

Articulation Agreement

**Southern New Hampshire University
and
Edmonds Community College**

I. PURPOSE

Southern New Hampshire University (SNHU) and Edmonds Community College (EDCC), in the spirit of academic cooperation, and in order to facilitate the transfer of graduates of HCC to SNHU, hereby do enter into an academic articulation agreement. Successful implementation of the Agreement is dependent upon communication of its content to all involved participants and the assumption of responsibility by both institutions for such communications.

The purpose of this Articulation Agreement is to acknowledge that, following completion of an associate degree at Edmonds Community College, students may transfer all the credits from the degree outlined below to a Southern New Hampshire University bachelor degree program that coincides with their associate degree so long as the following criteria are met.

This Articulation Agreement, made this 11th day of July, 2016, by and between Southern New Hampshire University and Edmonds Community College is as follows:

II. TRANSFER PATHWAY(S)

1. SNHU welcomes students who wish to transfer from EDCC. To be eligible for all benefits of this agreement, the student must submit proof of having been awarded an associate degree from Edmonds Community College in the form of an official transcript from Edmonds Community College.
2. Based on the course equivalency table attached, SNHU guarantees transferability of all credits outlined in the following EDCC associate degrees to its' corresponding SNHU bachelor degree:

AST Track 2 to BA Game Programming and Development (*on Campus only*)

3. As SNHU and EDCC are regionally accredited, all academic course work in which a student has earned a grade of "C-" or higher is fully transferable based on the attached course equivalents. Students transferring with 60 or more credits are granted junior status, and no more than 90 credits will be accepted in transfer to a bachelor degree program.
4. Credits used to complete requirements for an Edmonds Community College associate degree may not be applied a second time toward courses in the bachelor degree if it is included in the transfer of credit as part of this agreement.
5. Domestic students transferring from EDCC may enroll at SNHU as full or part time students. International students must pursue studies on campus as full time students. The majority of SNHU's bachelor degree programs are offered both on campus and online – this agreement outlines a major that is only offered on campus.
6. Military students enrolling at SNHU can transfer up to 90 hours for a bachelor's with unlimited CLEP, DANTES and Excelsior credits--providing students meet residency requirements.

III. TERMS

1. Southern New Hampshire University agrees to provide EDCC upon request, on official letterhead, an update of student enrollment and academic progress, to include general data on how many students have transferred to Southern New Hampshire University, completed at least three terms and are making satisfactory academic progress through their program (as defined in the SNHU catalog).
2. This Agreement is effective as of the date of the fully executed document, and shall continue until terminated. Both parties must approve amendments to the Agreement in writing. Either party may terminate the Agreement without cause upon 90 days written notice to the other party. Notwithstanding the foregoing, either party may terminate the Agreement immediately in the event that participation under the Agreement may give rise to a violation of any requirement of federal or state law or regulation or the requirements of any accrediting agency having jurisdiction.
3. Admission criteria, academic requirements, and other admission requirements will be subject to the applicable Catalog at the time of the students' admission to their desired SNHU bachelor program.
4. The parties grant to each other a non-exclusive, non-transferable license to use each other's trademarks and servicemarks in furtherance of the articulation coordination detailed herein or in a manner solely for the purpose of identifying and communicating the existence of the relationship to Edmonds Community College students and alumni. Use of trademarks, servicemarks and logos will comply with use policies of the originating institution. The parties shall discontinue the use of the licensed marks and return any and all files and materials containing the licensed marks supplied by the owner at termination or expiration of the Agreement. Neither party grants to the other any interest in the other party's trademarks. Should either originating institution request, in writing, that a particular use of the originating institution's trademarks and/or servicemarks be discontinued, the non-originating institution shall cease and desist such use of the trademarks and/or servicemarks.
5. EDCC agrees to regularly communicate information regarding this articulation arrangement to its students via email and direct mail on behalf of SNHU (reasonable costs to be incurred by SNHU) and to host SNHU representatives on campus for recruitment activities during the academic year.
6. The parties hereto will have the relationship of independent contractors for all purposes. Each will have complete control over its own performance and the details for accomplishing its own obligations under this Agreement. In no event will the agents, representatives or employees of one party be deemed to be agents, representatives or employees of the other.
7. This Agreement may be executed by a duly authorized representative of each party, either by electronic or facsimile transmission, each of which will be considered an original.
8. This Articulation Agreement is based on the current curriculum of both educational institutions. Each institution is responsible for notifying the other of any substantive changes to the curriculum. This agreement shall be reviewed by both institutions every four years.
9. The official, signed document, stamped "ORIGINAL" is to be filed in the VPAA office, and signed copies will be distributed to appropriate parties.



IV. CONTACTS FOR COORDINATION:

All notices and other communications required hereunder by either party to the other shall be in writing, addressed as follows:

If to Southern New Hampshire University:


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If to Edmonds Community College:

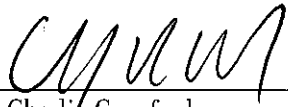
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or to such other persons or places as either party may from time to time designate by written notice to the other.


