

**ACADEMIC PROGRAM ARTICULATION 2+2 AGREEMENT BETWEEN
 ANNE ARUNDEL COMMUNITY COLLEGE
 AND
 GOUCHER COLLEGE
 REGARDING TRANSFER FROM THE ASSOCIATE OF APPLIED SCIENCE AT
 ANNE ARUNDEL COMMUNITY COLLEGE TO THE BACHELOR OF
 PROFESSIONAL STUDIES AT GOUCHER COLLEGE**

This Academic Program Articulation Agreement (“Agreement”) is entered into on this 1st day of September 2019 by and between ANNE ARUNDEL COMMUNITY COLLEGE (the “Sending Institution”) and GOUCHER COLLEGE (the “Receiving Institution”) (collectively, the “Institutions”) to facilitate the transfer of academic credits from the following Associate of Applied Science (AAS) programs at Anne Arundel Community College towards the completion of the Bachelor of Professional Studies (BPS) degree at Goucher College:

AAS PROGRAM	HEGIS	CIP	BPS TRANSFER	HEGIS	CIP
Financial Accounting	500201	520302	Business Management	500101	520201
Business Management	500101	520201	Business Management	500101	520201
Computer Information Systems	510101	521201	Business Management	500101	520201
Construction Management	531700	522001	Business Management	500101	520201
Cybercrime	550505	430103	Criminal Justice	550505	430103
Forensic Studies	550503	430107	Criminal Justice	550505	430103
Homeland Security Management	500108	520299	Criminal Justice	550505	430103
Information Assurance and Cyber Security	510102	111003	Criminal Justice	550505	430103
Juvenile Justice	550506	430107	Criminal Justice	550505	430103
Law Enforcement and Criminal Justice	550501	430107	Criminal Justice	550505	430103
Paralegal Studies	559901	220302	Criminal Justice	550505	430103
Database Administration	510101	521201	Business Management	500101	520201
Entrepreneurship	500425	520701	Business Management	500101	520201
Hotel and Restaurant Management	501001	520904	Business Management	500101	520201
Early Childhood Development	550301	131210	Early Childhood Education	550301	190708
Medical Assisting	521402	510801	Health Services	120200	510701
Medical Laboratory Technician	520501	511004	Health Services	120200	510701
Massage Therapy	519916	150701	Health Services	120200	510701
Emergency Medical Technician-Paramedic	529910	511004	Health Services	120200	510701
Physical Therapy Assistant	521901	510806	Health Services	120200	510701
Radiologic Technology	520701	510907	Health Services	120200	510701

Health Information Technology	521301	510707	Health Services	120200	510701
Surgical Technology	521100	510909	Health Services	120200	510701
Addictions Counseling	521600	511501	Human Services	521601	511502
Human Services	521601	511502	Human Services	521601	511502

A. Qualifying Students

This Agreement pertains to the transfer of “Qualifying Students”, *i.e.*, those students who:

1. Have successfully completed an aforementioned parallel AAS program (all program concentrations are considered) at Anne Arundel Community College;
2. Are enrolled in Anne Arundel Community College, in good standing; and
3. Are accepted for admission at Goucher College.

Application process for Qualifying Students:

1. Completion of the online application.
2. Submission of an official copy of their conferred Anne Arundel Community College transcript.
3. There is no GPA requirement for admission into Goucher’s Bachelor of Professional Studies program.

A. Responsibilities of the Institutions

The Institutions agree to implement the transfer of Qualifying Students in accordance with applicable law and the following requirements and protocols:

1. A Qualifying Student may transfer from Anne Arundel Community College into Goucher College for the completion of the Bachelor of Professional Studies degree.
2. Tuition Rates for the BPS program are:
 - \$300 per credit
 - \$275 technology fee assessed during the fall and spring semesters.
3. Goucher College shall provide annual transfer reports to Anne Arundel Community College. Transfer reports will include data on Anne Arundel Community College transfer students that are currently enrolled at Goucher College. Transfer reports should include: student demographics, number of credits transferred, program of study, scholarship awardees, number of conferred bachelor’s degrees, number of reverse transfer students, and other pertinent information.
4. During the term of this Agreement, Goucher College and Anne Arundel Community College shall develop and agree upon a mutually acceptable marketing and student recruitment plan to promote this Agreement and transfer pathways to inform students of the opportunities available. Any and all marketing, promotional or publication materials developed by one party must be reviewed and approved in writing by the other party prior to use of any such materials. Anne Arundel Community College agrees to promote transfer pathways to Anne Arundel Community College students by allowing Goucher College to place marketing materials in student service centered departments on campus and on the Anne Arundel

Community College Transfer Agreements website
(<https://www.aacc.edu/resources/academic-services/transfer-services/transfer-agreements/>).

