

**Agreement of Articulation
Between
Ferrum College Criminal Justice Program
And
Blue Ridge Community College**

To facilitate the transfer of students from the Administration of Justice curriculum at Blue Ridge Community College to Ferrum College (Criminal Justice B.S / B.A. Degree), the following agreement has been established:

Ferrum College will:

- Guarantee that BRCC students will be accepted upon the successful completion of the Administration of Justice Degree
- Guarantee that BRCC students will have junior status if they have successfully completed 58 hours with a grade of "C" or above, and
- Guarantee that all of the credits earned for that degree will transfer to Ferrum College (100 - 200 level courses excluding, SDV College Skills Courses, with a minimum grade of C).

Blue Ridge Community College will:

- Advise students interested in transferring to Ferrum College to enroll in the courses listed in the attached approved curriculum (Courses to be competed at Ferrum College are listed on the attached curriculum list-See Appendix A).

Transfer students will:

- Submit all required documents and fees.
- Meet published deadlines for applications, deposits, etc.
- Have official transcripts mailed directly to the admissions office indicating graduation.
- Meet all other Ferrum College admissions requirements.
- Meet additional Degree Requirements, Major, and Minor Requirements.
- Meet all program requirements as outlined in the Ferrum College Catalog.
- Complete at least 32 of their last 64 credit hours at Ferrum College.
- Complete at least 50 percent of the credit hours required for the major at Ferrum College.
- Must maintain a grade point average of at least 2.0 for hours earned at Ferrum College.
- Complete at least 30 credit hours at the 300 - 400 level at Ferrum College.

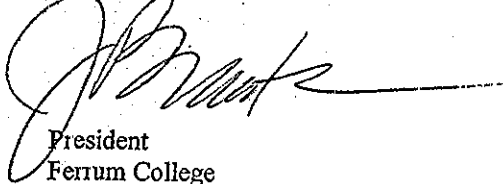
Ferrum College will also:

- Grant transfer credit for all Administration of Justice courses completed successfully at the 100 - 200 level, excluding, SDV College Skills Courses, with a grade of "C" or above even when the student has not completed the Associate Degree.

Furthermore, both institutions agree to:

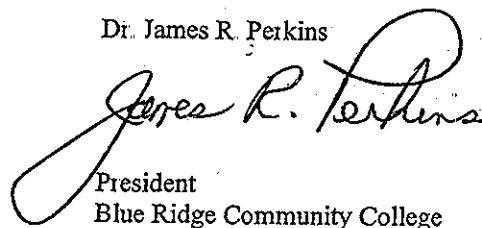
- Meet periodically to review this agreement, share information on the progress and preparation of these students, and discuss any other issues of articulation that may be appropriate,
- Keep each other informed of any changes in curricula, policies, or procedures that might affect this agreement and its implementation, and
- Allow and encourage cross registration.

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Appendix A

Articulation Agreement to Transfer Virginia Community College System Administration of Justice Degree in order to complete a Ferrum College Criminal Justice B.S./ B.A. Degree.

CRIMINAL JUSTICE DEGREE REQUIREMENTS (2005-2006)

FERRUM COURSES

Liberal Arts Core (37 Credits)

English 101 and 102 (6 credits)
Biblical (3 credits)
Religion/Philosophy (3 credits)
PE Activity course (1 credit)
Fine Arts (3 hrs)
Math 103 or 111 (3 credits)
Lab Sciences (6 credits)
Literature (3 credits)
History (6 credits)
Social Science (3 credits)

VCCS COURSES-TRANSFER

ENG 111-112 College Composition I-II (6 credits)
REL 200, REL 210, or PHI 101 (3 credits)
REL 230 or any other religion or philosophy course (3 credits)
HLTH 116 or any physical activity course (1 credit)
Any 3-hour art, music, or drama course (3 credits)
MATH 163 (3 credits) (Also need MATH 157)
BIO 101, 102 or CHEM 111, 112 (6 credits)
ENG 241, 242, 243, or 244 (3 credits)
HIST 101, 102, 121, or 122 (6 credits)
Economics/ Political Science/ Psychology/ or
Sociology Course (3 credits)

REQUIRED CORE COURSES- Inside Major- All students majoring in Criminal Justice must take the following: (24 Credits)

CJU 201 Introduction to Criminal Justice (3 credits)	ADJ 100 Survey of Criminal Justice (3 credits)
PSY 320 Abnormal Psychology (3 credits)	PSY 215 Psychology (3 credits)
SOC 203 Cultural Diversity (3 credits)	SOC 266 Minority Group Relations (3 credits)
CJU 220 Criminal Law (3 credits)	ADJ 130 Intro to Criminal Law (3 credits)
CJU/ SOC320 Deviance and Social Control (3 credits)	ADJ 107/ 201/ SOC 236 Survey of Criminology (3 credits)

To be completed at Ferrum College:

SOC 470 Social Science Research (3 credits)
CJU 498 Senior Seminar (3 credits)

Three Credits required from the following:

CJU 499 Internship/ or CJU 494 Community Service/ or CJU 475 Directed Research/ or CJU496 Professional Study in Criminal Justice (3 credits)

JUSTICE EMPHASIS COURSES: (18 Credits from the following courses) - This emphasis is offered for those students who are interested in a broad theoretical and practical education in the field of criminal justice.

