

Articulation Agreement (Undergraduate)

between

Shoreline Community College

And

Grand Canyon University

Grand Canyon University ("GCU") hereby establishes an Articulation Agreement to facilitate students' transfer from Shoreline Community College to Undergraduate Programs at GCU.

I. PURPOSE

- A. This Articulation Agreement formally recognizes that Shoreline Community College and GCU are committed to providing greater educational opportunities and services for students who transfer. This commitment strongly supports the concept of seamless transfer that embraces the principle that transfer students should not be required to repeat competencies already demonstrated.
- B. The purpose of this collaboration is to facilitate the matriculation of Shoreline Community College students to an academically challenging baccalaureate degree through Grand Canyon University.
- C. Grand Canyon University enters into this Articulation Agreement in the spirit of recognizing Shoreline Community College as a quality institution with a history of demonstrated excellence delivering high quality educational programs. Each institution, furthermore, was and is dedicated to serving students from all backgrounds, regardless of age, race, color, national origin, gender, disability, or any other classification protected by applicable law in its programs or activities.
- D. Through ongoing communication with Shoreline Community College graduates, GCU will better understand the needs of students who are transferring and cooperate in responding to these needs.

II. TRANSFER ELEMENTS

A. Treatment of Associate Degrees and General Education Core as Admission Criteria

- 1. This Articulation Agreement establishes the principle that all applicable Associate Degrees at Shoreline Community College transfer to GCU, allowing Shoreline Community College Associate degrees to combine with GCU's baccalaureate degree. Credits are accepted and applied toward the designated/appropriate college degree(s). Articulated Associate degrees will be identified, maintained, and available as Appendix A to this Articulation Agreement.
- 2. Shoreline Community College graduates with a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.0, courses numbered 100 and above, entering under the terms of this Articulation Agreement will transfer into Grand Canyon University as long as the courses apply to their program requirements. Students should be advised that some degree programs at GCU have competitive admissions or require college-specific admission requirements beyond the University level admission requirements. These college-specific admission requirements are available in the GCU Policy Handbook located on www.gcu.edu.

3. Shoreline Community College graduates will follow GCU's transfer process and, therefore, must meet all applicable requirements and deadlines pertaining to application for admission, advising, registration, length of program availability, and payment of tuition and fees. They will abide by the policies and procedures, along with any revisions thereof that apply to all students from that institution.
4. In order to complete the baccalaureate program in a timely manner, students are advised to follow the Transfer Guide for the academic program they plan to pursue at GCU (See Appendix C). If the student intends to change degree focus upon admission to GCU, the student may be required to complete some lower division preparation work prior to beginning the program at GCU.

B. Treatment of Shoreline Community College Coursework

Students who transfer to GCU with less than an Associate Degree and have not completed the General Education requirements will complete their General Education requirements at GCU. However, if these students have taken equivalent General Education courses at Shoreline Community College, these courses will be accepted toward satisfying General Education requirements at GCU (See Appendix B).

C. Total Number of Transferable Credits

The determination of how many credit hours GCU may accept from Shoreline Community College programs is subject to accreditations and regulatory requirements. GCU agrees to provide an Articulation Agreement for Shoreline Community College Associate Degrees. A maximum of 90 hours of transfer credit, no more than 84 credits of which can be lower division, can be applied to an undergraduate program at GCU. After GCU evaluates the student's transfer credits, GCU will only apply those transfer credits that fulfill program requirements including general education, electives, and, with college approval, courses in the program major.

D. Evaluation Process

There will be an evaluation of the partnership supported by this Articulation Agreement every two years. The information obtained from this evaluation will be used to improve the transfer process for the benefit of students.

III. OTHER ITEMS RELATED TO THIS ARTICULATION AGREEMENT

A. Internship and Work Study Agreements

If applicable to the student's program GCU will endeavor to provide internship and work-study opportunities for Shoreline Community College transfer students. These opportunities will be based on availability and students must be enrolled in a course to be considered eligible. It is understood that internship and work-study employment decisions are made by the employers, not GCU. Also, applicable U.S. Federal Regulations, INS guidelines and all other laws and regulations will be followed.

B. Creating and Distributing GCU Materials

All GCU-related printed and media materials created by Shoreline Community College shall be approved by GCU prior to their use.

