

PROGRAM ARTICULATION AGREEMENT

BETWEEN

**PRAIRIE STATE COLLEGE
CHICAGO HEIGHTS, 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 30th day of March, 2020 (Effective Date) by and between Prairie State College 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 Prairie State College with an Associates of Applied Science (A.A.S.) in Dental Hygiene and meeting SIU Carbondale admission requirements will be considered for admission into SIU Carbondale's Bachelor of Science (B.S.) in Dental Hygiene (DH) in the College of Applied Sciences and Arts based upon the Department's enrollment criteria and space availability.

B. A Prairie State College graduate receiving an Associates of Applied Science (A.A.S.) in Dental Hygiene and following the degree plans attached to this agreement, will be considered for admission to SIU Carbondale's Dental Hygiene (DH) program if the following are met:

1. The student has earned a minimum of 87 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 Dental Hygiene at Prairie State College:

- DH 101-2, *Histology*
- DH 103-5, *Head & Neck Anatomy & Tooth Morphology*
- DH 104-4, *Dental Radiology*
- DH 105-2, *Nutrition*
- DH 106-2, *General & Oral Pathology*
- DH 107-2, *Fundamentals of Dental Hygiene*
- DH 108-4, *Clinical Dental Hygiene I*
- DH 109-4, *Clinical Dental Hygiene II*
- DH 116-2, *Periodontology*
- DH 120-2, *Care of Special Populations*
- DH 201-3, *Clinical Dental Hygiene III*
- DH 202-5, *Clinical Dental Hygiene IV*
- DH 203-5, *Clinical Dental Hygiene V*
- DH 204-2, *Ethics, Law & Administration*
- DH 205-2, *Pharmacology*
- DH 207-4, *The Science & Application of Dental Material*
- DH 220-2, *Community Dental Health*
- BIOL 211-4, *Microbiology*
- BIOL 221-4, *Human Anatomy & Physiology I*
- BIOL 222-4, *Human Anatomy & Physiology II*
- CHEM 105-4, *Survey of General Chemistry*
- COMM 101-3, *Principles of Communication*
- ENG 101-3, *Composition I*
- MATH 151-4, *College Algebra*
- PSYCH 101-3, *Introduction to Psychology*

- **SOCIO 101-3, *Introduction to Sociology***
 - **HUMANITIES - 3 hours**
- C. **Acceptance into the Capstone Option reduces the University Core Curriculum for the A.A.S. degree recipient in Dental Hygiene at Prairie State College pursuing the B.S. in Dental Hygiene (DH) 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 Dental Hygiene (DH) at SIU Carbondale in approximately 33 additional semester hours beyond the A.A.S. degree.**
- D. **Prairie State College students transferring to the Dental Hygiene (DH) baccalaureate degree program at SIU Carbondale who have not completed all of his or her Associate of Applied Science degree requirements at Prairie State College 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 Dental Hygiene (DH). Coursework may include University Core Curriculum as well as Dental Hygiene (DH) 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 Prairie State College 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 Prairie State College 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 Prairie State College to complete the degree.**

IV. PRAIRIE STATE COLLEGE DUTIES: PRAIRIE STATE COLLEGE SHALL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR THE FOLLOWING OBLIGATIONS AND CONDITIONS:

- A. Subject to federal and state guidelines, Prairie State College 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 Prairie State College.**
- B. Designate in writing a person or persons as point of contact between Prairie State College 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 Prairie State College to complete a degree.**

V. PROGRAM ARTICULATION COMMUNICATION

- A. A SIU Carbondale College of Applied Sciences and Arts, Dental Hygiene (DH) representative will communicate periodically with Prairie State College personnel in Dental Hygiene 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, Prairie State College students will be eligible to receive the Bachelor of Science (B.S.) in Dental Hygiene (DH), 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 may 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 ("FERPA"). Accordingly, the Parties agree that all disclosures or redisclosures of such personally identifiable information shall be in accordance with FERPA. As used in this section, the terms "personally identifiable information" and "education records" shall have the meanings ascribed to them in 34 C.F.R. § 99.3.**
- 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 Prairie State College, 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, Prairie State College 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.**
- D. 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.

- E. 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.
- F. 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:

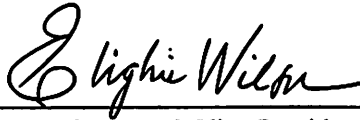
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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have executed this Agreement by their duly authorized, respective officers, and by doing so, hereby affirm that the Agreement is enforceable on behalf of and against each party as of the date written herein.

