



Articulation Agreement

Southern New Hampshire University and Colorado Community College System (CCCS)

**Arapahoe Community College
Colorado Northwestern Community College
Community College of Aurora
Community College of Denver
Front Range Community College
Lamar Community College
Morgan Community College
Northeastern Junior College
Otero Junior College
Pikes Peak Community College
Pueblo Community College
Red Rocks Community College
Trinidad State Junior College**

I. PURPOSE

Southern New Hampshire University (SNHU) and the State of Colorado, Department of Higher Education, State Board for Community Colleges and Occupational Education, for the use and benefit of The Colorado Community College System (CCCS), in the spirit of academic cooperation, and in order to facilitate the transfer of graduates within The Colorado Community College System (CCCS), to Southern New Hampshire University - College of Online and Continuing Education (SNHU-COCE), hereby do enter into an academic articulation agreement. Successful implementation of the Agreement is dependent upon communication of its content to all involved participants and the assumption of responsibility by both institutions for such communications.

The purpose of this Articulation Agreement is to acknowledge that, following completion of an associates degree within The Colorado Community College System (CCCS), students may transfer all the credits from the degree to a Southern New Hampshire University Bachelor of Arts in General Studies online, or per the equivalency tables, to an undergraduate degree program that coincides with their associate's degree, as long as the following criteria are met.

II. TRANSFER PATHWAY(S)

1. SNHU College of Online and Continuing Education welcomes students who wish to transfer from The Colorado Community College System (CCCS).



College of Online and Continuing Education

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2. As SNHU is regionally accredited, all academic course work in which a student has earned a grade of “C-” or higher is fully transferable based on the attached course equivalents. Academic course work in which a student has earned a “C-” or better will transfer provided the GPA of transferring coursework is a 2.0 or higher. Up to 90 credits may be accepted in transfer toward a bachelor degree program.
3. **Based on the course equivalency tables attached (see Appendix 1),** SNHU College of Online and Continuing Education guarantees transferability of all credits outlined in the following Colorado Community College System (CCCS), associate's degrees to their corresponding SNHU-COCE bachelor's degrees in the articulation guides that follow.

- **AA/AS Liberal Arts to SNHU BA Communication**
- **AA/AS Liberal Arts to SNHU BA Psychology**
- **AA/AS Liberal Arts to SNHU BA Graphic Design**
- **AA Business transfer to SNHU BS Business Management**
- **AA/AS/AAS/AGS to SNHU BA General Studies**
- **AAS Degrees in Architectural Engineering, Automotive Collision Repair Technology, Computer Aided Drafting, Construction Management, Energy Management Technology, Engineering Graphics Technology, Game Design Technology, HVAC Technology, Industrial Energy Technology, Industrial Technology, Renewable Energy, Master Automobile Diesel Degree Oil and Gas Technologies, Power Technology, Water Q Management Technology, Welding Technology, Wind Energy Technology**
- **Front Range AAS Nursing to SNHU BS Nursing**
- **AAS Various Allied Health to SNHU BS Health Sciences**
 - **Arapahoe CC Med Lab Tech**
 - **Arapahoe CC Mortuary Science**
 - **Arapahoe Physical Therapy Assistant**
 - **Community College of Aurora Paramedicine**
 - **Community College of Denver Dental Hygiene**
 - **Community College of Denver Radiologic Technology**
 - **Community College of Denver Veterinary Technology**
 - **Front Range CC Holistic Health**
 - **Front Range CC Medical Assisting**
 - **Front Range CC Veterinary Technology**
 - **Morgan CC Medical Office Assistant**
 - **Morgan CC Physical Therapy Assistant**
 - **Morgan CC Radiology Technology**
 - **Northeastern CC Emergency Medical Services**
 - **Pikes Peak CC Allied Health Services**
 - **Pikes Peak CC Dental Assisting**
 - **Pikes Peak CC Emergency Medical Services**

- **Pikes Peak CC Medical Office Technology**
- **Pikes Peak CC Pharmacy Tech**
- **Red Rocks CC Medical Assisting**
- **Red Rocks CC Medical Sonography**
- **Red Rocks CC Radiological Technology**
- **Trinidad CC Emergency Medical**

1. Additionally, and upon a student's admission to the university, SNHU College of Online and Continuing Education guarantees transferability of a minimum of 60 credits outlined in any Colorado Community College System (CCCS), Associate of Arts, Associate of Science, Associate of General Studies or Associate of Applied Science degrees to the SNHU Bachelor of Arts in General Studies.
2. Students transferring from The Colorado Community College System (CCCS), may enroll at SNHU College of Online and Continuing Education as full or part time students. The Bachelor of Arts in General Studies program is only offered online.
3. Military students enrolling at SNHU College of Online and Continuing Education may transfer up to 90 hours for a bachelor's with unlimited CLEP, DANTES and Excelsior credits--providing students meet residency requirements.

