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ACADEMIC PROGRAM ARTICULATION AGREEMENT BETWEEN ALLEGANY COLLEGE OF MARYLAND AND

FROSTBURG STATE UNIVERSITY REGARDING TRANSFER FROM ASSOCIATE OF SCIENCE DEGREE IN ARTS AND SCIENCES - AREA OF CONCENTRATION IN HISTORY TO BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN HISTORY

This Academic Program Articulation Agreement ("Agreement") is entered into by and between Allegany College of Maryland (the "Sending Institution") and Frostburg State University (the "Receiving Institution") (collectively, the "Institutions") to facilitate the transfer of academic credits from Associate of Science in Arts and Sciences (History Concentration), HEGIS code 491001 and CIP code 240101 for the completion of Bachelor of Science in History, HEGIS code 220500 and CIP code 540101.

A. Qualifying Students

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

- 1. Have successfully completed the program at the Sending Institution;
- 2. Are enrolled in the Sending Institution, in good standing; and
- 3. Are accepted for admission to the Receiving Institution

B. 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 the Sending Institution into the Receiving Institution for the completion of the Program.
- 2. Courses for which the Receiving School will accept credits towards completion of the Program include:

| Allegany College of Maryland | | | Frostburg State University | | | | |
|------------------------------|--------------------------------------|-------------|------------------------------------|-----------------------|-------------|---------------------|--|
| Course Number | Course Name | Cre dits | Course Number | Course Name | Cre dits | Applied to* | |
| Year One, 1st Semester | | | | uits | ιο | | |
| ### | Elective | 3 | ### | General Elective | | General Elective | |
| ENG 101 | English Composition I | 3 | ENGL 101 First-Year Composition | | 3 | GEP Core | |
| HIST 101 | History of Western Civilization I | 3 | HIST 113 | World History to 1500 | 3 | Major | |

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|------------------------------|--|-------------|---|--|----|---------------------|
| Course Number | Course Name | Cre dits | Course Number | Course Name | | Applied to* |
| ### | Mathematics Elective | 3 | ### | Mathematics GEP Core requirement | | GEP Core |
| ### | Social and Behavioral Science Elective | 3 | ### | Social Science GEP course | 3 | GEP Group D |
| | Total | 15 | | Total | 15 | |
| Year One, 2nd Semester | | | | | | |
| ### | Elective | 3 | ### | General Elective | 3 | General elective |
| ### | English Elective | 3 | ### | General Elective | 3 | General elective |
| HIST 102 | History of Western Civilization II | 3 | HIST 114 | World History, 1500 to Present | 3 | Major |
| ### | Humanities Elective | 3 | ### | Humanities GEP course | 3 | GEP Group B |
| ### | Physical Activity | 1 | ### | General Elective | 1 | General elective |
| ### | Social and Behavioral Science Elective | 3 | ### | Social Science GEP course | 3 | GEP Group D |
| | Total | 16 | | Total | 16 | |
| | | Y | ear Two, 1st | Semester | | |
| ### | Elective | 3 | ### | General Elective | 3 | General Elective |
| HIST 103 | United States History I | 3 | HIST 103 | History of the United States to 1876 | | Major |
| ### | Humanities Elective | 3 | ### | Humanities GEP course | | GEP Group B |
| ### | Laboratory Science Elective | 4 | ### | Natural Science GEP course | 3 | GEP Group C |
| ### | Physical Activity | 1 | ### | General Elective | 1 | General elective |
| | Total | 14 | | Total | | |
| Year Two, 2nd Semester | | | | | | |
| ### | Elective | 3 | ### | General Elective | 3 | General Elective |
| HIST 104 | United States History II | 3 | HIST 104 | History of the United States, 1876 to Present | 3 | Major |
| HIST 105 | Contemporary World History | 3 | HIST 100 The Contemporary World in Historical Perspective | | 3 | GEP Group F |
| POSC 101 | American National Government | 3 | POSC 110 | | | GEP Group E |
| ### | Science Elective | 3 | ### | Natural Science GEP course | 3 | GEP Group C |

