Appendix B: Articulation Agreement for Undergraduate Degree

Degree Programs (CC & University):Networking Technology (SCC)
                                  Computer Information Systems (WCU)

This articulation agreement between Networking Technology and Computer Information Systems allows graduates of the Networking Technology program at SCC to transfer credit towards a Computer Information Systems program at Western Carolina University. Upon transfer to Western Carolina University, students from SCC must comply with all applicable Academic Regulations as listed in *The Record,* The WCU Undergraduate Catalog.

Partner Institutions and Contact Information

Institution	Contact Person	Email or phone
Southwestern Community College	Scott Cline	586-4091, ext. 494
Western Carolina University	Dan Clapper	227-3393

Notes:
1. If 15.1 or more hours are transferred to WCU the first semester, the First Year Seminar is not required at WCU.
2. Students who complete an Associate of Applied Science degree will have remaining Liberal Studies courses to take at Western Carolina University.
3. Total hours required for a BSBA in CIS at Western Carolina University is 120 hours.

Liberal Studies/General Education Requirements:

WCU Requirement	SCC Equivalent
First Year Seminar (see note #1 above)	Waived
C1 ENGL 101 (3 hrs.)	ENG 111
C1 ENGL 102 (3 hrs.)	ENG 114
C2 Mathematics (3 hrs.)	MAT 161
C3 Oral Communication (3 hrs.)	
C4 Wellness (3 hrs.)	
C5 Physical & Biological Sciences (3 hrs.)*	
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P1 Social Sciences (3 hrs.): BA 133 **	BUS 110
P1 Social Sciences (3 hrs.): ECON 231 **	ECON 251
P3 History (3 hrs.)	
P4 Humanities (3 hrs.)	Humanities course that can transfer to WCU as a P4.
P5 Fine and Performing Arts (3 hrs.)	
P6 World Cultures (3 hrs.)	
* Sciences must be from two different disciplines ** Social sciences must be from two different disciplines	

Major Requirements (courses)

WCU Requirement	SCC Equivalent
ACCT 251	
BA 133 (satisfies P1)	BUS 110
ECON 231 (satisfies P1)	**ECON 251 (Social Science Elective)**
MATH 130	MATH 161
MKT 134	
QA 235	
CIS 235	NET 110
CIS 240	CIS 115 + CSC 139
CIS 253	DBA 110
CIS 335	
CIS 340	
CIS 453	
CIS 455	
CIS 465	
CIS Program Elective	NOS 231 + NET 289
CIS Program Elective	SEC 110
General Elective	NOS 130
General Elective	NOS 110
General Elective	CTS 120
ACCT 252	
CIS 251	CIS 110 + CTS 285
ECON 300	
FIN 305	
LAW 230	
MGT 300	
MGT 366	
MGT 367	
MGT 404	
QA 305	
MKT 201 (formerly MKT 301)	

Other requirements needed to complete the degree program.

2 + 2½ Plan for Degree Program (including one summer session)

FALL	SPRING	SUMMER
1st Semester (SCC) CIS 110 ENG 111 MAT 161 NET 110 NOS 110	**2nd Semester (SCC)** CIS 115 DBA 110 ENG 114 NOS 130 SEC 110	**3rd Semester (SCC)** BUS 110 (P1) Social Science Elective (Econ 251 – P1) Humanities Elective (P4 equivalent)**
4th Semester (SCC) CTS 120 CTS 285 NET 125 * NET 126 * NOS 120 * NOS 230 *	**5th Semester (SCC)** NET 225 * NET 226 * NET 289 NOS 220 * NOS 231 CSC 139	
6th Semester (WCU) CIS 335 CIS 340 MKT 134 P5 P3	**7th Semester (WCU)** CIS 453 CIS 455 QA 235 ACCT 251 C4	
8th Semester (WCU) CIS 465 LAW 230 QA 305 ECON 300 C5	**9th Semester (WCU)** ACCT 252 MGT 300 FIN 305 MKT 201 (formerly MKT 301) C3	
10th Semester (WCU) MGT 366 MGT 367 MGT 404 C5 P6		

* Although these courses count towards the SCC degree, they will be extra hours at WCU.
** Must be a Humanities course at SCC that will transfer as a P4 course at WCU.
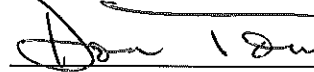
Articulation Agreement between Southwestern Community College and Western Carolina University for transfer of credit from the A.A.S. in Networking Technology degree at SCC into the BSBA in Computer Information Systems degree at WCU.

A. SCC students will be admitted as candidates for the articulation program in Computer Information Systems at WCU upon the completion of the A.A.S. in Networking Technology at SCC.

B. To graduate from Western with the BSBA degree in Computer Information Systems all students must complete the degree requirements per academic regulations listed in *The Record*, the WCU Undergraduate Catalog.

C. Students wishing to graduate with a BSBA degree in Computer Information Systems must meet all residency requirements for graduation from WCU, which includes completion of the last 25% of course work to be taken at WCU.

D. This agreement will run continually without need for renewal. Updates to the agreement will be initiated and processed every two years. The update process will be completed as follows: copies of this agreement will be distributed to deans and department heads by February 1 of each update year. Updates or "no change" approvals to this agreement should be returned by March 15. If curriculum changes are identified by either institution during the review process, parties from both institutions will review and approve the proposed changes and make necessary updates to the course equivalency outline.

E. Either party upon written notice can terminate this agreement. If the agreement is terminated, SCC students who have matriculated at WCU can continue until completion of the baccalaureate degree if they are continuously enrolled at Western. Also, students who are enrolled at SCC students at the time may continue under the terms of the agreement as long as they are continuously enrolled. If the student ceases enrollment for two regular academic semesters, he/she must re-enroll under the most recently adopted agreement.
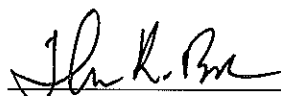
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