

**ARTICULATION AGREEMENT
BETWEEN
MONMOUTH UNIVERSITY AND
BROOKDALE COMMUNITY COLLEGE**

Brookdale Community College and Monmouth University enter into this Articulation Agreement so that students enrolled in the Associate in Science in Environmental Science at Brookdale Community College will be eligible for admission into the Bachelor of Science degree in Marine and Environmental Biology and Policy program at Monmouth University provided the terms and conditions of this Agreement are met.

This agreement provides pre-approval for transferability, but does not assure transfer of every course or transfer at the same unit rate. This agreement is an acknowledgement of the overall program at Monmouth University but does not address specific areas that can be adjusted or changed each semester. A maximum of 72 credits is transferable into Monmouth University from a two-year community college. To facilitate the transfer of eligible Brookdale Community College graduates to Monmouth University, the parties agree to the following:

I. Monmouth University Agrees to:

Monmouth University will award transfer credits for courses listed in the attached sequence chart in which Brookdale Community College students receive a grade of C (2.0) or better.

Monmouth University will consider Brookdale Community College students who do not successfully complete all of the courses listed in the program of study or who pursue a program which does not conform to one of the programs listed in the attached sequence chart on an individual basis.

II. Brookdale Community College Agrees to:

Brookdale Community College will publicize this Articulation Agreement to prospective students in their admissions literature and to inform matriculated students of their conditional admission to Monmouth University under the conditions of this agreement.

Brookdale Community College will inform students of the requirements of Monmouth University's Transfer Admission Process and applicable Deadlines.

III. Admission Requirements:

Admission will be guaranteed to native Brookdale students (i.e., students who have only attended Brookdale for college-level coursework) with a 2.75 cumulative GPA, and at least a 2.5 GPA in the last two semesters of enrollment; students with below these requirements or who have attended multiple institutions may also be considered for admission. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in the forgoing, in order to be admitted into the Bachelor of Science Degree in Marine and Environmental Biology and Policy program, transfer students must also satisfy the following requirements:

- a) Application: Submit an Application with a non-refundable application fee as established by Monmouth University;
- b) Transcripts: Official copy of transcripts from all colleges and universities attended must be provided to Monmouth University;
- c) Academic and Disciplinary Standing: Students must be in good academic and disciplinary standing; and

- d) Deadlines: The Application for the Fall Semester must be submitted by July 15th, and the Application for the Spring Semester must be submitted by December 1st.

Any misrepresentation by a student of his/her qualifications, experience, education, or references shall immediately disqualify a student from any further participation in the Program.

Brookdale Community College Students who are accepted pursuant to the terms of this Agreement will have the opportunity to transfer up to 72 credits towards the B.S. in Marine and Environmental Biology and Policy. Students completing the Brookdale Community College requirements for an Associate in Science Degree in Environmental Science as outlined in the Articulation Agreement will transfer with junior standing.

IV. Mutual Obligations:

Monmouth University and Brookdale Community College will keep each other informed regarding any/all changes in curricula.

Monmouth University and Brookdale Community College will assess this agreement and the Program in *one to two* years with the intent of continuing this agreement and making any necessary adjustments.

Monmouth University and Brookdale Community College will each designate a representative who will coordinate and monitor the Program. Monmouth University and Brookdale Community College agree to provide each other in writing the name and contact information of their representative. Monmouth University and Brookdale Community College further agree to notify each other in writing of any change in representative.

Monmouth University and Brookdale Community College will develop and implement advertising and promotional efforts to attract students to the program.

IV. Indemnification:

Monmouth University agrees to and shall defend, save, hold and keep harmless and indemnify Brookdale Community College and its officers, directors, employees and agents from and against any and all claims, demands, actions, settlements, or judgments, including attorney's fees and litigation expenses, based upon or arising out of activities described in this Agreement, to the extent that such claims, demands, actions, settlements, or judgments are occasioned by the actions or omissions of Monmouth University, its officers, directors, agents or employees.

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V. General Provisions:

Monmouth University and Brookdale Community College will not discriminate on the basis of race, color, religion ancestry, national origin, nationality, sex (including pregnancy and sexual harassment), affectional or sexual orientation, gender identity or expression,

atypical hereditary cellular blood trait, marital status, domestic partnership or civil union status, age, liability for military service, protected veteran status, status as an individual with a mental or physical disability, including AIDS and HIV-related illnesses or other legally protected classes under applicable local, state, or federal law.

