

**ARTICULATION AGREEMENT
BETWEEN
THE METROPOLITAN COMMUNITY COLLEGES
AND
UNIVERSITY OF MISSOURI**

OVERVIEW:

This formal program articulation agreement is made and entered into by the University of Missouri, hereinafter referred to as MU, and the Junior College District of Metropolitan Kansas City, Missouri, hereinafter referred to as MCC. By this agreement MCC and MU express a shared commitment to increasing opportunities for student access to and success in higher education. By clarifying transfer policies and procedures which assure articulation between programs, the institutions seek to assist students in making a seamless transfer from the associate to the baccalaureate degree.

PURPOSE:

This agreement provides students who have earned an **Associate in Arts** the opportunity to complete the 150-hour program in the School of Accountancy of the Trulaske College of Business to obtain a **Bachelor of Science/Master of Accountancy degree** at MU. The 150-hour program is a prestigious program that allows students to earn their Bachelor of Science in Accountancy and their Master of Accountancy degrees in five years. The undergraduate portion of the program is the first 120 hours and the graduate portion is the final 30 hours in the program. Students must complete the entire 150-hour program to earn their bachelors and masters degrees; MU does not grant bachelors degrees only. Any MCC student who has earned an Associate in Arts is guaranteed that MU will accept designated freshman and sophomore business credits and all general education credits and will apply such to the Bachelor of Science/Master of Accountancy degree in a manner consistent with the treatment of native students.

CONDITIONS OF TRANSFER:

Section I: Admissions and Matriculation to MU

MCC students maintaining continuous enrollment under this agreement will be afforded the same treatment and protection as MU native students enrolled under a specific catalog. Criteria for admissions to upper level emphasis area will be based on the catalog year the student enters MCC.

Acceptance into MU for transfer students is based upon their past academic performance and the admissions requirements for the Bachelor of Science in Accountancy/Master of Accountancy degree.

MCC, upon request of students, will provide verification of completed courses to MU through its Admissions Office.

The transcripts of students transferring from MCC will be evaluated by the Admissions office.

Transfer students from MCC will have access to financial aid and student services on the same basis as native students.

Minimum grade standards for academic progress and graduation from MCC will be subject to no further review by MU. Similarly, minimum grade standards for admission to upper level emphasis area, academic progress, and graduation from the School of Accountancy in the Trulaske College of Business at MU and will not be subject to review by MCC.

MU will apply the same academic progress and graduation standards to MCC transfer students as those applicable to native students at MU.

Section II: Transfer of Credit

A maximum of 64 credit hours will be accepted by MU from MCC to be applied to the Bachelor of Science/Master of Accountancy degree. Students must complete 30 of the last 36 hours of courses in residence at MU, enrolled in the School of Accountancy of the Trulaske College of Business.

Section III: Admission to Degree Program

Undergraduate admittance to the 150-hour accountancy program requires at least a 3.0 GPA of record (UM cumulative). *Students must be in residence full-time (at least 12 hours) at MU for one semester before they can apply to the upper level degree program.* Moreover, the course work completed must include the following pre-accountancy courses (or equivalent):

MU	MCC
Acct. 2036 (or Acct 2136H) Accounting I	BSAD 101 & 102 Accounting Principles I & II
Acct. 2037 (or Acct 2137H) Accounting II	BSAD 154 Managerial Accounting
Econ 1014 or 1024 Microeconomics & Econ 1015 Macroeconomics OR Econ 1051H Honors Macro and Micro	ECON 211 Microeconomics & ECON 210 Macroeconomics
English 1000 Exposition and Argumentation	ENGL 102 Composition and Reading II
Mgmt 1010 Contemporary Business Practices	Not available – Mgmt 1010 must be taken at MU
Math 1100, College Algebra	MATH 120 College Algebra
*Math 1300, Finite Mathematics and *Math 1320, Elements of Calculus or Math 1500, Analytic Geometry and Calculus I	Not available – *Math 1300 must be taken at MU & *MATH 175 Calc for Business & Social Science or MATH 180 Analytic Geometry and Calc I
Stat 2500, Intro to Probability and Statistics I	Not available – Stat 2500 must be taken at MU

*These courses are not required if Math 1500 (MATH 180) with a C- or better requirement is met.

Students should apply to the 150-hour accountancy program by the time they reach 60 hours; however, a transfer student in good standing who needs more time to complete requirements, may receive a special extension.

The School of Accountancy in the Trulaske College of Business has enrollment limits, as provided for in the Undergraduate Catalog. Accordingly, the School of Accountancy in the College of Business adheres to the following policies for admission to the 150-Hour Program in Accountancy:

- 3.0 cumulative GPA of record (UM GPA)
- 3.0 GPA in each of Acct 2036/Acct 2136H and Acct 2037/2137H, and a
- 3.0 average GPA over the set of specified pre-accountancy courses identified in the Undergraduate Catalog.
- Beginning FS2009, required PDP points

Admission decisions are made in the spring for **fall admissions only**. Meeting the minimum requirements does not guarantee admission. Admission cutoffs are revised each year in order to control accountancy undergraduate enrollment at a maximum of 120 students, the limit that can be served with current authorized faculty staffing and still maintain program quality. Admission is very competitive; in recent years an overall cumulative of well above a 3.0 was necessary to be admitted to the 150-Hour Program.

