PROGRAM ARTICULATION AGREEMENT

BETWEEN

COLLEGE OF DUPAGE
GLEN ELLYN, IL

AND

SOUTHERN ILLINOIS UNIVERSITY CARBONDALE
CARBONDALE, IL

In an effort to provide a continued, articulated higher education baccalaureate degree program that will build on community college and university learning experiences, and also eliminate duplication of instruction, this agreement is entered into this 11th day of March, 2019 (Effective Date) by and between College of DuPage and the Board of Trustees of Southern Illinois University on behalf of Southern Illinois University Carbondale.

I. TERM AND TERMINATION

A. Term. This Agreement shall commence as of the Effective Date (or if no Effective Date is indicated upon the date the Agreement is fully executed by the Parties) and shall remain in effect for a period of five (5) years thereafter. The Parties may renew or extend this Agreement only by written instrument signed by the authorized representatives of each Party.

B. Termination. This Agreement may be terminated by either Party, with or without cause, upon 60 days advance written notice. The Parties agree that no additional students shall be accepted into the program after a Party's receipt of any written notice of termination. No qualified student then-enrolled in the program shall be deprived the opportunity to complete the program requirements solely due to termination.

II. TRANSFER REQUIREMENTS

A. All graduates of College of DuPage with an Associates of Applied Science (A.A.S.) in Automotive Service Technology and meeting SIU Carbondale admission requirements will be considered for admission into SIU Carbondale's Bachelor of Science (B.S.) in Automotive Technology (AUT) in the College of
Applied Sciences and Arts based upon the Departments enrollment criteria and space availability.

B. A College of DuPage graduate receiving an Associates of Applied Science (A.A.S.) in Automotive Service Technology and following the degree plans attached to this agreement, will be considered for admission to SIU Carbondale’s Automotive Technology (AUT) program if the following are met:

1. The student has earned a minimum of 60 semester hours transferable to SIU Carbondale
2. The student has earned an overall grade point average (GPA) of 2.0 or above (4.0 scale) for his or her collegiate work as calculated by SIU Carbondale’s grading regulations
3. Confirmation by the SIU Carbondale College of Applied Sciences and Arts that the student has satisfactorily completed the following courses as part of the Associates of Applied Science (A.A.S.) in Automotive Service Technology at College of DuPage:
   - ENGLI 1101: English Composition I
   - SPEEC 1100: Fundamentals of Speech Communication
   - MATH 1218: General Education Math
   - Social and Behavior Science Elective
   - Humanities and Fine Arts Elective
   - Physical or Life Science Elective
   - All Auto Service Tech Program Requirements

C. Acceptance into the Capstone Option reduces the University Core Curriculum for the A.A.S. degree recipient in Automotive Service Technology at College of DuPage pursuing the B.S. in Automotive Technology (AUT) at SIU Carbondale to 30 semester hours. This, along with taking the courses listed above as part of the A.A.S. degree makes it possible for the student to complete the B.S. in Automotive Technology (AUT) at SIU Carbondale in approximately 52 additional semester hours beyond the A.A.S. degree.

D. College of DuPage students transferring to the Automotive Technology (AUT) baccalaureate degree program at SIU Carbondale who have not completed all of his or her Associate of Applied Science degree requirements at College of DuPage will have their related coursework evaluated on a course-by-course basis by the appropriate SIU Carbondale department. These students will also not be
eligible to receive the Capstone Option benefits and will be considered based upon the Department’s enrollment criteria and space availability.

E. Students will be required to complete a minimum of 42 senior institution hours at the 300-400 course level, with the last 30 such senior institution hours being at SIU Carbondale for residency purposes. Those students enrolled in an approved program delivered by SIU Carbondale Extended Campus will have completed the residency requirement for the University upon completion of all courses required by the program. All students will be required to complete at least 120 hours with an overall GPA of 2.0 on a 4.0 scale to receive a Bachelor of Science degree in Automotive Technology (AUT). Coursework may include University Core Curriculum as well as Automotive Technology (AUT) courses.

III. COURSE DELIVERY

A. Delivery of courses and programs will be based on mutual agreement between the parties (as specified in the SIU Carbondale program) provided there is a minimum class enrollment in each course adequate to meet expenses. Courses with inadequate enrollment may be subject to cancellation, which said cancellation shall be at the sole and absolute discretion of SIU Carbondale. SIU Carbondale shall notify College of DuPage of any cancellation due to inadequate enrollment.

B. SIU Carbondale will perform registration and advisement counseling as needed to support the courses offered. SIU Carbondale will designate an individual(s) as a concurrent enrollment liaison to work in conjunction with College of DuPage and students as needed. Advisement about program requirements will be provided by the academic college offering the courses/programs.

C. SIU Carbondale will obtain all permission and approvals necessary to teach these courses in the State of Illinois.

D. SIU Carbondale reserves the right to approve and edit all news releases, advertising and other public announcements and information pieces relating to the performance of this Agreement.

E. This agreement permits students to enroll concurrently at SIU Carbondale and College of DuPage to complete the degree.
IV. COLLEGE OF DUPAGE DUTIES: COLLEGE OF DUPAGE SHALL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR THE FOLLOWING OBLIGATIONS AND CONDITIONS:

A. Subject to federal and state guidelines, College of DuPage will be considered the home institution for the purpose of processing Financial Aid until such time that the student either graduates or severs ties with College of DuPage.