5. Goucher College will accept the full AAS degree awarded from Anne Arundel Community College in one of the AAS programs listed above (60 credits total) as completion of the first two years of the Bachelor of Professional Studies program at Goucher College. Should a student complete more than 60 credits within an AAS program at Anne Arundel Community College, Goucher College will accept the total and apply additional credits in lieu of Goucher College Core Courses.
6. The Qualifying student will complete an additional 60 credits online through Goucher College, with no residency requirement to fulfill during the third and fourth years of the BPS program. Students will take 30 credits of BPS Core and 30 credits from their selected major. These additional courses shall consist of the following:

BPS Core Courses (30 cr)

BPS 300	Introduction to Professional Studies
BPS 330	Digital and Professional Communication
BPS 350	<i>Critical Thinking, Research & Presentation (3)</i>
BPS 370	Technology for Information-Based Orgs.
BPS 390	Ethics in Professional Life (3)
BPS 440	<i>The Legal Environment (3)</i>
BPS 450	Leadership in the Workplace (3)
BPS 460	Human Diversity in Social Contexts (3)
BPS 480	Public Advocacy and Negotiation (3)
BPS 490	Professional Internship (3)

BPS Major Courses (30 cr)

Students select one of the following three major areas:

Business Management

BMT 410	Entrepreneurship and New Ventures (3)
BMT 420	Small Business Management (3)
BMT 425	Business Leadership (3)
BMT 435	Innovation and Design Thinking (3)
BMT 445	Global Social Entrepreneurship (3)
BMT 455	Finance (3)
BMT 465	Marketing in a Global Context (3)
BMT 475	Human Resources in the Business Organization (3)
BMT 485	Strategic Planning (3)
BMT 495	Current Topics for the Business Manager (3)

Early Childhood Education – Special Education

ECE 410	Home, School, and Community (3)
ECE 420	Teaching Young Children with Disabilities (3)
ECE 425	Interventions in Early Childhood (3)
ECE 435	Motor Development, Expressive Arts, and Socialization (3)
ECE 445	Assessment in Early Childhood Intervention (3)

ECE 455	Differentiating Instruction (3)
ECE 465	Technology in Special Education (3)
ECE 475	Teaching English as a Second Language & Assessing Language Competency (3)
ECE 485	Center Management, Leadership, and Supervision (3)
ECE 495	Observation and Supervised Teaching in Early Childhood Education (3)

Health Services Management

HSM 410	Health Services Management (3)
HSM 420	Legal and Ethical Decision-Making in Health Services (3)
HSM 425	Health Informatics and Data Management (3)
HSM 435	Technology for the Health Services Industry (3)
HSM 445	Management of Health Services (3)
HSM 455	Compliance, Quality, and Customer Service (3)
HSM 465	Health Services and Public Policy (3)
HSM 475	Budget and Finance in Health Services Management (3)
HSM 485	Human Resource Management in Health Services (3)
HSM 495	Special Topics for the Health Services Manager (3)

Criminal Justice

CRJ 410	Criminal Justice Systems and Practice (3)
CRJ 420	Theories of Crime and Justice (3)
CRJ 425	Criminal Law and Criminal Procedure (3)
CRJ 435	Police and Society (3)
CRJ 445	Corrections (3)
CRJ 455	Research Methods in Criminal Justice (3)
CRJ 465	Crime Analysis and Report Writing (3)
CRJ 475	Ethics in Criminal Justice (3)
CRJ 485	Criminal Justice Assessment (3)
CRJ 495	Seminar: Contemporary Issues in Criminal Justice (3)

Human Services

HUS 410	Human Services Delivery Systems (3)
HUS 420	Chemical Dependency and Treatment Approaches (3)
HUS 425	Mental Health and Counseling (3)
HUS 435	Children, Family, and Community-based Services in Human Services (3)
HUS 445	Gerontology in Human Services (3)
HUS 455	Case Management Practice and Principles (3)
HUS 465	Crisis Intervention and Ethics in Human Services (3)
HUS 475	Social Policies and Advocacy in Human Services (3)
HUS 485	Evaluation and Program Planning in Human Services (3)
HUS 495	Field Experience and Seminar in Human Services (3)

7. Goucher College shall designate, and shall provide to Anne Arundel Community College, the contact information for a staff person at Goucher College who is responsible for the oversight of the transfer of Qualifying Students. The Anne Arundel Community College shall

designate, and shall provide to the Receiving Institution, the contact information for a staff person at the Anne Arundel Community College who is responsible for the oversight of the transfer of Qualifying Students.