C. Longevity of the Articulation Agreement

This Articulation Agreement shall be effective immediately upon approval and shall continue in force and effect until terminated by Grand Canyon University or Shoreline Community College. Either party may terminate this Articulation Agreement with a 45 day written notice. Immediate termination will occur if either Grand Canyon University or Shoreline Community College loses their current accreditation status. If an agreement is terminated due to the loss of accreditation the Articulation Agreement will end retroactive to the date the accreditation status changed. In the event of termination, GCU agrees to ensure students currently enrolled in a program under this Articulation Agreement will be given the opportunity to complete their degree with GCU.

D. Opportunities to Expand the Articulation Agreement

GCU may choose to expand this Articulation Agreement as mutually beneficial opportunities are presented or in response to the needs that are identified.

IV. RESPONSIBILITIES OF GCU

GCU will provide enrollment counseling and/or academic advising to Shoreline Community College students upon notification of intent to transfer. Additionally, GCU will provide the University Policy Handbook, Academic Catalog, and other information to Shoreline Community College students to facilitate their understanding of University requirements and academic programs.


GCU may place Shoreline Community College students, interested in attending GCU, on its mailing list and invite the students to participate in cultural events, social activities, and presentations open to the public.

V. JOINT RESPONSIBILITIES

Shoreline Community College and GCU agree to exchange data and documents as agreed that will contribute to the maintenance and improvement of these transfer arrangements, and promote effective cooperation between the two institutions. The Federal Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA) governs the disclosure of information about students. The institutions may exchange admissions, grades, and retention data after obtaining appropriate permission from the students involved, if applicable, and in compliance with all federal, state, and local guidelines.


In collaboration with Shoreline Community College, the development, distribution, and accuracy of all transfer articulation products (e.g., Transfer Guide) are the responsibility of GCU.

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The following table is the list of Articulated Associate Degrees between Shoreline Community College and Grand Canyon University (GCU). Students who complete a transfer-oriented associate degree (Associate of Arts or Associate of Science) may fulfill Grand Canyon University's General Education requirements. Students without a transfer-oriented degree (Associate of Applied Science) must fulfill the General Education requirements and have a course-by-course evaluation completed. Additional programmatic admission requirements and transfer policy information can be found within the [University Policy Handbook](#).

Shoreline Community College Degree	Grand Canyon University Degree
• Associate in Applied Arts and Sciences in Accounting	• Bachelor of Science in Accounting
• Associate in Applied Arts and Sciences in Business Technology	• Bachelor of Science in Business Administration with an Emphasis in Business Intelligence
• Associate in Applied Arts and Sciences in Medical Laboratory Technology	• Bachelor of Science in Health Sciences: Professional Development and Advanced Patient Care
• Associate in Applied Arts and Sciences in Purchasing and Supply Chain Management	• Bachelor of Science in Applied Management

All Grand Canyon University programs follow a Program of Study, which can be changed by the University at any time. All Programs of Study are subject to the terms, conditions, and policies outlined in the University's enrollment application and the [University Policy Handbook](#).

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The following table is the assessment of the courses between Shoreline Community College and Grand Canyon University (GCU). The following will be used in evaluating official transcripts.

These courses fulfill the competency requirements; however, the courses may not fulfill the credit requirements. To obtain an undergraduate degree at GCU, students are required to meet a minimum of 120 semester credit hours.

