Articulation Agreement

FOR A TRANSFER PROGRAM BETWEEN

Hospitality & Tourism Management  and  School of Hospitality Management
Hillsborough Community College  and  Florida International University

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The purpose of this agreement is to enhance the process of transfer of the graduates of the Associate in Science (AS) in Hospitality & Tourism Program from Hillsborough Community College (HCC) to the Bachelor of Science in Hospitality Management at Florida International University (FIU). This agreement shall establish the conditions under which students from HCC shall progress to a junior year status as a Hospitality Management major in the School of Hospitality Management at FIU. In addition, the agreement shall include the formation of mechanisms for the ongoing monitoring and review of articulation progress and adherence to the conditions.

1. Program of Study

1.1 Participating students shall complete at HCC

- An AS degree in Hospitality Management or Culinary Management

- All the specified courses listed in the Appendix

1.2 All the courses specified in the Appendix are transferable to FIU. Therefore, participating students will be able to complete at FIU a program of study in a time, which equals approximately the number of hours required in the junior and senior years of the degree program being sought.
2. Admissions and Readmission

2.1 HCC is an open-admissions institution that assesses the holders of a high school diploma (or equivalent) wishing to enter this program and places them into courses on the basis of their academic background and/or demonstrated experience in specific courses. Applicants may be required to participate in the HCC assessment program.

2.2 A student completing the program of study in 1.1 will be guaranteed admission with junior standing to the Hospitality Management Program at FIU.

3. Conditions of Admission

3.1 In order to assure the admission and academic success of participating students, HCC and FIU agree to continuously develop, maintain, and improve a program management and reporting system.

3.2 Each institution will:

- appoint a program coordinator to coordinate activities, monitor student program, and evaluate and improve the program.

- exchange regularly updated copies of their general catalogs and any publications, which may be helpful in advising students.

- provide timely information about significant changes in the program of study that relate to the preparation of participating students, and

- share any other information that HCC and FIU believe helpful to monitor and assure the academic success of participating students.

3.3 The program coordinators from each institution will annually assess the program in collaboration with participating faculty, advisors, and students in order to continuously improve the program. A report of the assessment and recommendations for improvement will be provided to the program coordinator at HCC and the Associate Dean for Academics of the School of Hospitality Management at FIU.

3.3 Conditions of admission: AS students:

- are strongly encouraged to satisfy the math and English section of the CLAST prior to transfer.

- will meet the 2.0 admissions GPA as all other Hospitality majors.

- must earn a "C" or higher in all prerequisite course work.
4. Termination/Modification

4.1 This Articulation Agreement is subject to change or modification by mutual written consent between the parties hereto.

4.2 This Articulation Agreement may be terminated by either party upon written notice to the other party given at least one year in advance of such termination date. However, it is understood and agreed that any student participating in the AS in Hospitality or Culinary Management Program at HCC who has specifically been tracked for admission to FIU, or who has already been admitted to FIU by this agreement, will be permitted to complete the program notwithstanding the termination provisions above, so long as the student remains in good academic standing and is making measured progress towards completion of a degree program.
Signatures of Responsible Authorities At The Cooperating Institutions:

Hillsborough Community College

Nancy H. Watkins
Chairman

2/13/02

Florida International University

Kurt G. Miller
President

7/31/01

Gwendolyn W. Stephenson
President

3/4/02

Sylvia M. Carley
Vice President for Education & Student Development

1/31/02

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGALITY

College Attorney
Hillsborough Community College

4/29/02
### GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS

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<th>Subject Area</th>
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<th>FIU Course</th>
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<td>English Composition</td>
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<td>ENC 3311* (3)</td>
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<td>ENC 1102*</td>
<td>ENC 4240* (3)</td>
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<td>Math</td>
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<td>MAC 1105*(3)</td>
<td>MGF 1106* (3)</td>
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<td>Or MGF 1106*</td>
<td>(Necessary only if student did not take MAC 1105 or MGF 1106 at PJC)</td>
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<td>Humanities</td>
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### WAIVED COURSES ("C" graded required)

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<th>FIU Course</th>
<th>Equivalent</th>
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<td>HFT 3000 Intro Hosp./Tour. Mgt.</td>
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<td>HFT 3603 Law for Hospitality</td>
<td>HFT 2600 Hosp. Law (if taught by lawyer)</td>
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<td>HFT 3403 Accounting for Hosp.</td>
<td>ACG 2021 Financial Acct.</td>
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<td>HFT 3403 Accounting for Hosp (HCC Hospitality grads only)</td>
<td>APA 1111 + APA 1321</td>
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<tr>
<td>FSS 3230 + FSS 4234 (HCC Culinary grads only)</td>
<td>FSS 1941 + FSS 1942 + FSS 1943</td>
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Note: General Education deficiencies taken at FIU will be used as electives and will count as part of the 60 credits required to graduate. Under the new SHM curriculum, a maximum of 9 credits may be used to fulfill these deficiencies. Students lacking more that 9 credits or lacking foreign language will take over 60 credits at FIU.

Note: Students must substitute HFT elective courses at FIU for all waived courses.

* "C" grade required. "C minus" not acceptable.
FLORIDA INTERNATIONAL UNIVERSITY
B.S. DEGREE - HOSPITALITY MANAGEMENT

HCC TRANSFER CREDIT:  64 (Maximum Allowed Under AS to BS Agreement)

FIU CORE REQUIREMENTS:  36 Credits
FSS 3230  Intro. Commercial Foodservice Prod. (waived for culinary grads, substitute HFT elective) (3)
FSS 4234  Advanced Food Production (waived for culinary grads, substitute HFT elective) (3)
HFT 3000  Introduction to Hospitality Management (waived, substitute HFT elective) (3)
HFT 3210  Fundamental of Management (3)
HFT 3403  Accounting for Hospitality Industry (waived for hospitality grads, substitute HFT elective) (3)
HFT 3423  Introduction to Hospitality Information Systems (2nd. Math) (3)
HFT 3503  Hospitality Marketing Strategy (3)
HFT 3603  Law as Related to the Hospitality Industry (Humanities) (3)
or Core substitution if HFT 2600 taken at HCC is taught by a lawyer (3)
HFT 4224  Human Relations in the Hospitality Industry (Soc. Science) (3)
or
HFT 4221  Human Resource Development for Hospitality Industry (Soc. Science) (3)
HFT 4464  Financial Analysis in the Hospitality Industry (3)
HFT 4474  Management Accounting in the Hospitality Industry (3)
HFT 4240  Managing Service Organizations (3)
HFT 4945  Advanced Internship in Hospitality Management (0)

TRACK REQUIREMENTS:  15 Credits (Track to be determined by student)
Core requirements vary depending on track selected

ELECTIVES/GENERAL EDUCATION:  9 Credits
ENC 3311  Advanced Writing and Research (3)
ENC 4240  Report Writing (3)
FOS 4206 or HUN 2201 Principles of Nutrition or Natural Science Elective (3)

**TOTAL =
60 cr. *

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10 cr.
70 cr.

**GRAND TOTAL =
124-134 cr.

* Can be taken at FIU or other accredited college - 2 semesters of same language required.

** Students who do not take MGF 1106 or MAC 1105 at HCC will be required to take additional credits at FIU or at an accredited college.