

ARTICULATION AGREEMENT
By and Between
Cuyahoga Community College
And
Ohio University

THIS ARTICULATION AGREEMENT (the “Agreement”) is entered into on this 6th day of October, 2008 (the “Effective Date”) by and between Cuyahoga Community College District (the “College”), with an address at 700 Carnegie Avenue, Cleveland, Ohio 44115-2878; and Ohio University (“Ohio University”), with an address of Athens, Ohio 45701. The College is an institution of higher education established pursuant to Section 3354 of the Ohio Revised Code, and Ohio University is also an institution of higher education. The College and Ohio University desire to enter into a contract pursuant to which students of the College would be eligible for articulated course credits at Ohio University, according to the terms contained in this Agreement.

Ohio University and the College wish to provide a mechanism whereby students have access to a seamless educational path starting with an associate degree leading to the completion of a baccalaureate degree. This partnership will be formalized through the use of a defined Articulation Agreement. This agreement is specifically designed for Ohio University Outreach’s Online Bachelor Completion Program and the Community College Partnership Initiative. The agreement will allow for students at Cuyahoga Community College who have earned an Associate of Applied Science in Law Enforcement, Law Enforcement – Basic Police Academy, Law Enforcement – Corrections or Law Enforcement – Security Administration to seamlessly transfer to Ohio University.

ACCORDINGLY, in consideration of the promises and mutual covenants contained in this Agreement, and of other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, the parties agree as follows:

1. *Description of Articulation Program.*

- a. Definitions. Articulation Criteria and Articulation Benefits are defined on Attachment A.
- b. Articulation Benefits to Students. Ohio University will provide the Articulation Benefits at no charge to past and present students of the College who meet the Articulation Criteria.
- c. Accreditation of the College. The College warrants that it is accredited by the Higher Learning Commission of the North Central Association of Colleges and Schools. The College will notify Ohio University if such accreditation ceases to exist.
- d. Accreditation of Ohio University. Ohio University warrants that it is accredited by the Higher Learning Commission of the North Central Association of College and Schools. Ohio University will notify the College if such accreditation ceases to exist.
- e. Admissions Processing. For those past or present students who meet Articulation Criteria 1, Ohio University will consider their applications for admission in accordance with standard Ohio University admission application evaluation criteria, while favorably recognizing students’ accomplishments at the College.
- f. Non-Exclusivity. This Agreement is not exclusive, and either party may enter into similar agreements with any other party.

2. *Term and Termination.*

- a. Term. This Agreement will run from the Effective Date until June 30, 2011 at which time this Agreement will automatically expire. Agreement may be extended beyond expiration date if an addendum is in place prior to the expiration date and signed by all parties.
- b. Termination. Either party may terminate this Agreement in the event of a material breach by the other party, effective upon the later date to occur of (i) the end of the next admissions application and review period of Ohio University, or (ii) the date that is 90 days after the notice that includes a description of the

breach; *provided* in either case that the breaching party shall be allowed until said effective date to cure said breach, and if the breach is so cured the termination notice will be of no effect.

- c. Post-Termination. Upon expiration or termination of this Agreement for any reason, College students previously accepted by or admitted to Ohio University shall continue to receive the benefits contemplated by this Agreement.

3. *Miscellaneous.*

- a. Severability. If any Section or provision of this Agreement be held illegal, unenforceable or in conflict with any law by a court of competent jurisdiction, such Section or provision of this Agreement shall be deemed severed from this Agreement and the validity of the remainder of this Agreement shall not be affected thereby.
- b. Governing Law. This Agreement shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of Ohio applicable to contracts made and to be enforced wholly within Ohio.
- c. Jurisdiction; Venue. The parties to this Agreement each specifically consent to jurisdiction in Ohio in connection with any dispute between the parties arising out of this Agreement or pertaining to the subject matter hereof. Venue for any dispute between the parties arising out of this Agreement or pertaining to the subject matter hereof will be in the U.S. District Court for the Northern District of Ohio or in the state courts of Ohio sitting in Cuyahoga County.
- d. Survival. Sections 2(c) and this Section 3 will survive termination or expiration of this Agreement.
- e. Notices. All notices or other written communications relating to termination, expiration, or any other legal matter relating to this Agreement will be effective when received in accordance with this Section 3(e) and must be given in writing by courier or reputable overnight delivery service, or by certified mail, return receipt requested, to either party at the following address (or to such other address as such party may substitute, by providing a written notice in the manner specified in this Section) with, in the case of the College, an additional copy addressed to “General Counsel”:

For Ohio University:
Dr. Charles P. Bird
Vice Provost for University Outreach
Athens, OH 45701

For Cuyahoga Community College:
Dr. Linda Simmons
Vice President, Academic and Student Affairs
700 Carnegie Avenue
Cleveland, OH 44115

- f. Waivers and Amendments. The waiver by either party of any provision of this Agreement on any occasion and upon any particular circumstance shall not operate as a waiver of such provision of this Agreement on any other occasion or upon any other circumstance. This Agreement may be modified or amended only via a writing signed by both parties.
- g. Assignment. Neither party may assign its rights or delegate its duties under this Agreement. Any attempted assignment or delegation in violation of this Section would be null and void.
- h. Complete Agreement; Integration. This Agreement contains the complete understanding of the parties with respect to the subject matter hereof and supersedes all other agreements, understandings, communications and promises of any kind, whether oral or written, between the parties with respect to such subject matter.
- i. Counterparts; Facsimile Signatures. This Agreement may be executed in multiple counterparts, all of which shall be originals and which together shall constitute a single agreement. For the purpose of interpreting this Agreement, facsimile signatures shall be considered equivalent to original signatures.
- j. Independent Contractors. The parties are independent contractors, and no agency, partnership, franchise, joint venture, or employment relationship is intended or created by this Agreement. Neither party shall make any commitment, or give the impression that it has authority to make any commitment, on behalf of the other party.

- k. Compliance with Laws. The parties will comply with all applicable laws and regulations in performing their obligations hereunder. When taking actions (or failing to act) in any way relating to this Agreement, each party agrees that it will not unlawfully discriminate against any person on the basis of race, sex, religion, disability, age, national origin, or color.

INTENDING TO BE LEGALLY BOUND, by signing below, each party acknowledges its agreement with the terms and conditions of this Agreement and each signatory represents and warrants that he/she is authorized to sign on behalf of and to bind his/her party to all of the terms and conditions of this Agreement as of the Effective Date.

CUYAHOGA COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT: *OHIO UNIVERSITY:*

By: _____
Dr. Linda Simmons
Vice President, Academic and Student Affairs

By: _____
Dr. Charles P. Bird
Vice Provost for University Outreach

By: _____
Dr. David Descutner
Dean, University College

By: _____
Dr. Charlotte Rae
Director of Degree Programs, University College

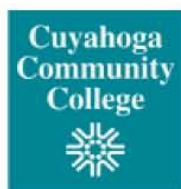
**Attachment A
To The
Articulation Agreement Dated October 6, 2008
By and Between
Cuyahoga Community College District
and
Ohio University**

Articulation Criteria and Articulation Benefits

1. *The articulation criteria (“Articulation Criteria”) are:*
 - a. Completion of an Associate of Applied Science in Law Enforcement, Law Enforcement – Basic Police Academy, Law Enforcement – Corrections, Law Enforcement – Security Administration
 - b. Submission of a completed online application to Ohio University’s Community College Partnership program: www.outreach.ohio.edu/onlinecomplete
 - c. Submission of all official College Transcripts to the Community College Partnership office for the Online Bachelor’s completion Program at Ohio University Lifelong and Distance Learning, 102 Haning Hall, Athens, OH 45701.
 - d. Maintain a cumulative G.P.A. of 2.0 (on a 4.system) or higher
 - e. Cuyahoga Community College will:
 - Allow Ohio University representative to distribute partnership materials and present to constituent groups: faculty, staff, students alumni
 - Allow partnership students to simultaneously register for Cuyahoga Community College courses and Ohio University courses, utilize financial aid and consortium agreements and use available student resources while enrolled.
 - Provide updates as required to Ohio University regarding curriculum changes
 - Assist in promoting the partnership program
 - f. Ohio University will:
 - Market the program to alumni, current students and future students
 - Maintain a guaranteed online course schedule
 - Provide academic advising to partnership students in coordination with the College
 - Provide at-a-distance student services: admissions, registration, financial aid, etc.
 - Provide transfer guides for all programs included in this agreement. Available at <http://www.outreach.ohio.edu/onlinecomplete/colleges/Tri-C/index.htm>
 - g. Ohio University and Cuyahoga Community College will exchange curriculum data as needed for the maintenance of this agreement.
 - i. This Agreement defines a pathway by which a student could articulate the defined associate’s degree from Cuyahoga Community College into the bachelor’s degree program in Criminal Justice at Ohio University. Due to individual student factors, including but not limited to part-time or full-time status, need for developmental coursework, scheduling and availability of courses, all students may not be able to complete the listed pathway in the time projected. This Agreement does not guarantee the completion of a baccalaureate in four years, or in two years beyond the associate degree level.