Section IV: Program Plan

Students falling under this program articulation agreement will be responsible for successfully completing the following requirements:

Years 1 and 2 -- MCC

Associate in Arts Degree

American Institutions—6 credits

- HIST 120 American History I *or*
- HIST 121 American History II and
- POLS 135 Intro. to Political Science *or*
- POLS 136 Intro. to American National Politics *or*
- POLS 137 Intro. to State and Local Politics

Communications—9 credits

- ENGL 101 Composition and Reading I
- ENGL 102 Composition and Reading II
- SPDR 100 Fundamentals of Speech

Humanities—9 credits

Complete one 3-credit course in each of any three different areas. One of the courses must be in literature or philosophy.

- PHIL 100 Intro to Philosophy *or*
- PHIL 200 Logic *or*
- PHIL 203 Ethics

AND

- Art history-any course
- Literature-any course

History

HIST 133 Western Civilization I or
HIST 134 Western Civilization II

Humanities-any course

Music

MUSI 108 Music Appreciation or
MUSI 116 Evolution of Jazz
MUSI 160 Music of the World's Cultures

Speech and Drama

SPDR 112 Oral Interpretation of Literature
SPDR 114 Theater and Western World
SPDR 128 Introduction to Film

Mathematics—3 credits

MATH 120 College Algebra

Natural Sciences –9 credits

Complete two laboratory sciences—one in biological science and one in physical science. The physical sciences include the following disciplines: chemistry, geology, physical geography, meteorology, physical science and physics.

Social Sciences—6 credits

Economics-

ECON 210 Principles of Economics I-Macroeconomics

Complete one course from one different area. Courses selected for the American Institutions or Humanities requirement will not fulfill the Social Science requirement.

Psychology-any course

Sociology-any course

Learning Enhancements from the above courses:

One course designated as Writing Intensive and a course designated as a Learning community or Human Diversity.

AA Degree Requirement in Information Management

CSIS 110 or higher number CSIS course 3 cr. (required)

Accountancy Requirements that may be completed at MCC

Choose from the following courses to total a maximum of 62 credits for the degree.

ECON 211 Prin. of Econ. II-Micro.	3 cr.
BSAD 101 Accounting I	3 cr.*
BSAD 102 Accounting II	3 cr *
BSAD 154 Managerial Accounting	3 cr.*
MATH 175 Calc Bus & Soc Sci	3 cr.

*Students must complete BSAD 101, 102, and 154 at MCC or complete both Acctcy 2036 and 2037 at MU. They cannot begin the sequence at a previous institution and then complete it at MU.

Total minimum credits required for the Associate of Arts degree: 62

Years 3, 4 and 5 -- MU (Effective FS2006 or Thereafter)

Bachelor of Science in Accountancy/Master of Accountancy

Pre-Accountancy Courses

Mgmt 1010 Cont. Business Practices	1 cr.
Math 1300 Finite Math	3 cr.
Stat 2500 Intro To Probability & Stats I	3 cr.

Required Core Courses

Stat 3500 Intro To Probability & Stats II	3 cr.
Accy 2258 Computer Based Data Sys.	3 cr.
Econ 3229 Money & Banking	3 cr.
Mgmt 3000 Funds. of Management	3 cr.
Mgmt 3200 Business and Society (WI)	3 cr.
Mktg 3000 Principles of Marketing	3 cr.
Fin 3000 Corporate Finance	3 cr.
Mgmt 3540 Intro to Business Law	3 cr.
Econ 4351 Intermediate Price Theory or Econ 3251 Theory of the Firm	3 cr.

Required Accountancy Courses

3326 Fin Acct Theory & Pract I	3 cr.
Accy 3328 Acct Information Systems	3 cr.
Accy 3346 Fin Acct Theory & Pract II	3 cr.
Accy 3347 Cost & Managerial Acct	3 cr.
Accy 4353 Intro to Taxation	3 cr.
Accy 4365/7365 Governmental Acct & Budgeting	3 cr.
Accy 4384/7384 Auditing Theory & Pract I	3 cr.

Senior Capstone

Mgmt 4970 Strategic Management	3 cr. (Capstone course – required for grad.)
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Professional Electives

9 cr.

Electives

5 cr.

Graduate Courses

Accy 8450 Acct & Bus Strategic Analysis	3 cr.
Mgmt 4010/7010 Operations Mgmt	3 cr.
Acct Electives	12 cr.
Bus Electives	9 cr.

Check equivalencies for correct classes. One elective must be approved by advisor so that the international studies component requirement is met. One business course at MU must be designated as a Writing Intensive course (WI).

Minimum number of credits required for baccalaureate/master's degree: 150 credits

TERMS OF AGREEMENT:

This agreement is made and entered into in the academic year 2010-2011 and remains in force unless changed in writing by mutual agreement of both parties. The agreement may be amended at any time with the approval of both parties and is subject to regular review to assure currency with the respective degree requirements. Should either party desire to discontinue this agreement, advance notification of two years will be required.

SIGNATURES:

The Junior College District of Metropolitan Kansas City, Missouri (MCC) and University of Missouri enter into this program articulation agreement leading from the Associate in Arts to the Bachelor of Science/Master of Accountancy degree by the affixing of signatures of the chief executive officers of both institutions.

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