APPROVALS:



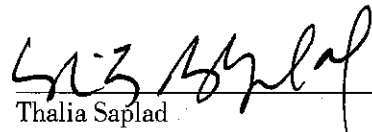
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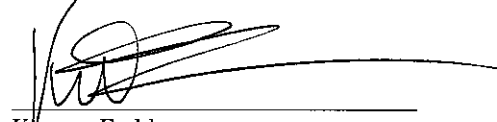
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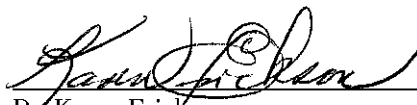
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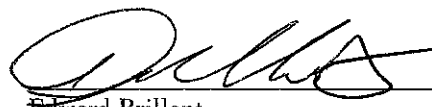
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Transfer Pathway

Edmonds Community College AS-T Track 2
to
SNHU BS Game Programming and Development (on campus only)

Edmonds Community College AS-T Track 2 Courses:	Southern New Hampshire University BS in Game Programming and Development Equivalencies:		
General Education Requirements			
ENGL&101 English Composition I	5	ENG120 College Composition I	3
ENGL&102 Composition II or ENGR231 Intro to Technical Writing: <i>Choose ENGL&102 Composition I</i>	5	ENG200 Sophomore Seminar	3
Program Requirements: MATH&146 Intro to Statistics or MATH&153 Calculus III	5	MAT240 Applied Statistics or MAT325 Calculus III: Multivariable Calculus	3
PHYS&221 Engineering Physics I with Lab	5	PHY101 Principles of Physics	3
Distribution Requirements: <i>Choose Humanities CD course:</i> ART&100, DIVST257, ENGL160, ENGL170, MUSC&105, MUSC107, or ART150-173	5	Fine Arts & Humanities Elective	3
Distribution Requirements: <i>Choose Social Sciences:</i> PSYC&100 General Psychology	5	PSY108 Introduction to Psychology	3
MATH&151 Calculus I	5	MAT210 Applied Calculus I	3
MATH&152 Calculus II	5	MAT275 Calculus II: Integration & Series	3
Human Relations & Professional Development Skills: <i>Choose HLTH100 Contemporary Health Issues or HLTH150 Nutrition and Life Fitness</i>	3	SCI215 Contemporary Health or IHP220 Applied Nutrition	2
Program Electives: <i>Choose any except CHEM or ENGR</i>	5	Elective in corresponding discipline	3
School of Arts and Sciences Core Courses			
Distribution Requirements: <i>Choose Humanities:</i> CMST&220 Public Speaking	5	COM212 Public Speaking	3
Program Electives: <i>Choose MATH272 Linear Algebra</i>	5	MAT350 Applied Linear Algebra	3
Game Programming and Development Major Requirements			
Program Electives: <i>Choose CS115 Intro to Programming</i>	5	GAM110 Intro to Programming for Games	3
Program Electives: <i>Choose CS218 Introduction to C#</i>	5	GAM312 Scripting in C# for Games	3
Program Electives: <i>Choose CS161 Intro to Computer Game Development</i>	5	GRA210 Fundamentals of Game Design	3
Program Electives: <i>Choose CS285 3-D Game Dev Project</i>	5	GRA315 Game Design & Production	3
Free Electives			
PHYS&222 Engineering Physics II with Lab	5	PHYELE Physics Elective	3
PHYS&223 Engineering Physics III with Lab	5	PHYELE Physics Elective	3
Program Electives: <i>Choose any</i>	5	Elective in corresponding discipline	3
Additional Credits from quarter-credit courses* (-5.94cr)	*	Free Electives in corresponding discipline	5*
Total Credits	93** quarter credits	Total Credits Transferred to SNHU	61**

*5-quarter-credit courses convert to 3.33 semester credits, leaving students with an additional .33-credit per course that will be transferred as a free elective in corresponding discipline.

**93 quarter credits converts to 61.94 semester credits. To simplify the math on this guide, the .94 credit has been dropped, but the credits do transfer.

This document is based upon the current 2015-2016 curriculum at both institutions. Courses and requirements are subject to change.

Southern New Hampshire University

Transfer Pathway

**BS in Game Programming and Development
Courses to be taken at SNHU:**

General Education Requirements	
SNHU Experience	3
Social & Behavioral Sciences Elective	3
Integration Cluster	9
School of Arts and Sciences Core Courses	
ENG220 Business Communications	3
Game Programming and Development Major Requirements	
IT230 Software Development w/ C#	3
IT312 Software Development w/ C++	3
GAM330 Physics for Games	3
GAM405 Artificial Intelligence-Games	3
GAM415 Graphics Game Engine	3
GAM425 Game Programming Capstone	3
GRA202 3-D Modeling and Animation	3
GRA211 Interactive Animation	3
GRA317 Studio Environment	3
Choose ONE of the following: IT205, IT210, IT330, IT315, IT340, COM230, GRA220, or any 300/400 level GAM course not listed above	3
Remaining Free Elective credits	11
Credits taken at SNHU	59
Total Credits in SNHU Bachelor Degree	120