UTICA COLLEGE

TRANSFER ARTICULATION AGREEMENT

Utica College
Criminal Justice (BS)

and

Onondaga Community College
Criminal Justice (AS)

April 2, 2018

Utica College and Onondaga Community College, in recognition of a mutual respect for the integrity of parallel academic programs and in an effort to better serve students intending to pursue the completion of a bachelor's degree, hereby enter into an agreement of articulated degree programs.

OBJECTIVES:

To encourage the transfer of qualified students from Onondaga Community College (OCC) to Utica College (UC).

To award academic credit for courses completed at OCC, that meet the terms of the Associate Degree programs for application toward the requirements a Bachelor of Arts or a Bachelor of Science at UC.

To provide effective and concise guidelines for students seeking to transfer to UC. Students will have accurate and clear information regarding the transfer of their coursework and credits toward the Bachelor's degree at UC.

TERMS OF THE TRANSFER ARTICULATION AGREEMENT:

UC guarantees the acceptance of students who completed an Associate Degree at OCC with a cumulative GPA of 2.5 or better to UC. Transfer students who do not meet these criteria will be evaluated individually.

This agreement assumes the completion of the Associate Degree. UC requires that the last 30 credit hours granted toward the Bachelor degree must be earned in residence, with matriculated status. Additionally, the Bachelor of Arts degree requires that a *minimum of 90 credits must be in the liberal arts* while the Bachelor of Science requires a *minimum of 60 credits must be in the liberal arts*.

OCC transfer Students will be subject to all general education requirements of UC as set forth in the UC catalog.

   Transfer students with a completed Associates Degree will be exempt from Components I & II of UC's Core Requirements.

   Students who transfer 30 credits of liberal arts and sciences (with at least 2 courses in each of UC's three categories of Component II Core—including one lab science course) will be exempt from Component II Core.

   Transfer Students who enter UC with Components I & II complete will be required to complete 3 credits of Component III: Integrated Writing.

This document is based upon the evaluation of course descriptions presented to UC. Courses will transfer to UC provided a grade of "C" or better has been earned. Credit will be granted where the coursework is comparable to that offered at UC or as general elective and/or liberal arts credit.

This Agreement shall remain in effect for a period of two years from the date listed below, with the provision that the terms specified herein will continue to apply to the students admitted from OCC within one year of the expiration of the agreement. Each institution agrees to provide timely notice to the other in the event of any modification to the curriculum that might affect the compatibility for admission and transfer of coursework. This agreement may be subject to change, without notice, if curriculum requirements change at either institution. Students admitted to OCC prior to such notification shall be admitted to UC on the basis of this agreement.
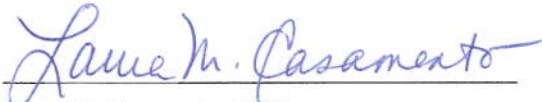
BENEFITS/ADVANTAGES:

OCC transfer students are eligible for scholarship and financial aid in all ways the same as continuing Utica College students.

Utica College will provide housing in campus residence halls within the guidelines and practices governing availability of housing for continuing students.