The terms of this Agreement shall become effective for students entering Brookdale Community College in fall 2016 and shall continue thereafter unless terminated by either party in accordance with this Agreement.

This Agreement can be terminated by either party by submitting written notice to the other party at least one year before the last class entering the program at Monmouth University. The responsibilities toward students in the program at the time will be honored for the completion of the program.

Any and all notices or other communications required or permitted under this Agreement shall be in writing and shall be deemed to have been duly given if: (i) delivered by hand; (ii) sent by Federal Express or other commercial overnight courier; (iii) sent by tele copier, subject to confirmation of receipt; or (iv) sent postage prepaid by registered or certified mail, return receipt requested, in any event addressed as follows:

As to Brookdale Community College:

Maureen Murphy, Ph.D.
President
Brookdale Community College
Lincroft, NJ 07738

Matthew Reed, Ph.D.
Vice President for Learning
Brookdale Community College
Lincroft, NJ 07738

As to Monmouth University:

Laura Moriarty, Ph.D.
Provost and Vice President for Academic Affairs
Monmouth University
West Long Branch, New Jersey 07764

With copy to:

Charlene K. Diana, Esq.
Associate General Counsel
Monmouth University
West Long Branch, New Jersey 07764

It is understood that this Agreement is not intended to and shall not be construed to create the relationship of agent, servant, employee, partnership, joint venture or association between Monmouth University and Brookdale Community College but is rather an agreement by and between independent contractors.

This Agreement, its Attachments and Addendums shall be binding on the parties and their respective successors and assigns. Neither party shall assign its duties and obligations under this Agreement without the prior written consent of the other party.

This agreement shall be governed by the laws of the State of New Jersey.

This Agreement, its Attachments and Addendums set forth the entire understanding between the parties and no amendments or modifications shall be made to the Agreement, except in writing signed by both parties.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, each of the undersigned has caused this Agreement to be duly executed in its name and on its behalf.

MONMOUTH UNIVERSITY

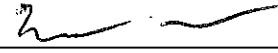
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Date: _____

BROOKDALE COMMUNITY COLLEGE

By: 

Print: Matthew Reed

Title: Vice President for Learning

Date: 10/3/16

By: 

Print: Maureen Murphy

Title: President

Date: 10/4/16

Articulation Agreement
 Monmouth University (MU) and Brookdale Community College (BCC)
 MU B.S. in Marine and Environmental Biology and Policy and BCC A.S. in Environmental Science

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Semester 1

COURSE	TITLE	CREDITS
ENGL121	EN101 College Comp. I	3
MATH171	MA125 Calc.w/Analy.Geom.I	4
BIOL101	BY110 Intro.to Cell&Molec.	4
Social Science	Psych/Soc/Anthr/Pol at 100level	3
ENVR108	BY221 Intro. To Global Sustain.(MEBP)	3
TOTAL		17

Semester 2

COURSE	TITLE	CREDITS
ENGL122	EN102 College Comp. II	3
HIST105	HS101 Western Civilization I	3
BIOL102	BY109 Intro.to Biodiv.&Evol.	4
ENVR107	BY220 Environ Biol. & Policy(MEBP)	4
ENVR 111	PH001 Physics Elective	4
TOTAL		18

Semester 3

COURSE	TITLE	CREDITS
CHEM101	CE111 Gen. Chem. I	3
	CE111 Gen. Chem. I Lab	2
ENVR126	GIS 250 Intro. To Geog. Info. Systems	3
ENGL235 or 236	EN201 or 202 Literature I	3
ENVR225	BY002 Biol. Elect.(MEBP ele.)	3
TOTAL		14

Semester 4

COURSE	TITLE	CREDITS
CHEM102	CE112 Gen. Chem. II	3
	CE112 Gen. Chem. II Lab	2
ENVR130	PH001 Pysics Elective	4
POL1228	Environ. Politics & Policy	3
BIOL208	BY002 Biol. Elect. (MEBP)	4
TOTAL		16

TOTAL CREDITS 65

NOTE : Monmouth University accepts a maximum of 72 credits from a two-year community college. Brookdale students may choose to complete up to seven (7) additional credits prior to matriculating at Monmouth.