PROGRAM ARTICULATION AGREEMENT

BETWEEN

KENTUCKY COMMUNITY AND TECHNICAL COLLEGE SYSTEM
VERSAILLES, KY

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 set forth between Kentucky Community and Technical College System and the Board of Trustees of Southern Illinois University on behalf of Southern Illinois University Carbondale.

- All graduates of Kentucky Community and Technical College System with a completed Associate in Applied Science (A.A.S.) and meeting SIU Carbondale admission requirements will be considered for admission into SIU Carbondale's Bachelor of Science (B.S.) degree in Technical Resource Management in the College of Applied Sciences and Arts based upon the Departments enrollment criteria and space availability.

- A Kentucky Community and Technical College System graduate receiving an A.A.S. will be considered for admission to SIU Carbondale's Technical Resource Management program if the following are met:

  o A minimum of 60 transferable hours to SIU Carbondale
  o An overall grade point average (GPA) of 2.0 or above (4.0 scale) as calculated by SIU Carbondale's grading regulations

  Acceptance into the Capstone Option reduces the University Core Curriculum for the A.A.S. degree recipient at Kentucky Community and Technical College System pursing the B.S. in Technical Resource Management at SIU Carbondale to 30 semester hours. This makes it possible for the student to complete the B.S. in Technical Resource Management at SIU Carbondale in no more than 60 additional semester hours beyond the A.A.S. degree. A minimum of 42 semester hours at the 300-400 level is required for the bachelor's degree.

- Kentucky Community and Technical College System students transferring to the Technical Resource Management baccalaureate degree program at SIU Carbondale who have not completed their entire Associate in Applied Science degree requirements at Kentucky Community and Technical College System 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.

- Students will be required to complete 60 senior institution hours (42 senior institution hours at the 300-400 course level beginning with the 2013-2014 SIU Carbondale Undergraduate Catalog), last 30 semester hours at SIU for residency, and at least 120 hours with an overall GPA of 2.0 on a 4.0 scale to receive a Bachelor of Science degree in Technical Resource Management. Coursework may include University Core Curriculum as well as Technical Resource Management major courses.

- An SIU Carbondale Technical Resource Management representative will communicate periodically with Kentucky Community and Technical College System personnel for general advisement and degree planning purposes.

- Upon successful completion of all degree requirements, and following all policies and regulations stated in the program and university guidelines, Kentucky Community and Technical College System students will be eligible to receive the Bachelor of Science degree in Technical Resource Management, College of Applied Sciences and Arts, Southern Illinois University Carbondale.

- Should changes occur in course or program content, the school making the change agrees to notify the other school 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.

- The parties acknowledge that many student educational records are protected by the Family Education Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA) and that the written authorization of student(s) must be obtained before student data can be released to anyone. The parties agree that any access to student records shall be in compliance with FERPA.

- This agreement is subject to change by legislative action, the Department of Education, the Southern Illinois University Board of Trustees, or the Kentucky Community and Technical College System Board of Trustees.

- Indemnification:
  A. To the extent permitted by law, SIU Carbondale shall indemnify and hold harmless Kentucky Community and Technical College System, 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.
  B. To the extent permitted by law, Kentucky Community and Technical College System 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.

- 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 the determination that the student is unable or unwilling to fulfill the requirements of SIU Carbondale's educational program and mission, including by 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.

- 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.

- 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: Belle S. Woodward, Interim Director
School of Information Systems & Applied Technologies
Mailcode 6614
Southern Illinois University Carbondale
Carbondale, IL 62901

For Kentucky Community & Technical College System: Nicole L. McDonald, Ph.D.
System Director for Transfer and Retention
Kentucky Community & Technical College System
300 North Main Street
Versailles, Kentucky 40383

- This Agreement shall be in effect as of the Effective Date stated hereinabove and shall automatically renew until either party terminates this Agreement by sending written notification of such termination to the other parties no less than ninety (90) days prior to the end of the semester in effect at the time. Termination shall be effected at the end of that period, provided no student currently enrolled is deprived the opportunity to complete course requirements due to this action. Notwithstanding the aforementioned, this Agreement shall be subject to review every year.

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.

KENTUCKY COMMUNITY & TECHNICAL COLLEGE SYSTEM

_____   6/11/13
Dr. Jay Box, Chancellor   Date
Kentucky Community & Technical College System

SOUTHERN ILLINOIS UNIVERSITY CARBONDALE

_____   5/1/2013
Belle S. Woodward, Interim Director   Date
School of Information Systems & Applied Technologies

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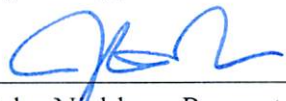Dr. Andy Ju An Wang, Dean   Date
College of Applied Sciences and Arts

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Dr. John Nicklow, Provost and Vice Chancellor   Date
Southern Illinois University Carbondale

Board of Trustees of Southern Illinois University

By_____   5/13/13
Dr. Rita Cheng, Chancellor   Date
Southern Illinois University Carbondale

APPROVED
AS TO
LEGAL FORM
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Kentucky Community & Technical College System		**Southern Illinios University Carbondale**		
AAS General - 60-68 hrs		BS Technical Resource Management (TRM) - 120 hrs		
		University Core Curriculum (UCC) CAPSTONE OPTION - 30 hrs		
	Hrs			**Hrs**
		UCOL 101-3	Foundations of Inquiry	NA
Quantitative Reasoning (MATH 146-3)	3	MATH 113-3	Intro Contemporary Math	T
		SPCM 101-3	Intro:Oral Communication	3
Written Communicat Writing I	3	ENGL 101-3	English Composition I	T
		ENGL 102-3	English Composition II	NA
Social/Behavioral Science	3	SOCIAL SCIENCE-3		T
		SOCIAL SCIENCE-3*		3
Humanities/Heritage	3	HUMANITIES-3		T
		HUMANITIES-3		NA
Natural Science	3	PHYSICAL SCIENCE, GRP I-3		T
		LIFE SCIENCE, GRP II-3*		3
		FINE ARTS-3*		3
		HUMAN HEALTH-2		NA
		MULTICULTURAL-3*		3
	15			15
Program Requirements		**Program Requirements**		
Technical & Support Component	45-53	Completion of an AAS degree from an accredited institution meets the 43 hours		
General Education & Technical & Support components		of lower division technical career electives required for the TRM degree.		
must be distributed so that programs do not exceed		An approved apprenticeship or a maximum of 30 semester hours of internship,		
68 credit hours.		work experience credit, or independent study may be included.		
		TRM 316-3	Applications of Technical Communication	3
		TRM 364-3	Work Center Management	3
		TRM 383-3	Data Applications and Interpretation	3
		TRM 464-3	Managing For Quality	3
		TRM 470-3	Project Management	3
		TRM Support Courses-6	Select 2 of TRM 332; 361; 362; 363; 421; 426; 440	6
		Approved Electives-15	300/400 level	15
		TRM 319, 320, 350, 358*	As necessary to meet 42 Senior Inst. Hr. requirement	6
				42
Total semester hrs completed w/ AAS degree:	60-68	Total semester hrs completed w/ BS degree:		57