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ARTICULATION AGREEMENT
BETWEEN
LINCOLN UNIVERSITY AND STATE FAIR COMMUNITY COLLEGE

OVERVIEW: This agreement is made and entered into by and between Lincoln University, hereinafter referred to as Lincoln, and State Fair Community College, hereinafter referred to as SFCC. By this agreement SFCC and Lincoln express a shared commitment to increasing access to and success in higher education.

PURPOSE: The purpose of this agreement is to clarify transfer policies and procedures and create a smooth transition for students completing general education courses at SFCC Jefferson City campus and transferring to Lincoln to complete baccalaureate degrees.

CONDITIONS OF TRANSFER:

Section 1: ADMISSION CRITERIA AND PROCEDURES

SFCC students transferring to Lincoln must complete the same application process as other students transferring to Lincoln. Details concerning the application process can be found in the *Lincoln University Undergraduate Bulletin* or obtained from the Office of Admissions at Lincoln.

Transfer students seeking admission to Lincoln must have at least a 2.0 cumulative grade point average (G.P.A) on a scale of 4.0 for all course work attempted at SFCC and must be in good standing at SFCC. All completed course work submitted for evaluation must be presented on an official transcript.

SECTION 2: TRANSFER OF CREDIT

A maximum of 64 credit hours will be accepted by Lincoln from SFCC to be applied toward any baccalaureate degree offered at Lincoln.

Only academic courses with passing letter grades (A, B, C, D) will be accepted. Courses with grades of "F" or "AU" are not transferable. However, SFCC transfer students must meet the same requirements for a minimum grade of "C" in select general education courses and major course requirements at Lincoln that are required of native students.

Student may earn college credit by examination in the College Level Examination Program (CLEP) in general education subject areas if the scores earned are at the 70th percentile or higher. Official test scores must be submitted to the Counseling and Career Services Office.

Lincoln will accept for credit courses taken while the student is enrolled in high school under the Dual Enrollment Program as long as the courses are not vocational in nature and follow the State Guidelines for Dual Enrollment Courses. In order to receive credit, the Office of Admissions must receive an official college transcript from the college or university granting the credit.

General education courses taken at SFCC Jefferson City and listed in column one of the attached table will transfer to meet the corresponding general education requirement at Lincoln as listed in column two of the same table.

Courses taken as part of specific degree requirements at SFCC Jefferson City will be evaluated on an individual basis for applicability toward specific major requirements in the corresponding degree at Lincoln.

Transfer credit is guaranteed only under the condition that SFCC maintains accreditation by North Central Association of Colleges and Schools.

Transfer students from SFCC will have access to financial aid, scholarships, and student services on the same basis as native students.

Section 3: MATRICULATION AND GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

Lincoln will apply the same academic progress and graduation standards to SFCC transfer students as those applicable to native students.

In order to graduate from Lincoln, all students must pass a minimum of 121 semester hours and maintain a cumulative G.P.A. of 2.0 at Lincoln.

In order to meet graduation requirements for an undergraduate degree at Lincoln, students must complete a minimum of 40 hours of upper division credits (courses numbered 300 or above at Lincoln). Courses taken at SFCC will only transfer as lower division credits unless specified as part of a separate articulation agreement specific to an individual degree.

SFCC students transferring to Lincoln may follow the graduation requirements in effect at Lincoln specified in the undergraduate bulletin during the academic year that the student is admitted to Lincoln.

TERMS OF AGREEMENT:

This agreement is made and entered into upon the signatures of the chief executive officers of both institutions and remains in force unless changed in writing by mutual agreement of both parties. The agreement may be amended at any time with the approval of both parties and is subject to regular review to assure currency with respective general education requirements. Should either party desire to discontinue this agreement, advance written notification of one year is required.

Dr. David B. Henson, President Date
Lincoln University

Dr. Steven Poort, President Date
State Fair Community College

Transfer of General Education Credits

State Fair Community College (Jefferson City) LU General Education Requirements

Communications

ENGL 101 English Composition I
ENGL 102 English Composition II
SPHTR 101 Public Speaking

Mathematics

MAT 112 Intermediate Algebra
MAT 114 College Algebra
MAT 116 Finite Math

Physical Education

PEACT 101-119 (activity courses)
No equivalent

Natural Sciences

None offered at JC campus

Social Sciences

ECON 101 Prin. of Economics I-Macro
GEOG 101 World Geography
POLSC 103 Intro. to Political Science
PSYCH 101 General Psychology
SOC 100 General Sociology
SOC 102 Marriage & Family

HIS 101 US History before 1877 OR
HIS 102 US History after 1877 OR
POLSC 101 American/National Government

HUMAN 108 World Civilization I OR
HUMAN 109 World Civilization II

Humanities

No equivalent

ART 101 Art Appreciation
MUSIC 101 Music in Western Civilization
SPHTR Introduction to Theater
HUMAN 101 Introduction to Philosophy
LIT 101, 104, 105, 107, 109 or 114
HUMAN 117 Contemporary Art & Theater

HUMAN 120 American Diversity
French, Spanish, or HUMAN 108 or 109
or HUMAN 104 Living Religions

Communications -9 credits required

ENG 101 Composition & Rhetoric I
ENG 102 Composition & Rhetoric II
SPT 206 Fundamentals of Speech

Mathematics-3 credits required beyond MAT 111

MAT 111 Intermediate Algebra
MAT 113 College Algebra
MAT 112 Applied Algebra

Physical Education -1 hr. activity PE & 2 hrs. health

PED 120-170 (activity courses)
PED 111 Personal and Community Health

Natural Sciences-7 credits required

Seven hours from either biology, chemistry, or physics including at least one laboratory course.
PSY 208 Experimental Psychology can satisfy 4 hrs.

Social Sciences-6 credits required

Choice of six hours from 2 of the following disciplines: anthropology, economics, geography, political science, psychology, and sociology

Historical Studies-6 credits required

(3 US History & 3 International History)

US History Studies-3 credits required

HIS 205 American History I OR
HIS 206 American History II OR
PSC 201 American Political Institutions

International History Studies-3 credits required

HIS 101 World Civilization I OR
HIS 102 World Civilization II

Humanities-7 credits required

HUM 200 Intro. to Humanities (4 credits)
AND Humanities Elective (3 credits) choice of:
ART 100 Introduction to Art
MUS 200 World of Music
SPT 209 Introduction to Theater
any philosophy course numbered below 400
any literature course numbered below 400
(transfer students may meet requirement by transferring a min. of 7 credit hours from at least 3 different disciplines)

Cultural Diversity-6 credits required

CD 200 Diversity in Modern America-3 hrs
AND Cultural Diversity Elective-3 credit hours

NOTE: No single individual course can be used to satisfy more than one area of general education requirements at Lincoln University