

COLUMBIA SOUTHERN UNIVERSITY

ARTICULATION AGREEMENT

BETWEEN

COLUMBIA SOUTHERN UNIVERSITY

AND

Edmonds Community College (Seattle, Washington)

1. Purpose

The purpose of this transfer agreement between Columbia Southern University (CSU), 21982 University Lane, Orange Beach, Alabama and Edmond's Community College (EDCC), located at: 200000 68th Ave. West, Snohomish Hall 2nd Floor, Room 260, Lynwood, Washington, 98036, is to establish transfer criteria for undergraduate General Education and Occupational Safety & Health courses earned through EDCC that can be applied to the Bachelor of Science in Occupational Safety & Health degree program at CSU.

2. Background

CSU is an undergraduate and graduate level Institution that is accredited by the Distance Education and Training Council (DETC), which is listed by the U.S. Department of Education as a nationally recognized accrediting agency. As an accredited, degree-granting member of the DETC, CSU is also an institutional member of the Council of Higher Education Accreditation.

CSU is licensed by the State of Alabama, Department of Education pursuant to the Alabama Private School License Law Code of Alabama, Title 16-46-1 through 10. CSU is an Institutional member of the American Council of Education (ACE).

CSU is a Title IV school approved for federal financial aid, Veterans Administration Benefits and through the Defense Activity for Non-Traditional Education Support (DANTES), for active duty military personnel for tuition reimbursement.

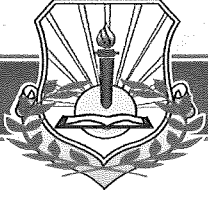
EDCC chooses to be a member of the Northwest Commission on Colleges and Universities (NWCCU) and to regularly reaffirm its accreditation to better serve its students, employees and community.

3. The Transfer Agreement

CSU recognizes the professional integrity and academic stature of EDCC. EDCC does and will continue to offer academic programs and courses that are accredited by NWCCU.

The Bachelor of Science degree in Occupational Safety & Health offered by CSU includes (120) one hundred twenty semester hours of general education, major and elective courses. CSU may accept the EDCC courses listed on the attached grids for equivalent general education, major or elective courses. A maximum of 84 credit hours taken at EDCC may be transferred to CSU, provided they are in alignment with CSU's Bachelor of Science in Occupational Safety & Health degree program. A student must successfully complete a minimum of 36 (thirty six) upper level semester hours at CSU or an institution authorized to award upper level credits. Students attending CSU must complete a minimum of 25% of their degree program at CSU to meet graduation requirements.

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4. Commitment

CSU and EDCC are committed to serve our students and use technology to facilitate the transfer of students between both institutions. Students participating in the program must meet all criteria for admission into CSU and comply with all requirements in the awarding of a degree. This transfer agreement is signed this date _____ between CSU and EDCC.

5. Partnership

This articulation agreement includes a Learning Partnership between CSU and ECC. The benefits of the Learning Partnership With CSU are: employees, and their spouse and children will receive a 10 % tuition discount, a free transcript evaluation and application fee waiver. CSU will place the Learning Partner's name and logo on the CSU website and ECC will place the CSU logo and information on the ECC website.

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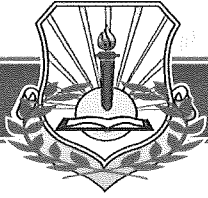
Edmonds Community College

Rachel Farris 10/23/12
Rachel Farris, M.A. Date
Registrar

Pat Copeland 11/24/12
Pat Copeland Date
Dean

Dr. Jon Crispin 10-23-12
Dr. Jon Crispin Date
Provost and Chief Academic Officer

Dr. Marty Cavalluzzi 11/29/12
Dr. Marty Cavalluzzi Date
VP Instruction



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Edmonds Community College Course		Columbia Southern University Course		Hours
ENGL 101	English Composition I	EH 1010	English Composition I	3L
ENGL 102	English Composition 2	EH 1020	English Composition II	3L
CMST 220	Public Speaking	SP 1010	Speech Communication	3L
MATH 107	Mathematics in Society	MA 1100	Basic Math	3L
PSYC 100	General Psychology	PSY 1010	General Psychology	3L
SOC 101	Introduction to Sociology	SOC 1010	Introduction to Sociology	3L
FOD 101	Fire Officer I	BFS 3501	Advanced Fire Administration	3L
FOD 110	Fire Service Leadership	Elective		2L
FOD 131	Fire Service Instructor I	Elective		2L
FOD 137	Fire Protection Systems	Elective		2L
FOD 140	Incident Safety Officer	Elective		1L
FOD 152	Building Construction	Elective		2L
FOD 160	Tactics	Elective		2L
FOD 190	Codes & Inspections	Elective		2L
FOD 201	Fire Officer II	BFS 3601	Fire Prevention Organization and Management	3L
FOD 210	Incident Management	Elective		2L
FOD 215	Haz Mat Incident Mgmt	Elective		2L
FOD 220	Fire Investigation	Elective		2L
CS 101	Computing Concepts	CS 1010	Computer Essentials	3L
CIS 100	Intro to Business Computing	ITC 3001	Personal Computer Fundamentals	3L
CHEM 141	General Chemistry I	CHM 1030	Chemistry I	3L
BIOL 100	Survey of Biology	BIO 1100	Non-Majors Biology	3L
PHYS 110	Physics for Non-Science Majors	PHS 1110	Principles of Classical Physical Science	3L