2. *The articulation benefits (“Articulation Benefits”) are:*

- a. The Ohio University Bachelor of Criminal Justice (BCJ) will be offered as a partnership program wherein students take coursework at both Ohio University and Cuyahoga Community College in order to complete the degree requirements.
- b. Students who complete an Associate of Applied Science – Law Enforcement and who meet the criteria set forth in this agreement will be considered for admission in accordance with standard Ohio University admissions application evaluation criteria.
- c. Students taking CCC coursework will register for the courses at CCC and pay the CCC tuition and fees. If students are taking Ohio University courses concurrently and qualify for financial aid, a financial aid consortium agreement will be required to process payment of state and federal aid.
- d. Through the partnership, students take additional CCC courses, beyond their technical associate degree, and a minimum of 12 online courses with Ohio University.
- e. All Ohio University courses in the Bachelor Completion Program are online. Students only need to travel to the campus if they choose.
- f. Students participating in the Online Bachelor Completion Program in partnership with CCC pay a tuition rate that is consistent with several Ohio University Regional Campuses, a cost savings over courses offered in or out of the main campus in Athens, OH.
- g. The Online Bachelor Completion Program courses are scalable without seating capacity limits.



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Transfer Guide into the Bachelor of Criminal Justice

Associate of Applied Science in Law Enforcement required

Students must complete a minimum of 48 credit hours at Ohio University, including 50% of the courses required for the major. Students must complete a total of 45 hours at the 300/400 level: Ohio University elective(s) will be required. *Specific elective courses will not be delivered on a guaranteed schedule.*

BCJ REQUIREMENTS: Students must complete all three CORE courses.