	Anne Arundel Community College	Goucher College
Name of staff person responsible for oversight	Mr. Marcus Wright	Ms. Alexis Rudolph
Title of staff person	Director of Transfer, Articulation and Career Alignment	Associate Director of Recruitment
Email address	mwright22@aacc.edu	Lexi.rudolph@goucher.edu
Telephone Number	410-777-2777	410-337-6110

Should the staff person or position change, the institution will promptly provide new contact information to the partner institution and inform the Maryland Higher Education Commission of the change.

Additional contact information:

Dean or Program Director(s)	Anne Arundel Community College	Goucher College
Name of person	Dr. Alycia Marshall	Dr. Kathryn Doherty
Title of person	Associate Vice President for Learning and Academic Affairs	Associate Provost
Email address	aamarshall@aacc.edu	kathryn.doherty@goucher.edu
Telephone Number	410-777-2776	410-337-6208

8. If the Qualifying Student is using federal Title 38 VA Education Benefits (GI Bill® Education Benefits), the Institutions shall adhere to all applicable U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs' regulations, including the regulations governing the awarding of prior credit, as regulated under Title 38, Code of Federal Regulations, Sections 21.4253(d)(3) and 21.4254(c)(4).
9. Each Institution shall adhere to all applicable transfer requirements set forth in the Annotated Code of Maryland and the Code of Maryland Regulations.
10. Each Institution shall advise students regarding transfer opportunities under this Agreement, and shall advise students of financial aid opportunities and implications associated with the transfer.
11. Should either Institution make changes to program requirements, the institution will inform the partner institution in writing immediately. The articulation agreement should be updated to reflect the changes and forwarded to the Maryland Higher Education Commission.

B. Term and Termination

1. This agreement shall be effective on the date provided above.
2. Either Institution may, at its sole discretion, terminate this Agreement upon delivering 90 days written notice to the other Institution and the Maryland Higher Education Commission.
3. This agreement will be in effect initially for ten years, beginning *fall 2019*, with a review every two years by both parties. Any revisions the parties deem necessary must be evidenced in writing and signed and dated by the authorized officials of each institution.

C. Amendment

1. This Agreement constitutes the entire understanding and agreement of the Institutions with respect to their rights and obligations in carrying out the terms of the Agreement, and supersedes any prior or contemporaneous agreements or understandings.
2. This Agreement may be modified only by written amendment executed by both Institutions.

D. Governing Law

This Agreement shall be governed by, and construed in accordance with, the laws of the State of Maryland.

E. Counterparts

This Agreement may be executed in counterparts, each of which shall be deemed to be an original, but all of which, taken together, shall constitute one and the same agreement.

F. Notice of Agreement

1. The Institutions agree to provide a copy of this Agreement, with any amendments, to the Maryland Higher Education Commission.
2. The Institutions agree to provide copies of this Agreement to all relevant individuals and departments of the Institutions, including but not limited to students, academic department chairs participating in the transfer, offices of the president, registrar's offices, and financial aid offices.

G. Representations and Warranties of the Parties

Both Institutions represent and warrant that the following shall be true and correct as of the Effective Date of this Agreement, and shall continue to be true and correct during the term of this Agreement:

1. The Institutions are and shall remain in compliance with all applicable federal, state, and local statutes, laws, ordinances, and regulations relating to this Agreement, as amended from time to time.
2. Each Institution has taken all action necessary for the approval and execution of this Agreement.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have caused this Agreement to be executed by their duly authorized representatives.

Anne Arundel Community College

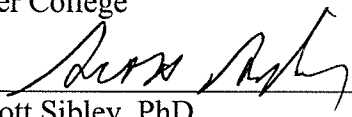
By:  _____

Michael H. Gavin, PhD
Vice President of Learning

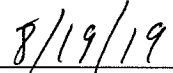


Date

Goucher College

By:  _____

Scott Sibley, PhD
Interim Provost



Date