III. TERMS

1. Because of this agreement to articulate, and provided the individual identifies a college within The Colorado Community College System (CCCS), on his or her application form, eligible graduates, employees and the immediate family of employees (spouses, domestic partners, children, siblings and parents) will receive a ten (10%) percent tuition reduction at Southern New Hampshire University - College of Online and Continuing Education, applicable as of the date this Agreement is fully executed by the parties below. In addition, those eligible graduates, employees and immediate family of employees who enroll in Southern New Hampshire University's online graduate program will receive a waiver of the application fee normally required by Southern New Hampshire University - College of Online and Continuing Education. No application fee waiver, tuition credit or refund shall be made retroactively for any eligible employee, their family member or alumnus already enrolled at SNHU College of Online and Continuing Education on the date of execution of this Agreement; however, the tuition reduction shall be applied to such eligible employees, their family members or graduates for course enrollments following the execution of this Agreement. Programs offered at military tuition assistance levels are not subject to this reduction. The Colorado Community College System (CCCS), employees, their family members and graduates must inform SNHU College of Online and Continuing Education admissions representatives about their affiliation to receive their tuition reduction.

- SNHU College of Online and Continuing Education may change its tuition rates at any time at its sole discretion and the reduction will be calculated based on the current tuition in effect for the applicable academic term for the enrolled program. Eligible employees and alumni shall not be entitled to any other reduction and are subject to all other admission and continuation requirements as set forth in the respective Southern New Hampshire University policies and catalogs.
2. Southern New Hampshire University - College of Online and Continuing Education agrees to provide The Colorado Community College System (CCCS), at their request, an annual update of student enrollment and academic progress, to include general data on how many students have transferred to SNHU College of Online and Continuing Education.
 3. This Agreement is effective as of the date of the fully executed document, and shall continue until terminated. Both parties must approve amendments to the Agreement in writing. Either party may terminate the Agreement without cause upon 90 days written notice to the other party. Notwithstanding the foregoing, either party may terminate the Agreement immediately in the event that participation under the Agreement may give rise to a violation of any requirement of federal or state law or regulation or the requirements of any accrediting agency having jurisdiction.
 4. Admission criteria, academic requirements, and other admission requirements will be subject to the applicable Catalog at the time of the students' admission. Students who have begun their SNHU program of study or students in the process of enrolling into SNHU prior to the effective date of any without cause termination will be grandfathered in to continue receiving the discount offered in this Agreement until such time such students complete or discontinue enrollment in their program.
 5. This Articulation Agreement is based on the current curriculum of both educational institutions. Each institution is responsible for notifying the other of any substantive changes to the curriculum. This agreement shall be reviewed by both institutions annually.
 6. The parties grant to each other a non-exclusive, non-transferable license to use each other's trademarks and servicemarks in furtherance of the articulation coordination detailed herein or in a manner solely for the purpose of identifying and communicating the existence of the relationship to The Colorado Community College System (CCCS) students and alumni. Use of trademarks, servicemarks and logos will comply with use policies of the originating institution. The parties shall discontinue the use of the licensed marks and return any and all files and materials containing the licensed marks supplied by the owner at termination or expiration of the Agreement. Neither party grants to the other any interest in the other party's trademarks. Should either originating institution request, in writing, that a particular use of the originating

- institution's trademarks and/or servicemarks be discontinued, the non-originating institution shall cease and desist such use of the trademarks and/or servicemarks.
7. The Colorado Community College System (CCCS) agrees to notify students of transfer opportunities to SNHU College of Online and Continuing Education, to collaborate with SNHU College of Online and Continuing Education on other forms of transfer communication and to host SNHU representatives on campus for recruitment activities during the academic school year.
 8. The parties hereto will have the relationship of independent contractors for all purposes. Each will have complete control over its own performance and the details for accomplishing its own obligations under this Agreement. In no event will the agents, representatives or employees of one party be deemed to be agents, representatives or employees of the other.
 9. This Agreement may be executed by a duly authorized representative of each party, either by electronic or facsimile transmission, each of which will be considered an original.

IV. CONTACTS FOR COORDINATION:

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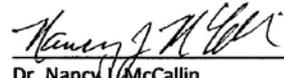
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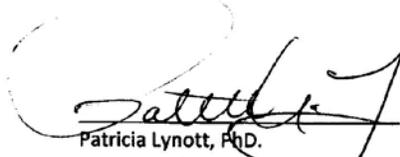
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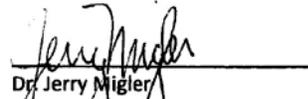
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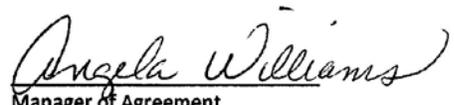

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