OCC transfer students are eligible to participate in internships, externships, co-ops, field placements and study abroad opportunities open to continuing Utica College students.
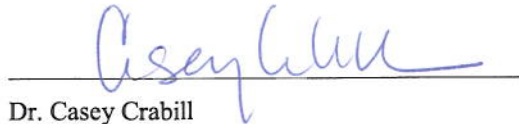
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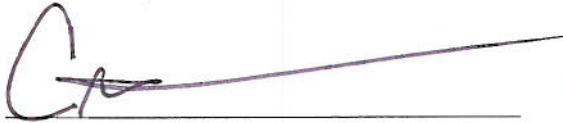
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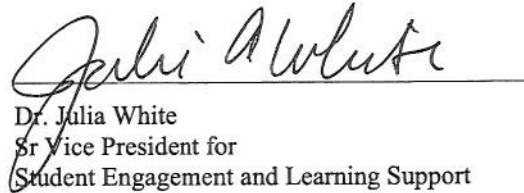
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Criminal Justice (A.S.)		Utica College Equivalents	
First Semester	Credits		Credits
COM 100 Introduction to Communication or COM 210 Public Speaking	3	Communication Liberal Arts Elective or CMM 103 Intro to Public Speaking	3
CRJ 101 Justice System	3	CRJ 103 Intro to Criminal Justice	3
MAT 118 Exploring Statistics	3	MAT 112 Basic Statistics	3
ENG 103 Freshman Composition and Literature I	3	ENG 101 Written Communication I	3
SOC 103 Introductory Sociology	3	SOC 151 Introduction to Sociology	3
Total Credits:	15		
Second Semester	Credits		Credits
CRJ 226 Law Enforcement Process	3	CRJ 212 American Policing	3
ENG 104 Freshman Composition and Literature II	3	ENG 102 Written Communication II	3
PSY 103 General Psychology	3	PSY 101 Introduction to Psychology	3
CRJ 215 Criminal Law	3	GOV 341 Jurisprudence of Criminal Law	3
HIS 104 History of Western Civilization or HIS 107 Modern American History	3	HIS 165 Europe and the World or History Elective	3
Total Credits:	15		
Third Semester	Credits		Credits
CRJ 201 Criminology	3	SOC 274 Criminology	3
CRJ 220 Corrections Process	3	CRJ 224 American Corrections	3
SUNY Gen. Ed. (Foreign Language, Other World Civilizations, or The Arts)	3	Liberal Arts Elective	3
SUNY Gen. Ed. Natural Sciences with Lab	4	Science Liberal Arts Elective	4
PHI 108 Ethics (recommended) or CRJ 202 Ethics and Criminal Justice	3	PHI 107 Ethics or CRJ 208 Ethics in Criminal Justice	3
Total Credits:	16		
Fourth Semester	Credits		Credits
Criminal Justice Elective or SUNY Gen. Ed. Elective (if CRJ 202 taken)	3	Elective Credit	3
SUNY Gen. Ed. Elective	3	Elective Credit	3
Criminal Justice Elective	3	Criminal Justice Elective	3
Liberal Arts Elective	3	Liberal Arts Elective	3
English Elective (200 level Literature course)	3	English Credit	3
Total Credits:	15		
Total Program Credits:	61	Max Allowed for Transfer	60

Criminal Justice (B.S.) - Hegis Code 2105

(Bachelor of Science Degree)

Criminal justice is the study of crime, its causes, and its effects on society. It is concerned with preventing and deterring criminal behavior, rehabilitating the offender, and providing a system where justice and rights are served. Graduates of the program have opportunities in a variety of criminal justice fields including policing, law, probation, juvenile services, private security, public administration/planning, counseling, research, and regulatory enforcement.

Utica College offers an on-ground undergraduate program in Criminal Justice; there is also an undergraduate online program for transfer students. The online BS in Criminal Justice degree is a completion program, which means that students must have an Associate's degree from an accredited institution prior to enrolling in the program. Students transferring into this program without an Associate's degree, but who have at least 57 transferable credits from a four-year institution may be considered. Additionally, students who show academic promise and don't meet the prior 2 requirements may also be considered. However all students must meet the New York State Education Department's mandated liberal arts requirements. A success coach will create an academic plan for students to ensure all core, liberal arts and graduation requirements are satisfied. Please see Utica's Academic Requirements for more information on Utica's Core and liberal arts requirements for transfer students.

In addition to entry level employment opportunities, graduates may pursue advanced study in fields such as public administration, criminal justice and criminology, management, and law.

Total credit hours required for degree: 120

Learning Objectives

A student who graduates from the program will be able to demonstrate the following:
- Demonstrate knowledge of key criminal justice and criminological concepts, processes, and issues, including major legal terms, considerations, and landmark cases.
- Describe major criminological theories in terms of the cause(s) and control(s) of crime, considering the community.
- Exhibit critical thinking about crime and criminal justice policy claims and issues, with an emphasis on questioning the credibility of claims and statistics.
- Articulate how research is used to test hypotheses and inform policy decisions, including the design of evaluation studies.
- Describe how ethics influence the exercise of discretion in the field of criminal justice as well as in the conduct of criminological research.
- Communicate effectively about crime and the criminal justice system, including written and oral communication and technology proficiency.
- Demonstrate an understanding of what effective employment in a criminal justice setting involves, such as working with diverse others and professionalism.
- Articulate how economic and cybercrime influence traditional forms of crime and the criminal justice system's response to them.

The faculty have identified several advising specializations, groups of courses within the elective offerings that provide students with a focused path of study. Elective specializations are not formal parts of the curriculum but options within the elective section of the program. Students do not have to focus on a specialization but can with the consent of their advisor, simply elect to take courses that meet their needs or interests. The specializations identified by the faculty are:

- Criminal Justice
- Cybercriminology and Policy
- Homeland Security
- Legal Issues in Criminal Justice
- Public Policy and Leadership
- White-Collar Crime

Special Requirements

Students in criminal justice are required to achieve a cumulative grade point average of at least 2.5 (on a 4.0 scale) across major, major-related, major elective, and major concentration courses by the first semester of their junior year and to maintain that average thereafter.