Between Tri-C and Ohio University courses, students must complete

Area I: Basic skills areas 1A, 1B, 1C, 1D

Area II: Cultural, Legal and Political Issues areas 2A, 2B

Area III: Understanding Human Behavior and Social Problems areas 3A, 3B

Area IV: Professional and Organizational Skills areas 4A, 4B

Tri-C Courses	Ohio University Online Courses
<p>Tier I: 1E and 1M</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> ENGL 1010 (OHIO ENG 151)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> MATH 1520 (OHIO MATH 113)</p> <p><i>REQUIRED prerequisite for PSY 221</i></p>	<p>Tier I: 3E</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> ENG 384 J</p> <p>Tier III: T3</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Select from available online option</p>
<p>Tier II: Complete 32 quarter hours with a minimum of 3 credit hours in each of the 6 areas</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> 2AS: Applied Science & Math ATEL 1300; BIO 1060, 2500, 2060; DIET 1300; GEOG 1030; HLTH 1100; SPCH 2150; MATH 1610, 1620, 161H</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> 2CP: Cross-Cultural Perspectives ANTH 1010, 1030; CHIN 1011, 1021; FREN 1010, 1020, 2010, 2020, 2410; GER 1010, 1020, 2010, 2020, 2410; ITAL 1010, 1020, 2010, 2020, 2410; JAPN 1011, 1021, 2011, 2021, 2411; LAT 1010, 1020; RUSS 1010, 1020, 2010, 2020, 2410; SPAN 1010, 1020, 2010, 2020, 2411</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> 2FA: Fine Arts ART 1010, 1020, 1030; DANC 1100; MUS 1010, 1030, 1200; THEA 1010, 2210, 2220</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> 2HL: Humanities & Literature ENG 2410, 2420, 2430; HIST 1010, 1020, JMC 1610; PHIL 1010, 2010, 2020, 2040, 101H, REL 1010; SPCH 1000</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> 2NS: Natural Sciences ANTH 1020; BIO 1040 + 104L, 1050, 1100; CHEM 1010, 120, 1300 + 130L, 1310 + 131L; MLT 1480; PSCI 1010, 101L; PHYS 1210, 1220, 2310, 2320, 2400</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> 2SS: Social Sciences REQUIRED: POL 1010, PSY 1010; SOC 1010</p> <p>Hour totals for Tier II courses:</p> <p>___ 2AS ___ 2CP ___ 2FA ___ 2HL ___ 2NS ___ 2SS</p>	<p>BCJ Coursework</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> SOC 260 (C)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> SOC 362 (C)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> SOC 366 (C)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> PSY 221 (1C)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> SOC 351 (1D)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> COMS 410 (2A)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> POLS 301 (2B)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> SOC 363 (3B)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> COMS 304 (4A)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> 300/400 level elective</p>
<p>BCJ COURSEWORK:</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> SPCH 1010 (OHIO COMS 103) 1A</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> PHIL 2020 (OHIO PHIL 130) 1B</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> BADM 2150 (OHIO BUSL 255) 4B</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> PSY 2040 or 2080 (OHIO PSY 336 or 332) 3A</p>	<p><i>The information in this guide is specifically intended for students in the Online Bachelor Completion Program It is based off of stated requirements for the 2008-2009 Ohio University criminal justice degree. Tri-C students may or may not have completed courses that satisfy general education or major requirements as par of their associate degree. Course equivalencies that meet degree requirements will be applied. Students are responsible for completing all Ohio University degree requirements.</i></p>

Appendix B Associate Degrees for BCJ Partnership:

AAS in Law Enforcement Suggested Semester Sequence

First Semester		Credits
ENG-1010	College Composition I	3
IT-1010	Introduction to Microcomputer Applications	3
LAWE-1000	Introduction to Criminal Justice	3
LAWE-1120	Criminal Court Procedure	2
LAWE-1130	Criminal Evidence	2
LAWE-1320	Ethics in Criminal Justice	2
PSY-1010	General Psychology*	3
Total		18
Second Semester		Credits
ENG-1020	College Composition II	3
LAWE-1010	Computers in Criminal Justice	2
LAWE-1111	Constitutional Law for Police	3
LAWE-1330	Criminal Law	3
MATH-xxxx	1000-level MATH course or higher (1) (Must be MATH 1521 or higher to meet Ohio University Tier I and course prerequisite requirements)	3
SOC-1010	Introductory Sociology*	3
Total		17
Third Semester		Credits
LAWE-2300	Juvenile Delinquency	2
LAWE-2390	The Investigative Process	4
LAWE-xxxx	Any LAWE elective course	3
POL-1010	American National Government*	3
SPCH-1010	Fundamentals of Speech Communication	3
Total		15
Fourth Semester		Credits
LAWE-2360	Community Oriented Policing	3
LAWE-2440	Protection Services	2
LAWE-2990	Issues in Supervision (C)	4
PSY-2020	Life Span Development	4
SOC-2xxx OR UST-2xxx	Any 2000-level SOC elective course OR Any 2000-level UST elective course	3
Total		16
Program Total		66

