

## **chatham**UNIVERSITY

## Articulation Agreement Criminology Degree Completion for CCAC students at Chatham University Effective October 2017

This ARTICULATION AGREEMENT ("Agreement") is entered into between CHATHAM University (the "University" or "Chatham") and THE COMMUNITY COLLEGE OF ALLEGHENY COUNTY Foundation Program ("CCAC").

WHEREAS, Chatham is a non-profit institution of higher education fully accredited by the Middle States Commission on Higher Education as a degree granting institution, and Chatham offers a Bachelor of Arts degree in Criminology;

WHEREAS, CCAC offers an Associate Degree in Criminal Justice and Criminology program; and

Whereas, Chatham and CCAC wish to work together to encourage graduates of the CCAC program to continue their education by pursuing the completion of a Bachelor degree at Chatham;

NOW, THEREFORE, the parties agree as follows:

- Chatham will provide guaranteed admission into its Criminology (BA) degree program at the time of admission into CCAC's Associates Degree in Criminal Justice and Criminology Program subject to the following conditions:
  - (a) CCAC shall provide prior notification to Chatham if there are material changes to the content of its existing curriculum and/or changes to the total number of credits which its students must successfully complete to graduate from CCAC with the Associate degree.
  - (b) In connection with the Completion Program, Chatham will offer the courses listed on Exhibit A hereto. Chatham will provide prior notification to CCAC if there are material changes to this curriculum during the term of this Agreement.
  - (c) CCAC students must successfully graduate from the Associates Degree in Criminal Justice and Criminology program in order to receive this guaranteed admission.
- (2) The Completion Program will be offered at Chatham by faculty employed by Chatham to teach the courses listed on Exhibit A. It is understood and agreed that these faculty members may be hired by Chatham as adjuncts from among the regular faculty of CCAC.
- (3) Chatham's requirements for receiving the Bachelor of Social Work degree pursuant to the Completion Program are as follows:
  - (a) satisfactory completion of a total of 120 college-level credit hours;
  - (b) a cumulative Q.P.A. of at least 2.0 at Chatham;
  - (c) completion of all professional level courses of the major at Chatham; and
  - (d) completion of a minimum of 30 credits at Chatham.

- (4) The Completion Program for CCAC graduates offered under the terms of this agreement will be managed at the operational level by Chatham University in consultation with the CCAC Program.
- (5) The initial term of this Agreement shall be for a period of five years, beginning in October 2017. Thereafter, the Agreement may be renewed upon terms mutually agreeable to the parties.
- (6) This agreement sets forth the entire agreement between the parties "related to the subject matter herein." No waiver, modification, or amendment of any of the terms of the Agreement shall be effective unless it is in writing and signed by both parties. Neither party may assign this Agreement without the prior written approval of the other.
- (7) This agreement shall become effective upon signing by the appropriate individuals at both institutions, and shall remain in effect until terminated at the will of either party. The agreement may be cancelled by either party with ninety (90) days written notice; however, the opportunity shall remain available to any student who was enrolled (and remained continuously enrolled) while the agreement was in effect.
- (8) This Agreement shall be governed by the laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, exclusive of its conflict of law's provisions.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have signed this Articulation Agreement effective as of the dates set forth below.

FOR CHATHAM UNIVERSITY:

David Finegold, DPhil President

Jenna K. Templeton, Ed.D. Vice President for Academic Affairs

FOR CCAC:

Quintin B. Bullock, DDS President

Stuart Blacklaw, PhD

Provost/Executive Vice President for Academic and Student Affairs

Date

10/19/17

Date

EXHIBIT A: Transfer Student Course Sequencing

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## CCAC Associates Degree in Criminal Justice and Criminology to Chatham University Bachelor of Arts in Criminology

First Year – CCAC	Fall	First Year - CCAC	Spring
English Composition 1	3	CRM -151 Criminal Justice System Law	3
CJC-101 Introduction to Criminal Justice	3	CJC-152 Ethics in Criminal Justice	3
CJC-102 Introduction to Corrections	3	English Elective	3
CJC-124 Juvenile Justice and Juvenile Delinguency	3	Science Elective (with lab)	4
SOC 101 Introduction to Sociology	3	Social Science Elective (suggest PSY 101)	3
Optional: Physical Education (1 credit)	1		
	15-16 credits		16 credits
Sophomore Year - CCAC	Fall	Sophomore Year - CCAC	Spring
CJC-201 Fundamental of Criminal	3	CJC-204 Criminal Justice System	3
Investigation		Organization & Administration	
CJC-203 Evidence and Procedures	3	CJC-205 Introduction to Forensics	3
CJC-206 Police Operations	3	CJC-207 Introduction to Criminology	3
SPH-101 Oral Communication	3	CJC-214 Criminal Justice	3
		Administration Practicum	
Restricted Elective (suggest POL 103)	3	Humanities Elective (200 level)	3
		Mathematics Elective (200 level)	3
	15 credits	ASSOCIATES DEGREE COMPLETED!	18 credits
Junior Year – Chatham*	Fall	Junior Year – Chatham	Spring
PSY 213 Statistics and Research Design	3	CRM 225W Criminology	3
Sustainability (SEE)	3	PSY 314W Foundations of Behavioral Research	3
Elective 200 level (or higher)	3	Art or Music	3
CRM Elective	3	Elective / Engagement and Responsibility (EGR—if not completing both PSY 101 and SOC 101)	3
Elective	3	PRO	1
Wellness	1		
	16 credits		13 credits
Senior Year – Chatham*	Fall	Senior Year – Chatham	Spring
CRM 490 Integrative Capstone Seminar	3	CRM 310 Survey of Corrections	3
Global (GBL)	3	Elective 200 level (or higher)	3
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INTCRM 303 Internship	3	PRO course	1
Wellness	1	Elective	3
	16 credits	······	13 credits
BACHELO	1	MINOLOGY DEGREE!	

\* Course sequencing may vary as CRM 310 is offered every other spring term.