

This AGREEMENT EXTENSION ("EXTENSION") is dated as May 6, 2016, by and between Franklin Universities, Located at 201 S. Grant Ave., Columbus, Ohio 43215 and Washington State Community College, located at 710 Colegate Dr, Marietta, OH 45750 (collectively, the "Parties").


WHEREAS the Parties hereby agree to extend the term of the Original Agreement in accordance with the terms of the Original Agreement as well as the term provided herein.


In consideration of the mutual covenants contained herein, Franklin University and Washington State Community College mutually covenant and agree as follows:

- The Original Contract, which is attached hereto as part of this Extension, will end August 8, 2016.
- The parties agree to extend the Original Agreement for an additional period, which will begin immediately upon the expiration of the original time period and will end 2 years after the signing date.
- This extension binds and benefits both Parties and any successors or assigns. This document, including the attached Original Agreement, is the entire agreement between the Parties.

All other terms and conditions of the Original Agreement remain Unchanged.

This Agreement shall be signed on behalf of Franklin University by Vice-President of Enrollment and Student Affairs, and on behalf of _____ by _____.

By (Sign): 
Name: Linda Steele
Title: VP of Enrollment and Student Affairs
Date: 6/1/16

By (Sign): 
Name: FRANCIS BROZDEK
Title: PRESIDENT
Date: 5/18/16



Articulation Agreement

Washington State Community College and Franklin University

The purpose of this document is to establish an articulation agreement between Washington State Community College and Franklin University, a private non-profit university. Subject to Washington State Community College's compliance with the requirements set forth herein, this agreement guarantees admission to Franklin University, transferability of credits, and a seamless transition for Washington State Community College graduates seeking a baccalaureate degree.

Washington State Community College and Franklin University enter into this articulation agreement in the spirit of cooperation and mutually recognize each other as quality institutions of higher learning. Each institution is dedicated to serving students from all walks of life, regardless of race, national origin, religion, sex, disability, color, age, marital status, or other non-merit factors.

Transfer:

Upon application, Franklin University will guarantee acceptance of all Washington State Community College graduates with an Associate in Arts, Associate in Science or Associate of Applied Science degree. Transfer students from Washington State Community College, upon acceptance will have junior standing at Franklin University.

Students transferring from Washington State Community College may transfer additional credits (up to a maximum of 84 semester credit hours) toward their baccalaureate degree. Students must complete a minimum of 40 credit hours at Franklin University to be eligible for the Bachelor of Science degree (minimum 124 semester hours).

A Curriculum Equivalency guide will be created by Franklin University each academic year for Washington State Community College. Washington State Community College programs and courses will be identified that will effectively transfer to Franklin and prepare Washington State Community College students for success in the Franklin University programs.

Financial Aid Consortium:

Franklin University and Washington State Community College will enter into a Financial Aid Consortium, by complying with the necessary information sharing, to entitle students in these programs to the appropriate federal, state and institutional assistance. This process includes annual reporting of tuition fees and academic calendar dates.

Privacy and Data Security:

Both parties will comply with the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act, Gramm-Leach-Bliley Act of 1999 and all associated regulations, taking necessary steps to ensure that confidential personal information is not disclosed or distributed, including the maintenance of a security plan consistent with industry standards to protect the confidentiality and integrity of personal information, and to protect against unauthorized access to such information. Information will be shared, in compliance with all applicable laws and regulations, as needed to allow transferring students to participate in the articulation program and to track student interest, persistence and success.

Indemnification:

- A. To the extent permitted by law, Washington State Community College shall indemnify, defend, and hold harmless Franklin University, its agents and employees, from any claims, demands, or causes of action arising out of the negligent acts or omissions of Washington State Community College, its agents or employees, in the performance of Washington State Community College's obligations under this agreement.
- B. To the extent permitted by law, Franklin University shall indemnify, defend, and hold harmless Washington State Community College, its agents and employees, from any claims, demands, or causes of action arising out of the negligent acts or omissions of Franklin University, its agents or employees, in the performance of Franklin University's obligations under this agreement.

Jurisdiction and Venue:

The parties of this agreement each specifically consent to jurisdiction in Ohio/Franklin County in connection with any dispute between the parties arising out of this agreement or pertaining to the subject matter hereof.

Term:

This agreement is for a period of five years from the date of execution and shall automatically renew for successive one year periods unless a party gives notice of non-renewal 9 months in advance of the expiration of the then-applicable term.

Franklin University reserves the right to modify the terms and conditions of this Agreement or to discontinue the articulation program at any time. Notice of modification or intentions to discontinue shall come in writing from one President to the other at least nine months prior to the date on which any action would be taken. In the event that the program is discontinued, Franklin University and Washington State Community College will continue to provide services to all currently enrolled students through graduation or discontinued enrollment.

This agreement and attached addendum are effective only under the condition that both institutions maintain current accreditation by a regional accrediting association as recognized by the U.S. Department of Education. In the event that an institution loses its accreditation, this agreement and addendum will terminate immediately.

The parties agree to the provisions of any Addendums to Agreement, which are hereby incorporated by reference and made a part of this Agreement.

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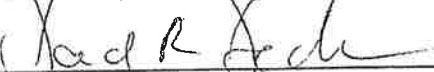


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Franklin University

201 South Grant Avenue
Columbus, OH 43215



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Date

David R. Decker, President

Articulation Agreement Financial Addendum

Washington State Community College and Franklin University

Washington State Community College and Franklin University have entered into an Articulation Agreement designed to provide access to baccalaureate degrees for the students, faculty, staff and alumni of Washington State Community College (the "CCA program"). Washington State Community College and Franklin University will work together to promote the awareness of the CCA program among students, faculty, staff, and the community of Washington State Community College.

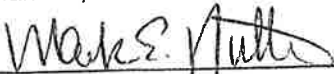
Franklin University will provide the following services to Washington State Community College:

- Offer a faculty/staff tuition discount program for those Washington State Community College employees pursuing their bachelor's or master's degree through Franklin University.
- Offer Franklin University's introductory course, PF 321 Learning Strategies, at no cost to faculty and staff.
- Offer scholarship opportunities to CCA transfer students, including but not limited to the Undergraduate CCA Scholarship.

This addendum modifies and supplements the attached articulation agreement.

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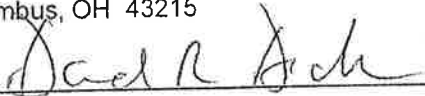


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