

Sample Articulation Agreement
Between

Clemson University through its _____ Department and
_____ College

(All Agreements must be reviewed and approved by the Office of Institutional Effectiveness
and the Office of the General Counsel prior to finalization)

Parties: The parties to this Agreement are Clemson University (hereinafter Clemson) and
_____ College (hereinafter _____).

Programs: _____ College Degree Program:

Clemson University Degree Program:

Terms:

This Agreement defines the terms agreed to by the parties regarding holders of an
_____ Degree (if appropriate) from _____ College and their eligibility to
transfer to Clemson University. It is agreed that those individuals who receive a
_____ College's _____ Degree and meet all of the criteria listed below will be
accepted without further review of academic credentials, with junior standing at Clemson
University into the _____ degree program. However, final admission to
Clemson University is still subject to a review of the applicant's
_____ background. This program to program arrangement will be
referred to herein as the PROGRAM.

- I. CRITERIA The criteria that shall be met by students seeking to participate in the PROGRAM are as follows:
 - a. The student will have received the _____ Degree from _____ College on or after the effective date of this Agreement.
 - b. The student will have taken all of the required courses listed in Appendix A and incorporated herein by this reference.
 - c. The student's cumulative grade point ratio at _____ must be _____ or higher.
 - d. A grade of "C", or better, is required in all courses to be applied toward the bachelor's degree.
 - e. Each student at _____ College who intends to participate in this program must sign the "Intent to Participate" form before completing thirty (30) credit hours of the requirements at _____ College. A copy of the "Student Agreement" is attached hereto as Appendix B and incorporated herein by this reference.
 - f. Students opting to participate in this program will be required to meet all Clemson University transfer credit requirements, including general education

courses at the freshman and sophomore levels, in effect at the time of the student's most recent enrollment at _____ College. Admission to Clemson University is still subject to a review of the student's _____.

- g. Students participating in the PROGRAM must apply to Clemson University.
- h. Formal application to Clemson is recommended at least 1 full semester in advance of intended enrollment.

II. BOTH PARTIES Both _____ College and Clemson University agree to the following responsibilities:

- a. Both parties may inform potential students about the program. Examples of possible informational activities may include, but are not limited to, media announcements, brochures or fliers, information sessions for students at _____ College.
- b. An individualized advising plan will be developed by Clemson University and _____ College for each student interested in Clemson's _____ degree in _____. Students participating in the Program will use the Clemson University Undergraduate Announcements in effect at the time of their most recent entry into _____ College.
- c. Students opting to participate in this Program will be required to meet all of the Clemson University transfer credit requirements, including general education courses at the freshman and sophomore levels, in effect at the time of their most recent enrollment at _____ College.
- d. This Agreement will be construed in accordance with the laws of the State of South Carolina.
- e. The parties identify the following contacts for the program:

III. CLEMSON Clemson University through its _____ Department agrees:

- a. Will accept all courses as outlined in Appendix A with a grade of "C" or better, as part of the _____ Degree from _____ College.
- b. Will enroll students into the degree plan for _____ using the Clemson University Undergraduate Announcements in effect during the student's most recent enrollment at _____ College. Transfer credits (C or higher) from _____ College will be used to meet the graduation requirements outlined in Appendix A. (Appendix A will be revised annually, or as necessary to reflect curriculum changes.)

IV. _____ COLLEGE agrees as follows:

- a. It will no longer distribute Intent to Participate forms to students upon receipt of notice of early termination by Clemson.

V. MISCELLANEOUS:

- a. **Effective Date and Term:** This Agreement goes into effect on _____, __, ____ (Month, Day, Year). The term of this Agreement shall be 5 years from the effective date. The parties can renew this agreement by mutual written agreement for additional 5 year terms. Either party can terminate this agreement for any reason with 30 days prior written notice. The Agreement will continue in effect until it is modified by mutual written agreement or terminated by either party. Any "Intent to Participate" form that is signed prior to modification, termination or ending of the term of the Agreement will be honored by the parties.
- b. This Agreement shall be construed in accordance with the laws of the State of South Carolina. Any dispute arising out of this Agreement shall be filed in a state or federal court within the State of South Carolina.

