## AN ARTICULATION AGREEMENT BETWEEN ROBERT MORRIS UNIVERSITY AND COMMUNITY COLLEGE OF ALLEGHENY COUNTY

## **OBJECTIVE OF THE AGREEMENT**

Based on the commonality of purpose and a mutual goal of assuring a quality education, Community College of Allegheny County and Robert Morris University enter into the following articulation agreement. The primary objective of this agreement is to maximize credit transferability while retaining all Robert Morris academic requirements and providing a rigorous program of study. This agreement will afford students the opportunity to realize their educational goals and enhance their future employability through a curriculum that is both challenging and rewarding.

## TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF THE AGREEMENT

This agreement applies to Community College of Allegheny County (CCAC) graduates with an earned Associate in Science Degree in Criminal Justice and Criminology (Law Enforcement) who plan to enter Robert Morris University (RMU) in a major under the Bachelor of Arts degree program majoring in Criminal Justice.

Up to 66 credits will be granted to students who have successfully completed an Associate Degree provided that:

- Students have completed the curriculum as outlined in the CCAC 2014-2015
   College catalog
- Students have fulfilled grade requirements of the major into which they are transferring.

Courses completed at other academic institutions do not affect the nature or scope of this agreement. Said courses will be evaluated according to the Academic Policies of RMU regarding transfer credits.

RMU will provide an official evaluation of all previously completed coursework and placement of those credits at the time of application.

RMU reserves the right to change program requirements and/or transfer equivalents.

Notice of changes in program requirements by any party of this agreement must be given in writing in a timely manner.

RMU acknowledges that some credits earned towards the Associate Degree at CCAC may have been awarded as Advanced Standing credit as a result of transfer or prior learning assessment, to include standardized examinations, military coursework, or portfolio credit. This agreement maintains that these credits earned toward the Associate Degree will be honored.

Termination of this agreement may be made by any party, and must be in writing.

Students who sign a letter of intent are indicating their interest in attending RMU and will be entitled to:

- a waiver of the RMU application fee
- advanced registration along with RMU students
- participation in department functions and activities while enrolled at CCAC

However, this letter of intent does not obligate students to attend RMU. Students who sign a letter of intent must matriculate within three years.

CCAC will properly advertise and will provide information regarding RMU, its academic programs, requirements, and services extended to the transfer graduate under the terms of this agreement.

CCAC will communicate with the RMU Academic Services Office regarding issues and questions posed by participating students.

CCAC will provide the RMU Enrollment Management Office with the names and addresses of CCAC students who have indicated an interest in attending RMU and would benefit from major department activity information.

The undersigned duly authorized officials agree to abide by the above terms and conditions.

APPROVED BY:

COMMUNITY COLLEGE OF ALLEGHENY COUNTY ROBERT MORRIS UNIVERSITY

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ROBERT MORRIS UNIVERSITY	ACADEMIC REQUIREMENTS FOR			
EFFECTIVE FALL 2015	Bachelor of Arts			
1. ROBERT MORRIS UNIVERSITY CORE-39 Cree	Major: CRIMINAL JUSTICE (ONLINE PROGRAM)			
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COSO2221 Intercultural Communications COSO1221 Argument and Research Strategies 3 ENG10 COSO2220 Speaking Strategies 3 SPH10 COSO2230 Professional Communications Strategies ECON1010 Survey of Economics 3 HIST1200 United States History II 3 HUMA1010Humanities: Art & Music 3 TRA	OI MATH1010 College Mathematics 3 MAT111 PSYC1010 General Psychology (Social Sci Elec) 3 PSY101 SOC11020 Contemporary American Social Problems 3 Natural Sci Elective (Science Elective) 3 TRAN			
2. MAJOR45 Credits				
*CRMJ1010 Introduction to Criminal Justice  *CRMJ2010 Corrections  *CRMJ2020 Policing  *CRMJ2030 Juvenile Delinquency  *CRMJ4803 Criminal Justice Practicum  *PSYC3550 Human Growth and Development  *PSYC3700 Abnormal Psychology  *PSYC3840 Forensic Psychology  3 CJC12  3 CJC12	22 *POLS2020 Criminal Law and Evidence 3 CJC203 26 *POLS3060 Civil Rights and Civil Liberties 3			
3. RESTRICTED ELECTIVES12 Credits				
Choose any four (4) of the following				
*CRMJ3010 Community Based Corrections 3 *CRMJ3020 Sex Crimes 3 *CRMJ3030 White-Collar Crime 3 *INFS3120 Introduction to Computer Forensics 3 *INFS3170 Cyberlaw 3	*PSYC3600 Social Psychology 3 *PSYC3770 Drugs and Behavior 3 *SOCI2330 Marriage and Families 3 *SOCI3240 Women in Society 3			
4. OPEN ELECTIVES 24 Credits Minimum				
COSK1220 Reading and Writing Strategies 3 ENG10 Criminal Justice System Law 3 CJC13 Ethics in Criminal Justice 3 CJC13 Fundamentals of Criminal Investigation 3 CJC20	Introduction to Forensics 3 CJC205 Criminal Justice Administration 3 CJC214			

