ENG355 American Lit. Studies I ENG356 American Lit. Studies II ENG225 English Lit. Studies I ENG226 English Lit. Studies II ENG294 World Literature I ENG295 World Literature II	
HIS121 World Civilization I OR HIS122 World Civilization II		HIS101 Hist. of World Civil. I HIS102 Hist. of World Civil. II	
COM111 Public Speaking OR COM112 Inter. Communication		SPC101A Public Speaking SPC101C Inter. Communication	

CRJ 201 Critical Incident Response	3	CRJT51 Criminal Justice Elect	3
SOC104 Intro to Criminology	3	SOC342 Criminology	3
CRJ202 Criminal Law	3	CRJ432 Criminal Law	3
Natural Science Elective: (Choose two, must be sequential) BIO101& 102 Human Biology AND BIO111 Intro. To Biology I OR BIO111 Intro. To Biology I AND BIO112 Intro Biology II OR BIO121 Anat. & Physiology I AND BIO122 Anat. & Physiology II OR CHE121 General Chemistry I AND CHE122 General Chemistry II	8	BIO124 Human & Social Biology BIO122 World of Cells BIO122 World of Cells BIO121 Diversity of Life BIO200 Anat. & Physiology I BIO201 Anat. & Physiology II CHE130 General Chemistry I CHE131 General Chemistry II	8
GOV211 Civil Rights & Liberties	3	POLT33 Political Science (Free Elective)	3
Select 1 for Criminal Justice Elective CRJ203 Security Concepts CRJ204 Criminal Investigation CRJ210 Current Issues in Crim Just	3	CRJT51 Criminal Justice Elective CRJ250 Crim Invest. Behavior CRJT51 Criminal Justice Elective	3
CRJ250 Senior Seminar OR CRJ291 Criminal Justice Internship	3	CRJT51 Criminal Justice Elective CRJ520 Criminal Justice Intern	3
Total Credits	65		65