Signatures: The signatures of the authorized representatives identified below indicate agreement to the terms set forth herein.

President
Clemson University
Date: _____

Provost and Vice President
For Academic Affairs
Clemson University

Dean
College of _____

Department Chair,
Department of Biological Sciences
Clemson University
Point of Contact: Physical Address

President
_____ College
Date: _____

Vice President for Academic Affairs
_____ College

Dean
College of _____

Department Chair

Appendix A-SAMPLE

(Should include a list of required courses to be taken at the institution-see example below)

APPENDIX A Accelerated BS in Microbiology-Biomedicine			
Clemson Course Credit	TCTC #	TCTC Course Title	Credit Hrs
ENGL 103	ENG 101	English Composition 1	3
	& ENG 102	English Composition 2	3
	or ENG 103	Accelerated Composition	3
Arts & Humanities (Non-lit requirement)		Choose one course that corresponds with the non-literature list under General Education in the Clemson announcements (see note)	3
Literature requirement		Choose one course that corresponds with the literature list under General Education in the Clemson announcements	3
PSYCH 201	PSY 201	General Psychology	3
non-PSYCH Social Science	non-PSY	Choose one course (excluding psychology) that corresponds with the the social science list under General Education in the Clemson announcements (see note)	3
BIOL103/105 or BIOL 110	BIO 101 or BIO 113	Biological Science I or Principles of Biology I	4 5
BIOL 104/106 or BIOL 111	BIO 102 or BIO 114	Biological Science II or Principles of Biology II	4 5
CHEM 101	CHM 110	College Chemistry I	4
CHEM 102	CHM 111	College Chemistry II	4
CHEM 223/227	CHM 211	Organic Chemistry I	4
CHEM 224/228	CHM 212	Organic Chemistry II	4
COMM 250 or COMM 150	SPC 205 or SPC 200	Public Speaking or Intro to Speech Communications	3 3
MTHSC 106	MAT 140	Analytical Geometry and Calculus I	4
MTHSC 203	MAT 120	Probability and Statistics	3
Genetics Requirement	BIO 203	General Genetics	4
Biochemistry Requirement	CHM 213	Principles of Biochemistry	3
General Microbiology Req	MLT 105 & MLT 205	Medical Microbiology Advanced Microbiology	4 4
Biomedicine Requirement	MLT 210 & MLT 230	Advanced Hematology & Advanced Clinical Chemistry	4 4
Micro 101	MLT 101	Introduction to MLT	2
Electives	Any course at the 100 level or above		12
Note: One course must satisfy the Clemson STS requirement and one the Clemson CCA requirement.			

Sample Appendix B

Intent to Participate Form

By signing below, I _____ - indicate my intent to participate in the

_____ program (hereinafter PROGRAM). I understand that I must meet the following student criteria in order to participate in the PROGRAM:

- a. The student will have received the _____ Degree from _____ College on or after _____.
- b. The student will have taken all of the required courses listed in Appendix A and incorporated herein by this reference.
- c. The student's cumulative grade point ratio at _____ must be _____ or higher.
- d. A grade of "C", or better, is required in all courses to be applied toward the bachelor's degree.
- e. I must complete this form before completing thirty (30) credit hours of the requirements at _____ College.
- f. Students opting to participate in this program will be required to meet all Clemson University transfer credit requirements, including general education courses at the freshman and sophomore levels, in effect at the time of the student's most recent enrollment at _____ College. Admission to Clemson University is still subject to a review of the student's _____.
- g. Students participating in the PROGRAM must apply to Clemson University.
- h. Formal application to Clemson is recommended at least 1 full semester in advance of intended enrollment.
- i. I understand that even if I meet all of the academic criteria noted above, my _____ background must still be reviewed and accepted by Clemson University prior to admission being granted.
- j. By signing below, I agree that all of my academic and discipline records from _____ College can be shared with Clemson University for the purpose of being advised about the PROGRAM. This Agreement to allow for the disclosure of my academic and discipline records will remain in effect until _____. I understand that I may receive a copy of any records disclosed upon my request.

Student Name: _____

Student Signature: _____

Date: _____