

TRANSFER ARTICULATION AGREEMENT

BETWEEN

WILLIAM PATERSON UNIVERSITY
COLLEGE OF THE ARTS AND COMMUNICATION
Bachelor of Arts in Music and Bachelor of Music³ Degrees

AND

OCEAN COUNTY COLLEGE
Associate in Arts in Performing Arts/Music
Associate in Arts in Liberal Arts
Associate in Science in General Education/Humanities

The intent of this articulation agreement is to define the procedures for a transfer articulation between William Paterson University College of the Arts and Communication and Ocean County College. Both entities agree to mutual cooperation in establishing and maintaining articulation for their respective programs for Associate in Arts in Performing Arts/Music, Associate in Arts in Liberal Arts, and Associate in Science in General Education/Humanities degrees transferable to the College of the Arts and Communication Bachelor degree programs in Music. The principal beneficiaries of this agreement are students seeking to transfer into a Bachelor of Arts in Music or a Bachelor of Music³ degree program whose progress toward their degrees is best assured when they are provided with current information about courses and programs. Firm arrangements between departments and institutions provide the opportunity for these students to plan a total baccalaureate degree at the outset of their college education.

For Bachelor of Arts degrees, William Paterson University agrees to accept all the general education credits included in this agreement. Per its transfer credit policy, William Paterson University agrees to accept up to half of the credits required for the major. Course equivalencies for Bachelor of Arts in Music or Bachelor of Music³ degree prerequisites and major courses will also be accepted (see Appendix A for specific course requirements) and will serve as the basis for equivalencies.

Ocean County College will make available to its students all information, including the list of course equivalencies pertaining to this agreement. The agreement and equivalencies will be reviewed on a regular basis.

PRINCIPLES OF THE AGREEMENT

COMPLETION OF PROGRAMS

Ocean County College transfer students will be required to meet all graduation requirements as listed for William Paterson University students.

SPECIFIC REQUIREMENTS

The determination of major program requirements for a baccalaureate degree in the College of the Arts and Communication shall be the responsibility of William Paterson University.

ELIGIBILITY

A. Grade point average (GPA) requirement

For admission to William Paterson University College of the Arts and Communication, the student will be required to earn at least a 2.0 overall average on a four-point scale.

B. Course equivalencies and/or area requirements. (See Appendix A)

Students with an Associate in Arts in Performing Arts/Music, Associate in Arts in Liberal Arts, or an Associate in Science in General Education/Humanities degree

Students who earn an Associate in Arts in Performing Arts/Music, Associate in Arts in Liberal Arts, or an Associate in Science in General Education/Humanities degree at Ocean County College who are transferring into the Bachelor of Arts in Music or Bachelor of Music³ degree programs are guaranteed junior status admission to William Paterson University conditional upon meeting the prerequisites of the minimum requirements for admission to the College of the Arts and Communication. Admissions requirements may additionally include a satisfactory audition for students entering an undergraduate program offered by the Music Department. Associate in Arts and Associate in Science degree students will be provided with individual evaluations of coursework by William Paterson University based on course equivalencies articulated between Ocean County College and William Paterson University College of the Arts and Communication.

FINANCIAL AID

College students transferring into William Paterson University will be treated the same as native William Paterson University students of equal class standing when applying for financial aid and in the award and distribution of funds.

AGREEMENT REVIEW AND UPDATE

Ocean County College and William Paterson University will assign a staff member to serve as a liaison to assure maintenance of communication between the two institutions. As necessary, Ocean County College and William Paterson University faculty shall meet to discuss academic programs, especially with regard to any changes being contemplated. William Paterson University and Ocean County College representatives will consult whenever changes in policy or curricula are articulated which will affect students transferring under the terms of this agreement. Representatives from both institutions shall also facilitate support, consultation, and collaboration between their faculties in matters related to this agreement, general education, degree requirements, education certification, and other academic matters.

Appendix A

OCEAN COUNTY COLLEGE
 Associate in Arts in Performing Arts/Music
 Associate in Arts in Liberal Arts
 Associate in Science in General Education/Humanities

to

WILLIAM PATERSON UNIVERSITY
 COLLEGE OF THE ARTS AND COMMUNICATION
 Bachelor of Arts in Music, and Bachelor of Music³ Degrees

This Transfer Articulation Agreement is meant to cover students graduating with an Ocean County College Associate in Arts in Performing Arts/Music, Associate in Arts in Liberal Arts, or Associate in Science in General Education/Humanities degree entering Bachelor of Arts in Music, or Bachelor of Music³ degree programs as follows:

Music B.M.³.- Bachelor of Music³ in Music: BM³ in Music Management (Classical or Jazz), BM³ in Sound Engineering Arts (Classical or Jazz), BM³ in Music Education – vocal track (Classical or Jazz), BM³ in Music Education – instrumental track (Classical or Jazz), BM³ in Classical Performance (voice, piano, guitar, woodwinds, brass, strings, percussion), BM³ in Jazz Studies (winds, mallets, guitar; vocal; keyboard; drums)

Music B.A.- Bachelor of Arts in Music: Popular Music; Musical Studies.