## **IMPORTANT NOTES:**

Up to 66 credits apply to this degree program from CCAC from the Law Enforcement Concentration.

\*\*\*If the student completes three (3) four-credit courses, this elective will be transferred.

A cumulative Q.P.A. of 2.00 or higher is required for graduation.

A minimum grade of C must be earned in each course identified with an asterisk.

All students must take 12 credits of Communication Skills as part of the RMU Core Curriculum. Depending upon placement testing scores, students will take COSO1220 or COSO2221 in addition to COSO1221, COSO2220, and COSO2230. If placed in COSO1220, a student's Core requirements are Communication Skills COSO1220, COSO1221, COSO2220, and COSO2230. If placed in COSK1221 (advanced placement; no credit earned for COSK1220), a student's Core requirements are Communication Skills COSO1221, COSO2220, COSO2221, and COSO2230. Upon completion of the COSK courses, students must complete a component of courses (the specific number is determined by the student's "academic"School) to meet one of the requirements for graduation. These courses called "Communication Skills Intensive" are integrated into the degree as part of the "major" areas of the checksheet.

· . CCAC COURSES (Law Enforcement)		RMU EQUIVALENT		
CRSE NO		CRSE NO	COURSE TITLE	
First Semester – 15 Credits				
CJC101	Introduction to Criminal Justice	CRMJ1010	Introduction to Criminal Justice	
CJC102	Introduction to Corrections	CRMJ2010	Corrections	
CJC124	Juvenile Justice/Juvenile Delinquency	CRMJ2030	Juvenile Delinquency	
ENG101	English Composition I	COSO1220	Reading/Writing Strategies (Open Elective)	
POL103	Amer Natl Govt (Social Science Elective)	POLS1020	American National Government	
	mester – 16 Credits			
CJC151	Criminal Justice System Law		Open Elective	
CJC152	Ethics in Criminal Justice		Open Elective	
ENG102	English Comp II (English Elective)	COSO1221	Argument and Research Strategies	
or	or	or	or	
ENGI15	General Literature	LITO	Literature Elective	
	Science Elective		Natural Science Elective	
PSY101	General Psychology (Social Sci Elective)	PSYC1010	General Psychology	
	ester – 15-16 Credits			
CJC201	Fundamentals of Criminal Investigation		Open Elective	
CJC203	Evidence and Procedure	POLS2020	Criminal Law and Evidence	
CJC206	Police Operations	CRMJ2020	Policing	
SPH101	Oral Communications	COSO2220	Speaking Strategies	
MAT161	Statistics (Restricted Elective)	STAT2110	Statistics	
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	nester – 18-19 Credits			
CJC204	Criminal Justice System Organiz/Admin		Open Elective	
CJC205	Introduction to Forensics		Open Elective	
CJC207	Introduction to Criminology	SOCI3220	Intro to Criminology	
CJC214	Criminal Justice Admin Practicum		Open Elective	
MUS101	Intro to Mus, THE, or PHL (Humanities Elec)	HUMA1010	Introduction to Humanities: Art/Music	
MAT111	College Algebra or Higher (Math Elective)	MATH1010	College Mathematics	