PRAIRIE STATE COLLEGE



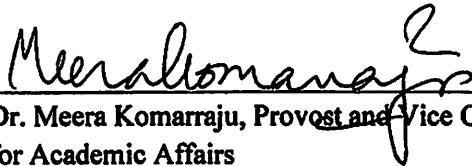
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Dr. Marie Hansel, Vice President of Academic Affairs
Prairie State College

Date

Elighie Wilson, Interim Vice President of Academic Affairs Prairie State College

BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF SOUTHERN ILLINOIS UNIVERSITY



Dr. Meera Komarraju, Provost and Vice Chancellor
for Academic Affairs
for Austin A. Lane, Chancellor
Southern Illinois University Carbondale

7-14-2020

Date

SIU Approved as to Legal Form

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PROGRAM ARTICULATION DEGREE PLAN						
Prairie State College		2019-2020	Southern Illinois University Carbondale			
AAS Dental Hygiene - 87 hours			BS Dental Hygiene (DH) - 120 hours			
		University Core Curriculum (UCC)	CAPSTONE OPTION - 30 hrs			
		Hrs	Hrs			
COMM 101	Principles of Communication	3	UNIV 101 Saluki Success	NA		
ENG 101	Composition I	3	CMST 101 Intro to Oral Communication	T		
			ENGL 101 English Composition I	T		
			ENGL 102 English Composition II	NA		
MATH 151	College Algebra	4	MATH 108 College Algebra	T		
PSYCH 101	Intro to Psychology	3	PSYC 102 Intro to Psychology	T		
SOCIO 101	Intro to Sociology	3	SOC 108 Intro to Sociology	T		
	Humanities Elective	3	HUMANITIES See SIUC Transfer Equivalency Guide	T		
			HUMANITIES	NA		
CHEM 105	Survey of General Chemistry	4	CHEM 106 Chemistry & Society	T		
BIOL 211	Microbiology	4	MICR 201 Elementary Microbiology	T		
			FINE ARTS	3		
			HUMAN HEALTH	NA		
			MULTICULTURAL	3		
		27		6		
Program Requirements		Program Requirements				
BIOL 222	Human Anatomy & Physiology II	4	An Associate of Applied Science in Dental Hygiene satisfies all 200 and 300 level requirements for the Dental Hygiene major, even if direct articulations do not exist			
DH 101	Histology	2				
DH 104	Dental Radiology	4				
DH 105	Nutrition	2				
DH 106	General & Oral Pathology	2				
DH 107	Fundamentals of Dental Hygiene	2				
DH 108	Clinical Dental Hygiene I	4				
DH 109	Clinical Dental Hygiene II	4				
DH 116	Periodontology	2				
DH 120	Care of Special Populations	2				
DH 201	Clinical Dental Hygiene III	3				
DH 202	Clinical Dental Hygiene IV	5				
DH 203	Clinical Dental Hygiene V	5				
DH 204	Ethics, Law & Administration	2				
DH 205	Pharmacology	2				
DH 207	The Science & Application of Dental Material	4				
DH 220	Community Dental Health	2				
BIOL 221	Human Anatomy & Physiology I	4			PHSL 201 -and- 208 Human Physiology w/Lab	T
DH 103	Head & Neck Anatomy & Tooth Morphology	5			DH 226 Anatomy of the Head & Neck	T
		60			DH 401 Dental Hygiene Practicum	2
			DH 401L Dental Hygiene Practicum Lab	2		
			DH 410 Ethics, Practice Mgmt & Effective Communication	3		
			DH 417 Multicultural/Geriatrics/IPC	3		
			DH 417I Multicultural Internship	3		
			DH 440 Research Methods & Interpretation	3		
			DH 441 Advanced Periodontics	3		
			DH 441C Dental Hygiene Clinic IV	3		
			DH 450C Advanced Periodontics Clinic V	3		
			300/400 Level Electives Required to satisfy 42 senior institution hours	2		
				27		
Total semester hrs completed w/ AAS degree:		87	Total semester hrs completed w/ BS degree:	33		
			Total hrs to BS Degree:	120		