Academic Requirements

See Core section of the Utica College catalog.

Core: 34-55 Credit Hours

Major Course Requirements

	OCC Equivalent	Credits
CRJ 103 - Introduction to Criminal Justice (3)	CRJ 101	3
CRJ 208 - Ethics in Criminal Justice (3)	CRJ 202	3
CRJ 222 - Criminal Justice Communications (3)		

10 Credit Hours

Major-Related Requirements

	OCC Equivalent	Credits
Select one:		
CRJ 107 - Computer Hardware and Peripherals (3)		
CRJ 228 - Cyber Technologies for Criminal Justice (3)	CFS 140**	3
CSC 217 - Computer Programming for Business Applications (3)		
Select one:		
CRJ 212 - Policing Theory and Practice (3)	CRJ108** or CRJ 226	3
CRJ 224 - Corrections Theory and Practice (3)	CRJ 220	3
CRJ 235 - Courts Theory and Practice (3)		
Select one:		
CRJ 327 - Assessing Evidence in Criminal Justice (3)		
CRJ 358 - Introduction to Intelligence Studies (3)		
Select one:		
CRJ 334 - Economic Crime Investigation (3)		
CRJ 337 - Computer Network Investigations (3)		
CRJ 347 - Fraud Prevention and Detection Technologies (3)		
Select one:		
CRJ 342 - Law and Justice (3)		
GOV 341 - Jurisprudence of the Criminal Law (3)	CRJ 215	3
Select one:		
MAT 112 - Basic Statistics (3)	MAT 118	3
PSY 211 - Statistics in the Behavioral Sciences (3)		
SOC 211 - Statistics in the Behavioral Sciences (3)		
ECN 241 - Statistics (3)		
PSY 101 - Introduction to Psychology (3)	PSY 103	3
SOC 274 - Criminology (3)	CRJ 201	3
SOC 376 - Criminological Research Methods (3)		

Major Related Requirements Continued on Next Page

Professional Development

	OCC Equivalent	Credits
CRJ 461 - Proseminar in Justice Studies (3)		
CRJ 470 - Criminal Justice - Internship (6 to 15)		
(6 credits only. Departmental permission required)		
or		
CRJ 475 - Senior Project (3) *(Permission of Advisor required)*		

33-36 Credit Hours

Criminal Justice Specialization

Four courses are needed to complete a specialization, with no more than one course per specialization at the 200 level and at least two CRJ courses per specialization and one from outside CRJ (wherever possible).

Criminal Justice

	OCC Equivalent	Credits
CRJ 103 - Introduction to Criminal Justice (3)	CRJ 101	3
CRJ 208 - Ethics in Criminal Justice (3)	CRJ 202	3
CRJ 212 - Policing Theory and Practice (3)	CRJ108** or CRJ 226	3
CRJ 221 - Issues in Juvenile Justice (3)	CRJ 106** or CRJ 206**	3
CRJ 224 - Corrections Theory and Practice (3)	CRJ 220	3
CRJ 235 - Courts Theory and Practice (3)		
CRJ 250 - Community Corrections and Sentencing Alternatives (3)		
CRJ 303 - Policing Communities (3)		
CRJ 345 - Criminal Evidence (3)		
CRJ 351 - International Criminal Justice: Issues and Comparisons (3)		
CRJ 382 - Administrative Issues in Criminal Justice (3)		

Cybercriminology and Policy

	OCC Equivalent	Credits
CRJ 228 - Cyber Technologies for Criminal Justice (3)	CFS 140**	3
CRJ 232 - Economic Crime Theory (3)		
SOC 274 - Criminology (3)	CRJ 201	3
CRJ 305 - Terrorism (3)	CFS/CRJ 210**	3
CRJ 307 - Homeland Security and Counter Terrorism (3)		
CRJ 337 - Computer Network Investigations (3)		
CRJ 347 - Fraud Prevention and Detection Technologies (3)		
CRJ 423 - Evidence-based Crime Policy (3)		
CRJ 358 - Introduction to Intelligence Studies (3)		
or		
GOV 161 - Introduction to International Politics (3)		