Shoreline Community College			Grand Canyon University	
Course Code	Course Title	Quarter Credits	Course Equivalency	Applied Semester Credits
ACCT 101	Practical Accounting I	5	General Education: Critical Thinking	3.33
ACCT 102	Practical Accounting II	5	General Education: Critical Thinking	3.33
ACCT 103	Practical Accounting - Managerial	5	ACC-350: Managerial Accounting	3.33
ACCT 104	Payroll Accounting	5	General Education: Critical Thinking	3.33
ACCT 170	Federal Income Tax Individuals/Small Business	5	General Education: Critical Thinking	3.33
ACCT 206	Computer Accounting	5	General Education: Critical Thinking	3.33
ACCT 208	Not-for-Profit and Governmental Accounting	5	General Education: Critical Thinking	3.33
ACCT 297	Individual Project in Accounting	1	General Education: Critical Thinking	0.67
ACCT 298	Individual Project in Accounting	2	General Education: Critical Thinking	1.33
ACCT 299	Individual Project in Accounting	3	General Education: Critical Thinking	2
ACCT& 201	Principles of Accounting I	5	General Education: Critical Thinking	3.33
ACCT& 202	Principles of Accounting II	5	ACC-250: Financial Accounting	3.33
ACCT& 203	Principles of Accounting III	5	ACC-350: Managerial Accounting	3.33
ASTR& 101	Introduction to Astronomy	5	General Education: Critical Thinking	3.33
BIOL& 100	Biology Special Lab	3	General Education: Critical Thinking	2
BIOL& 170	Human Biology	5	General Education: Critical Thinking	3.33
BIOL& 211	Majors Cellular: Biology	5	BIO-181/L: General Biology I (Lecture & Lab)	3.33
BIOL& 260	Microbiology	5	BIO-205/L: Microbiology (Lecture & Lab)	3.33
BUS 102	Business Mathematics	5	General Education: Critical Thinking	3.33
BUS 103	Multiculturalism in the Workplace	3	General Education: Global Awareness, Perspectives, and Ethics	2
BUS 104	Human Relations in Business	5	General Elective	3.33
BUS 105	Essentials of Human Relations	2	General Elective	1.33
BUS 120	Principles of Marketing	5	MKT-245: Principles of Marketing	3.33
BUS 141	Purchasing & Supply Management Fundamentals	5	General Elective	3.33
BUS 142	Sourcing and Supplier Relations Fundamentals	5	General Elective	3.33
BUS 143	Materials Management	4	General Elective	2.67
BUS 144	Logistics and Transportation Fundamentals	3	General Elective	2
BUS 180	Project Management	5	General Elective	3.33
BUS 203	Contract Administration	4	General Elective	2.67
BUS 215	Introduction to International Business	5	General Elective	3.33
BUS 240	Introduction to E-Business	5	General Elective	3.33
BUS 245	Eprocurement	5	General Elective	3.33
BUS 250	Human Resource Management	5	MGT-434: Human Resources OR AMP-434: Human Resources	3.33
BUS 270	Entrepreneurship- Starting a New Business	5	ENT-445: Business Planning for Entrepreneurs	3.33
BUS& 101	Introduction to Business	5	General Elective	3.33
BUS& 201	Business Law	5	General Education: Global Awareness, Perspectives, and Ethics	3.33
BUSTC 101	Beginning Keyboarding	5	General Elective	3.33
BUSTC 102	Speed Keyboarding 1	5	General Elective	3.33
BUSTC 103	Speed Keyboarding 2	3	General Elective	2

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Course Code	Course Title	Quarter Credits	Course Equivalency	Applied Semester Credits
BUSTC 105	Computer Applications	5	General Elective	3.33
BUSTC 107	Electronic/Ten Key Calculator	2	General Elective	1.33
BUSTC 112	Filing	2	General Elective	1.33
BUSTC 115	Fundamentals of Business Communications	5	General Education: Effective Communication	3.33
BUSTC 128	Word 2010, Level 1	5	General Elective	3.33
BUSTC 129	Word 2010, Level 2	5	General Elective	3.33
BUSTC 135	Applied Word Processing	4	General Elective	2.67
BUSTC 150	Excel 2010	5	General Elective	3.33
BUSTC 160	PowerPoint 2010	4	General Elective	2.67
BUSTC 170	Access 2010	5	General Elective	3.33
BUSTC 185	Publisher 2010	4	General Elective	2.67
BUSTC 215	Professional Communications	5	General Education: Effective Communication	3.33
BUSTC 270	Office Procedures	5	General Elective	3.33
BUSTC 299	Individual Project in Business Technology	3	General Elective	2
CHEM& 110	Chemical Concepts With Lab	5	General Education: Critical Thinking	3.33
CHEM& 121	Intro to Chemistry	5	General Education: Critical Thinking	3.33
CHEM& 131	Introduction to Organic / Biochemistry	5	CHM-101/L: Introduction to General, Organic, and Biochemistry (Lecture & Lab)	3.33
CMST& 101	Introduction to Communication	5	General Education: Effective Communication	3.33
DRAM& 101	Introduction to Theatre	5	TRE-125: Introduction to Theatre	3.33
ECON 100	Survey of Economic Principles	5	General Education: Critical Thinking OR Global Awareness Perspectives, and Ethics	3.33
ECON& 201 AND ECON& 202	Micro Economics (5) AND Macro Economics (5)	10	ECN-220: Introduction to Economics	6.66
ENGL& 101	English Composition I	5	ENG-105: English Composition I	3.33
ENGL& 102	Composition II: Reasoning/Research/Writing	5	ENG-106: English Composition II	3.33
ENGL& 111	Introduction to Literature	5	ENG-250: Analysis of World Literature	3.33
ENVS& 100	Survey of Environmental Science	5	General Education: Critical Thinking	3.33
ENVS& 101	Introduction to Environmental Science	5	BIO-220: Environmental Science	3.33
GEOL& 101	Introduction to Physical Geology	5	General Education: Critical Thinking	3.33
HIST& 116 AND HIST& 117	Western Civilization I: Ancient/Medieval History (5) AND Western Civilization II: The Early Modern World (5)	10	HIS-109: World Civilization (4) AND General Education: Global Awareness, Perspectives, and Ethics (2.66)	6.66
HIST& 118	Western Civilization III: The Modern World	5	HIS-331: 20 th Century World	3.33
HIST& 146 AND HIST& 147 AND HIST& 148	U.S. History I: Early America to 1800 (5) AND U.S. History II: Nineteenth Century (5) AND U.S. History III: Twentieth Century (5)	15	HIS-221: Themes in United States History (4) AND General Education: Global Awareness, Perspectives, and Ethics (6)	10
MATH 099	Intensive Intermediate Algebra	5	<i>Non-transferrable</i>	0
MATH 111	Elements of Pre-Calculus	5	MAT-250: College Algebra and Trigonometry	3.33
MATH 211	Elements of Statistical Method	5	MAT-274: Probability and Statistics	3.33
MATH& 107	Math In Society	5	General Education: Critical Thinking	3.33
MATH& 146	Introduction to Stats	5	MAT-274: Probability and Statistics	3.33
MATH& 148	Business Calculus	5	General Education: Critical Thinking	3.33
MATH& 151	Calculus I	5	MAT-252: Calculus and Analytic Geometry I OR MAT-352: Calculus and Analytic Geometry I	3.33