Law Enforcement – Basic Police Academy Suggested Semester Sequence

First Semester		Credits
ENG-1010	College Composition I	3
IT-1010	Introduction to Microcomputer Applications	3
LAWE-1000	Introduction to Criminal Justice	3
LAWE-1120	Criminal Court Procedure	2
LAWE-1130	Criminal Evidence	2
PSY-1010	General Psychology*	3
SOC-1010	Introductory Sociology*	3
		Total 19
Second Semester		Credits
		3
ENG-1020	College Composition II	1
HLTH-1230	Standard First Aid and Personal Safety	3
LAWE-1111	Constitutional Law for Police	4
LAWE-1300	Patrol Operations	3
LAWE-1310	Traffic Enforcement & Investigation	3
LAWE-1330	Criminal Law	2
PE-1000	Personal Fitness	19
		Total 19
Third Semester		Credits
		2
LAWE-1320	Ethics in Criminal Justice	2
LAWE-2300	Juvenile Delinquency	3
LAWE-2370	Fire Arm Techniques	2
LAWE-2380	Defensive Driving	4
LAWE-2390	The Investigative Process	3
POL-1010	American National Government*	3
SPCH-1010	Fundamentals of Speech Communication	3
		Total 19
Fourth Semester		Credits
LAW-2360	Community Oriented Policing	3
LAWE-2990	Issues in Supervision (C)	4
MATH-xxxx	1000-level MATH course or higher (2) (Must be MATH 1521 or higher to meet Ohio University Tier I and course prerequisite requirements)	3
PSY-2020	Life Span Development	4
SOC-2xxx OR UST-2xxx	Any 2000-level SOC elective course OR Any 2000-level UST elective course	3
		Total 16
		Program Total 73

Law Enforcement- Corrections Suggested Semester Sequence

First Semester		Credits
ENG-1010	College Composition I	3
IT-1010	Introduction to Microcomputer Applications	3
LAWE-1000	Introduction to Criminal Justice	3
LAWE-1070	Introduction to Corrections	2
LAWE-1120	Criminal Court Procedure	2
LAWE-1130	Criminal Evidence	2
LAWE-1320	Ethics in Criminal Justice	2
Total		17
Second Semester		Credits
		3
ENG-1020	College Composition II	2
LAWE-1010	Computers in Criminal Justice	4
LAWE-1500	Community Intervention Resources	3
MATH-xxxx	1000-level MATH course or higher (1) (Must be MATH 1521 or higher to meet Ohio University Tier I and course prerequisite requirements)	3
PSY-1010	General Psychology *	3
SOC-1010	Introductory Sociology*	3
Total		18
Third Semester		Credits
		2
LAWE-2300	Juvenile Delinquency	4
LAWE-2510	Community Supervision and Aftercare	3
LAWE-xxxx	Any LAWE elective course	3
POL-1010	American National Government*	3
SPCH-1010	Fundamentals of Speech Communication	3
Total		15
Fourth Semester		Credits
		3
LAWE-2530	Correctional Case Management	3
LAWE-2540	Corrections: Principles and Practices Issues in Supervision (C)	4
LAWE-2990	Life Span Development	4
PSY-2020	Any 2000-level SOC elective course	3
SOC-2xxx OR UST-2xxx	Any 2000-level UST elective course	3
Total		17
Program Total		67

Law Enforcement – Security Administration Suggested Semester Sequence

First Semester		Credits
ENG-1010	College Composition I	3
IT-1010	Introduction to Microcomputer Applications	3
LAWE-1000	Introduction to Criminal Justice	3
LAWE-1050	Introduction to Security	2
LAWE-1120	Criminal Court Procedure	2
LAWE-1320	Ethics in Criminal Justice	2
SOC-1010	Introductory Sociology*	3
Total		18
Second Semester		Credits
		3
ENG-1020	College Composition II	4
LAWE-1400	Assets Protection	3
LAWE-xxxx	Any LAWE elective course	3
MATH-xxxx	1000-level MATH course or higher (1) (Must be MATH 1521 or higher to meet Ohio University Tier I and course prerequisite requirements)	3
PSY-1010	General Psychology*	3
Total		16
Third Semester		Credits
LAWE-2400	Security Management	2
LAWE-2410	Security Investigation	4
		3
LAWE-2420	Legal Aspects of Private Security	3
POL-1010	American National Government	3
SPCH-1010	Fundamentals of Speech Communication	3
Total		16
Fourth Semester		Credits
		3
FIRE-2320	Fire Prevention and Protection Systems	2
LAWE-2440	Protection Services	4
		4
LAWE-2990	Life Span Development	4
PSY-2020	Any 2000-level SOC elective course	3
SOC-2xxx	OR	3
OR	Any 2000-level UST elective course	3
UST-2xxx		3
Total		16
Program Total		67

*Required as a prerequisite to the Ohio University Bachelor of Criminal Justice program