Major Electives

Choose from the following, (only two 200-level will apply):	OCC Equivalent	Credits
CRJ 212 - Policing Theory and Practice (3)	CRJ108** or CRJ 226	3
CRJ 218 - Local Crime Lore (1)		
CRJ 221 - Issues in Juvenile Justice (3)	CRJ 106** or CRJ 206**	3
CRJ 224 - Corrections Theory and Practice (3)	CRJ 220	3
CRJ 232 - Economic Crime Theory (3)		
CRJ 235 - Courts Theory and Practice (3)		
CRJ 250 - Community Corrections and Sentencing Alternatives (3)		
CRJ 263 - APA Style (1)		
CRJ 265 - Writing with Evidence (1)		
CRJ 267 - Editing (1)		
CRJ 275 - Meth Labs and Laws (3)		
CRJ 300 - Select Topics: Criminal Justice (1 to 3)		
CRJ 303 - Policing Communities (3)		
CRJ 305 - Terrorism (3)	CFS/CRJ 210**	3
CRJ 307 - Homeland Security and Counter Terrorism (3)		
CRJ 311 - Emergency Management (3)		
CRJ 313 - Corruption and Organized Crime (3)	CRJ 212**	3
CRJ 314 - Modern Techniques in Crime Investigation (3)		
CRJ 316 - Crime & Justice in Literature (1)		
CRJ 321 - White-collar Criminology (3)		
CRJ 324 - Violence in the Workplace (3)		
CRJ 334 - Economic Crime Investigation (3)		
CRJ 335 - Cybercrime Law and Investigations (3)	CFS 232**	3
CRJ 343 - Law of Economic Crime (3)		
CRJ 345 - Criminal Evidence (3)		
CRJ 351 - International Criminal Justice: Issues and Comparisons(3)		
CRJ 382 - Administrative Issues in Criminal Justice (3)		
CRJ 490 - Independent Study (1 to 6)		

12 Credit Hours

Electives

The student must complete sufficient elective courses to earn at least the minimum credit hours required for this degree, and at least 60 credit hours of the 120 required must be in the liberal arts and sciences.

Note:

* Students who want information about the criminal justice retention policy should consult with their academic adviser.
**These classes indicate additional equivalent courses that may be transferred that are not expressly part of the Associate's Curriculum. Some classes taken, that are not listed here, may also be accepted. They may be transferred in place of other credits taken in the Associate's program, up to a total of 60 credits.

Homeland Security

	OCC Equivalent	Credits
CRJ 212 - Policing Theory and Practice (3)	CRJ108** or CRJ 226	3
CRJ 305 - Terrorism (3)	CFS/CRJ 210**	3
CRJ 307 - Homeland Security and Counter Terrorism (3)		
CRJ 311 - Emergency Management (3)		
CRJ 328 - Security Administration (3)		
CRJ 333 - Information Security (3)		
CRJ 336 - Information Privacy (3)		
CRJ 351 - International Criminal Justice: Issues and Comparisons(3)		
GOV 161 - Introduction to International Politics (3)		

Legal Issues in Criminal Justice

	OCC Equivalent	Credits
CRJ 208 - Ethics in Criminal Justice (3)	CRJ 202	3
CRJ 212 - Policing Theory and Practice (3)	CRJ108** or CRJ 226	3
CRJ 235 - Courts Theory and Practice (3)		
CRJ 335 - Cybercrime Law and Investigations (3)	CFS 232**	3
CRJ 342 - Law and Justice (3)		
CRJ 343 - Law of Economic Crime (3)		
CRJ 345 - Criminal Evidence (3)		
GOV 341 - Jurisprudence of the Criminal Law (3)	CRJ 215	3
GOV 345 - Constitutional Law in the Governmental Process (3)		
GOV 366 - International Criminal Law (3)		

Public Policy and Leadership

		Credits
CRJ 382 - Administrative Issues in Criminal Justice (3)		
CRJ 423 - Evidence-based Crime Policy (3)		
GOV 221 - State and Local Government (3)		
GOV 235 - Civil Rights, Public Policy, and Social Change (3)		
GOV 332 - Public Administration (3)		
GOV 333 - American Public Policy (3)		
MGT 201 - Principles of Organization and Management (3)	BUS 230**	3
PHI 305 - Ethical Issues in Contemporary Science and Technology (3)		
PHI 345 - Political Ethics (3)		
PHI 385 - Healthcare Ethics (3)		
SOC 252 - Race and Ethnicity (3)	SOC 211**	3

White-Collar Crime

		Credits
CRJ 232 - Economic Crime Theory (3)		
SOC 274 - Criminology (3)	CRJ 201	3
CRJ 313 - Corruption and Organized Crime (3)	CRJ 212**	3
CRJ 321 - White-collar Criminology (3)		
CRJ 334 - Economic Crime Investigation (3)		
CRJ 343 - Law of Economic Crime (3)		
CRJ 347 - Fraud Prevention and Detection Technologies (3)		
CRJ 354 - Payment Systems and Fraud (3)		

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