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Course Code	Course Title	Quarter Credits	Course Equivalency	Applied Semester Credits
MLT 123	AIDS & HIV Education for Health Care Workers	1	General Education: Critical Thinking	0.67
MLT 132	Phlebotomy Practicum	2	General Elective	1.33
MLT 181	Introduction to Medical Lab Procedures	4	General Education: Critical Thinking	2.67
MLT 182	Lab: Med. Lab Procedures	2	General Education: Critical Thinking	1.33
MLT 200	MLT Phlebotomy Skills Lab	1	General Education: Critical Thinking	0.67
MLT 221	Hematology Lecture	6	General Education: Critical Thinking	4
MLT 222	Clinical Chemistry Lecture	6	General Education: Critical Thinking	4
MLT 223	Parasitology and Mycology Lecture	3	General Education: Critical Thinking	2
MLT 224	Clinical Microbiology Lecture	5	General Education: Critical Thinking	3.33
MLT 225	Clinical Immunology Lecture	4	General Education: Critical Thinking	2.67
MLT 231	Hematology Laboratory	3	General Education: Critical Thinking	2
MLT 232	Clinical Chemistry Lab	3	General Education: Critical Thinking	2
MLT 233	Parasitology & Mycology Lab	1	General Education: Critical Thinking	0.67
MLT 234	Clinical Microbiology Laboratory	3	General Education: Critical Thinking	2
MLT 235	Clinical Immunology Laboratory	2	General Education: Critical Thinking	1.33
MLT 241	Hematology Practicum	6	General Elective	4
MLT 242	Chemistry Practicum	6	General Elective	4
MLT 244	Microbiology Practicum	6	General Elective	4
MLT 245	Integrated Immunohematology	10	General Education: Critical Thinking	6.66
MUSC& 105	Music Appreciation	5	MUS-210: Music Appreciation	3.33
PHIL& 101	Introduction to Philosophy	5	PHI-103: Introduction to Philosophy and Ethics	3.33
PHIL& 120	Symbolic Logic	5	General Education: Critical Thinking	3.33
POLS& 101	Introduction to Political Science	5	General Education: Global Awareness, Perspectives, and Ethics	3.33
POLS& 202	Introduction to American Government and Politics	5	POS-252: Federal Government (2) AND General Education: Global Awareness, Perspectives, and Ethics (1.33)	3.33
PSYC& 100	General Psychology	5	PSY-102: General Psychology	3.33
SOC& 101	Introduction to Sociology	5	SOC-102: Principles of Sociology	3.33
VCT 124	Basic Macintosh Systems Operations	2	General Elective	1.33
VCT 125	Intro Image Construction, Editing, and Output	3	General Elective	2

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