B. Designate in writing a person or persons as point of contact between College of DuPage and SIU Carbondale on all matters relating to the courses delivered.

C. Reserve the right to approve and edit all news releases, advertising and other public announcements and information pieces relating to the performance of this Agreement.

D. Permit students to enroll concurrently at SIU Carbondale and College of DuPage to complete a degree.

V. PROGRAM ARTICULATION COMMUNICATION

A. An SIU Carbondale College of Applied Sciences and Arts, Automotive Technology (AUT) representative will communicate periodically with College of DuPage personnel in the Automotive Service Technology program for general advisement and degree planning purposes.

B. Upon successful completion of all degree requirements, and following all policies and regulations stated in the program and SIU Carbondale guidelines, College of DuPage students will be eligible to receive the Bachelor of Science (B.S.) in Automotive Technology (AUT), College of Applied Sciences and Arts, Southern Illinois University Carbondale.

C. Should changes occur in course or program content, the institution making the change agrees to notify the other institution in writing so that this agreement can be re-evaluated. Notice of changes shall be given at least 45 days prior to the beginning of the semester when the change is implemented.

D. The Parties acknowledge and agree that the terms of this Agreement will result in the disclosure of personally identifiable information from education records protected from disclosure and re-disclosure by the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974 and its implementing regulations ("FERPA"). Accordingly the Parties agree that any exchange or disclosure between the Parties of personally
identifiable information from education records shall be in accordance with FERPA.

E. Indemnification:
1. To the extent permitted by law and not inconsistent with the doctrine of sovereign immunity, SIU Carbondale shall indemnify and hold harmless College of DuPage, its agents and employees, from any claims, demands, or causes of action arising out of the negligent acts or omissions of SIU Carbondale, its agents or employees, in the performance of SIU Carbondale’s obligations under this Agreement.
2. To the extent permitted by law, College of DuPage shall indemnify and hold harmless SIU Carbondale, its agents and employees, from any claims, demands, or causes of action arising out of negligent acts or omissions of the College, its agents or employees, in the performance of the College’s obligations under this Agreement.

F. Reasonable efforts will be made to resolve problems with student(s) through discussions with the student’s program instructor, supervisor, and SIU Carbondale’s faculty members; however SIU Carbondale reserves the right to remove any student from enrollment at SIU Carbondale upon SIU Carbondale’s determination that the student is unable or unwilling to fulfill the requirements of SIU Carbondale’s educational program and mission, including but not limited to the rules and regulations of Southern Illinois University Carbondale, the policies of the Board of Trustees of SIU Carbondale, and the SIU Carbondale Student Conduct Code. SIU Carbondale shall also have the right to withdraw any student from its education degree program in accordance with its academic requirements, including but not limited to unsatisfactory academic performance and/or social misconduct.

G. Neither party will discriminate against any applicant or student in the nomination, selection, or training because of religion, race, sex, sexual orientation, creed, handicap, national origin, or age.

H. Notices should be mailed to the following addresses by first class mail in order to fulfill any notice or revision of requirements under this Agreement:
For SIU Carbondale: Michael Behrmann, Department Chair
Southern Illinois University Carbondale
545 N Airport Rd
Murphysboro, IL 62966
Phone: 618-453-4024
Email: mbehr@siu.edu

For College of DuPage: Justin Hardee, Transfer Coordinator
College of DuPage
425 Fawell Blvd
Glen Ellyn, IL 60139
Phone: 630-942-3977
Email: hardeej@cod.edu
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have executed this Agreement by their duly authorized, respective officers, and by doing so, hereby affirm that the Agreement is enforceable on behalf of and against each party as of the date written herein.

COLLEGE OF DUPAGE

Dr. Mark Curtis-Chávez, Provost  
College of DuPage  

Date

3/4/2019

Dr. Lisa Stock, Associate VP of Academic Affairs  
College of DuPage

Date

3/11/19

BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF SOUTHERN ILLINOIS UNIVERSITY

Dr. Meera Komaraju, Interim Provost and  
Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs  
for John Dunn, Interim Chancellor  
Southern Illinois University Carbondale

Date

2-22-2019

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**Program Requirements**

The AAS in Automotive Technology as articulated is accepted as satisfying all 100-200 automotive technical Category II requirements although course-to-course equivalencies cannot be established.

**Cat. III, AUT 300/400 Technical**

Select 15 hrs: AUT 330, 340, 355, 360, 370, 390, 440, 445, 450, 480, 490  
15

**Cat. IV, BUS/MGMT Courses**

- Group 1: AUT 310, Auto Tech Communications  
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- Group 2: AUT 335, Automotive Data Systems  
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- Group 3: Select 1 course: AUT 325, MGMT 304, 350, TRM 364  
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- Select 2 courses: AUT 345, 435, 485, ACCT 210, FIN  
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- Group 4: 208, 270, 280, MKTG 304, 305, 350, PSYC 323, TRM 361, 392, 383  
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**Category V, Support Courses**

See Advisor for Course Options  
13

**Total semester hrs completed with AAS degree:**  
68

**Total semester hrs completed with BS degree:**  
55

**Total hrs to BS degree:**  
123