Credits	Courses at Ocean County College	Equivalence at William Paterson University
3	MUSC 101 Music Fundamentals	MUSI 1240 Music Fundamentals
2	MUSC 120 Applied Music I	MUSP 1920 Applied Instruction I
2	MUSC 121 Applied Music II	MUSP 1930 Applied Instruction II
3	MUSC 131 Intro to Guitar Instruction I	MUSP 1800 Minor Lessons I
3	MUSC 132 Intro to Guitar Instruction II	MUSP 1810 Minor Lessons II
1	MUSC 142 Jazz Band I	MUSP 1410 Freshman Chamber Jazz Ensemble I
1	MUSC 143 Jazz Band II	MUSP 1420 Freshman Chamber Jazz Ensemble II
3 to 1	MUSC 150 Introduction to Keyboard Instruction I	MUSP 1640 Functional Class Piano I
3 to 1	MUSC 151 Introduction to Keyboard Instruction II	MUSP 1650 Functional Class Piano II
1	MUSC 160 College Choir I	MUSP 2000 Concert Choir
1	MUSC 161 College Choir II	MUSP 2000 Concert Choir
2 to 1	MUSC 164 Group Voice I	MUSI 1100 Voice Class I
2 to 1	MUSC 165 Group Voice II	MUSI 1110 Voice Class II
1	MUSC 173 Concert Band I	MUSP 2110 Concert Band
1	MUSC 174 Concert Band II	MUSP 2110 Concert Band
2 to 1	MUSC 177 Ear Training and Musicianship I	MUSI 1800 Ear Training I
2 to 1	MUSC 178 Ear Training and Musicianship II	MUSI 1810 Ear Training II
3	MUSC 181 Theory of Music I	MUSI 1600 Music Theory I
3	MUSC 182 Theory of Music II	MUSI 1610 Music Theory II

2 to 3	MUSC 183 Beginning Jazz Theory and Improvisation	MUSI 1710 Jazz Improvisation I
3	MUSC 185 Introduction to Jazz History	MUSI 2150 Understanding Jazz
3	MUSC 190 Introduction to Music Appreciation	MUSI 1150 Understanding Music
3	MUSC 192 Music History and Literature to 1750	MUSI 2170 Music History & Literature I
3	MUSC 193 Music History and Literature 1750-1920	MUSI 2180 Music History & Literature II
3	MUSC 194 Music of the World's People	MUSI 2160 World Music
2	MUSC 220 Applied Music III	MUSP 2920 Applied Instruction III
2	MUSC 221 Applied Music IV	MUSP 2930 Applied Instruction IV
1	MUSC 242 Jazz Band III	MUSP 1430 Freshman Chamber Jazz Ensemble III
1	MUSC 243 Jazz Band IV	MUSP 1440 Freshman Chamber Jazz Ensemble IV
1	MUSC 260 College Choir III	MUSP 2000 Concert Choir
1	MUSC 261 College Choir IV	MUSP 2000 Concert Choir
2	MUSC 264 Group Voice III	2*** Music Elective
2	MUSC 265 Group Voice IV	2*** Music Elective
1	MUSC 273 Concert Band III	MUSP 2110 Concert Band
1	MUSC 274 Concert Band IV	MUSP 2110 Concert Band

Notes:

1. William Paterson University recommends students take two semesters of one foreign language at the community college. Two semesters of American Sign Language can also fulfill the foreign language requirement. (Students in any BM³ degree program, except classical performance, are not required to complete the foreign language requirement.)
2. William Paterson University will accept all associate degree credits transferable to Bachelor of Arts or Bachelor of Science degrees under this program-to-program articulation agreement, including up to half of the William Paterson University major required credits, from New Jersey community college students who enroll at William Paterson University Fall 2015 and beyond.
3. Students who transfer into the Bachelor of Fine Arts and Bachelor of Music programs will have their credits evaluated on an individual course basis. William Paterson University general education or university core credits are not waived for Bachelor of Fine Arts or Bachelor of Music programs.