Students in this emphasis are required to complete the required core courses as well as any six of these Criminal Justice electives.

CJU 204 Fundamentals of Corrections (3 credits)	ADJ 140 Corrections (3 credits)
CJU 314 Courts and the Judicial Process (3 credits)	ADJ 120 or 225 Courts (3 credits)
CJU 404 Juvenile Justice (3 credits)	ADJ 105 The Juvenile Justice System (3 credits)
CJU 406 Probation, Parole, and Community Corrections (3 credits)	ADJ248 Probation Parole & Treatment (3 credits)

To be completed at Ferrum College:

CJU 408 Rural Criminal Justice Issues (3 credits)
CJU 361 Criminal Justice Administration and Leadership (3 credits)
CJU 497 Special Topics in Criminal Justice (3 credits)
CJU 340 Interviewing and Crisis Intervention (3 credits)
CJU 350 Crime and Delinquency Prevention (3 credits)
CJU 330 Criminal Investigations (3 credits)
CJU 360 Police Operations (3 credits)

Nine credits from the Recommended Electives:

SOC 202 Social Problems (3 credits)	SOC 268 Social Problems (3 Credits)
PSC 203 International Politics (3 credits)	PLS 241 International Relations (3 credits)
PSY 211 Human Growth and Development (3 credits)	PSY 235 Child Psychology (3 credits)
PSY 230 Social Psychology (3 credits)	PSY 216/ SOC 265 Social Psychology (3 credits)
SWK 350 Substance Abuse (3 credits)	ADJ 228 Narcotics and Dangerous Drugs (3 credits)

To be completed at Ferrum College:

Appalachian Cluster (Soc 101/ Env Science 110/ English 102 (3 credits)
HUM 200, 300 The Holocaust: Past, Present, and Future (3 credits)
HUM 202/203 African-American Studies (3 credits)

SOC 310 Social Class and Inequality (3 credits)
 PSC 324 U.S. Constitutional Law (3 credits)
 PSC 402 Policy Analysis (3 credits)
 PSY 438 Topics in Psychology (Topics relevant to Criminal Justice) (3 credits)
 PHI 316 Philosophy of Law (3 credits)
 SOC 330 Organizations and Behavior (3 credits)
 PSC 440 International Law and Organization (3 credits)
 PSY 325 Psychopathology of Childhood (3 credits)
 PSY 348 Techniques of Counseling (3 credits)
 BUS 315 Business Law (3 credits)

FORENSIC CRIME SCENE INVESTIGATION EMPHASIS –This emphasis is offered for those students who are interested in careers in crime scene investigation at the local, state, or federal levels. Students in this concentration are required to complete the core courses as well as the courses as specified below:

Required BIO 101 General Biology (4 credits) BIO 101 or 102 General Biology I-II (4 credits)
 Required CHM 101 Fundamentals of Inorganic Chemistry (4 Credits) CHM 241-242 Inorganic Chemistry
 or CHM 103 General Chemistry (4 credits) CHM 101 or 102 General Chemistry (4 Credits)

To be completed at Ferrum College:

Required CJU 335 Introduction to Forensic Investigations (3 credits)

15 Credits from the following courses

CJU 314 Courts and the Judicial Process (3 credits)	ADJ 120 or 225 Courts (3 credits)
CJU 375 Crime Scene Photography (3 credits)	ADJ 165 Crime Scene Photography (3 credits)
CJU 430 Specialized Investigations (3 credits)	ADJ 162 Sex Crimes (3 credits)
CJU 460 Criminal Profiling (Proposed) (3 credits)	ADJ 163 Crime Analysis and Intelligence (3 credits)

To be completed at Ferrum College:

CJU 330 Criminal Investigations (3 credits)
 CJU 340 Interviewing and Crisis Intervention (3 credits)

B.S. Degree: (6 Credits)

Approved Computer Course	ISI 117 Computer Applications (3 credits)
COM 201 Public Speaking	SPD 100 Principles of Public Speaking (3 credits) (Satisfies Speaking Intensive Requirement)

B.A. Degree: (6 Credits)

Six hours in Spanish (or other approved language at the 200 level or higher)

REQUIRED DISTRIBUTION: (6 Credits)

PSC 202 State and Local Government (3 credits)	PLS 136 or 212 State and Local Politics (3 credits)
MATH 206 Introductory Statistics/ Business Applications	MTH 157 Elementary Statistics (3 credits)
Literature (3 credits) (Writing Intensive Requirement)	ENG 241, 242, 243, or 244 (3 credits)

Note: Ferrum College has a Writing Intensive Requirement. The requirement can be met by completing six hours of courses identified as Writing Intensive. At least three hours of these courses must be at the 300-400 level. (See the Ferrum College 2005-2006 Catalog for full details)

ELECTIVES

Ferrum Elective Credits	Other VCCS 100 - 200 level courses, excluding SDV 108, will transfer in as Ferrum Electives.
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TOTAL OF 121 HOURS REQUIRED FOR FERRUM COLLEGE DEGREE

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*Subject to curriculum change