Degree Plan updated on 7/17/19 by SG

TRANSFER GUIDE

AAS Dental Hygiene transferring into BS Dental Hygiene

Prairie State College Courses			
AAS Dental Hygiene – 87 hours			
ENG 101-3	Composition I	DH 106-2	General & Oral Pathology
COMM 101-3	Principles of Communication	DH 107-2	Fundamentals of Dental Hygiene
MATH 151-4	College Algebra	DH 108-4	Clinical Dental Hygiene I
PSYCH 101-3	Intro to Psychology	DH 109-4	Clinical Dental Hygiene II
SOCIO 101-3	Intro to Sociology	DH 116-2	Periodontology
	Humanities Elective-3	DH 120-2	Care of Special Populations
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BIOL 211-4	Microbiology	DH 202-5	Clinical Dental Hygiene IV
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DH 104-4	Dental Radiology	DH 220-2	Community Dental Health
DH 105-2	Nutrition		
Southern Illinois University Carbondale Courses Capstone Option			
BS Dental Hygiene (DH) – 33 hours			
	Fine Arts Elective-3	DH 417I-3	Multicultural Internship
	Multicultural Elective-3	DH 440-3	Research Methods & Interpretation
DH 401-2	Dental Hygiene Practicum	DH 441-3	Advanced Periodontics
DH 401L-2	Dental Hygiene Practicum Lab	DH 441C-3	Dental Hygiene Clinic IV
DH 410-3	Ethics, Practice Mgmt & Comm	DH 450C-3	Advanced Periodontics Clinic V
DH 417-3	Multicultural/Geriatrics/IPC	Electives-2	300/400-level
Total Hours to Bachelor Degree: 120 Hours			

Questions? Contact Us!

Salary Range: \$40,000-\$80,000

Possible Careers: Dental Hygienist
Lead Dental Hygienist
Pediatric Dental Hygienist
Registered Dental Hygienist

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Baccalaureate Degree Requirements

Each candidate for a bachelor's degree must complete the requirements listed:

Hour Requirements. Each student must complete at least 120 semester hours of credit. Each student must have at least 42 hours in courses that number 300 or above from a four-year institution.

Residence Requirements. Each student must complete the residence requirement by taking the last year, which is defined as 30 uninterrupted semester hours, or a total of 90 semester hours at SIU Carbondale.

Grade Point Average Requirements. Each student must have a C average for all work taken at SIU Carbondale. Some academic programs may require a higher graduating major GPA.

Dual Admission Program

The Dual Admission Program (DAP) allows baccalaureate-oriented students at eligible community colleges to benefit from pre-advisement for a chosen major at SIU Carbondale. The DAP addresses specific departmental requirements that a student may not automatically fulfill by completing their associate degree at their community college. Students apply to the DAP by completing the Application for Undergraduate Admission and indicating interest in the DAP. Students must have at least two semesters remaining at their community college to participate, must select a participating SIU major, and must attend an eligible community college. Students who apply for the DAP are provided a transfer plan that will guide them to the most direct route to their bachelor's degree, along with personalized contact with an SIU representative. Dual Admission Program students receive access to enroll in an online Dual Admission Program course, which connects students early to the University, its resources, and other transfer students.

Compact Agreement

SIU has recognized the Illinois regionally accredited community college transferable baccalaureate-oriented Associate of Arts or Associate of Science degrees under the Compact Agreement since 1970. SIU will continue to recognize the baccalaureate oriented associate degree (A.A. or A.S. degree) under the Illinois Articulation Initiative as satisfying SIU University Core Curriculum (UCC). The Associate of Applied Science (A.A.S.), Associate in Engineering Science (A.E.S.), the Associate in General Studies (A.G.S.), and the Associate in Fine Arts (A.F.A.) are not covered under the Compact Agreement and do not carry the same benefits as the A.A. and A.S. degrees.

Degree Works

Degree Works is an easy-to-use, comprehensive, online degree audit tool specifically designed for students. Once admitted to SIU Carbondale, you can run a Degree Works degree audit against your academic record by searching "Degree Works" in [SalukiNet](#).

Saluki Transfer Estimator Portal (STEP)

The Saluki Transfer Estimator Portal (STEP) is a web-based tool that integrates institutional course equivalency and degree audit data to provide an unofficial credit estimation and a more seamless transfer process. STEP gives transfer students a clear roadmap for timely degree completion by providing key information about how transfer credits apply to your intended program at SIU.