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|------------------------------|-------------|-------------|----------------------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|--|
| Course Number | Course Name | Cre dits | Course Number | Course Name | Cre dits | Applied to* | |
| | Total | 15 | | Total | 15 | | |
| Total Credits at ACM: 60 | | | | | | | |

| Frostburg State University | | | | | | |
|----------------------------|----------------------------------|---------|------------------------------|--|--|--|
| Course Number | Course Name | Credits | Applied to* | | | |
| Year Three, 1st Semester | | | | | | |
| HIST 299 | Writing and Research in History | 3 | Major | | | |
| ### | Technology Fluency course | 3 | GEP Tech Fluency Requirement | | | |
| ### | Upper-division History electives | 6 | Major | | | |
| ### | General electives | 3 | General Electives | | | |
| | Total: | 15 | | | | |
| | Year Three, Second Seme | ester | | | | |
| ENGL 309/310 | Advanced Writing | 3 | GEP Core Skills | | | |
| GEOG 104 | Human Geography | 3 | GEP Identity and Difference | | | |
| ### | Upper-division History electives | 6 | Major | | | |
| ### | General electives | 3 | General Electives | | | |
| Total: | | 15 | | | | |
| | Year Four, 1st Semeste | er | | | | |
| ### | Complementary Elective (1 of 2) | 3 | Major | | | |
| ### | Upper-division History electives | | Major | | | |
| ### | ### General electives | | General Electives | | | |
| | Total: | | | | | |
| Year Four, 2nd Semester | | | | | | |
| ### | Complementary Elective (2 of 2) | | Major | | | |
| HIST 485 | Seminar in History | | Major | | | |
| ### | Upper-division History elective | | Major | | | |
| ### | General electives | 6 | General Electives | | | |
| | Total: | 15 | | | | |
| | Total Credits at FSU: 6 | 50 | | | | |

3. The Receiving Institution shall designate, and shall provide to the Sending Institution, the contact information for a staff person at the Receiving Institution who is responsible for the oversight of the transfer of Qualifying Students. The Sending Institution shall designate, and shall provide to the Receiving Institution, the contact information for a staff person at the Sending Institution who is responsible for the oversight of the transfer of Qualifying Students.

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| | Sending Institution | Receiving Institution | |
|--|------------------------|---------------------------|--|
| Name of staff person responsible for oversight | Gabriel George | Dr. Linda Steele | |
| Title of staff person | Transfer Coordinator & | Transfer and Articulation | |
| r · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · | Success Coach | Coordinator | |
| Email address | ggeorge@allegany.edu | lsteele@frostburg.edu | |
| Telephone Number | 301-784-5199 | 301-687-4137 | |

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:

| [Role & Responsibilities of persons listed here] | Sending Institution | Receiving Institution | |
|--|--------------------------------|---------------------------|--|
| Name of person | Dr. Stephen Gibson | Dr. John McMullen | |
| Title of person | Chair of Behavioral and Social | Chair, Department of Law, | |
| Title of person | Sciences | Society, and Humanities | |
| Email address | sgibson@allegany.edu | jmcmullen@frostburg.edu | |
| Telephone Number | 301-784-5208 | 301-687-3162 | |

- 4. 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 prior credit, as regulated under Title 38, Code of Federal Regulations, Sections 21.4253(d)(3) and 21.4254(c)(4).
- 5. Each Institution shall adhere to all applicable transfer requirements set forth in the Annotated Code of Maryland and the Code of Maryland Regulations.
- 6. 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.
- 7. Either Institution that makes changes to program requirements must inform the partner institution immediately. The articulation agreement should be updated to reflect the changes and forwarded to the Maryland Higher Education Commission.

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C. Term and Termination

- 1. This agreement shall be effective on the date that it is signed by the appropriate and authorized representatives of each Institution.
- 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. The parties agree that students currently enrolled in the program at the time of termination shall be permitted to complete the program as described herein.
- 3. Both Institutions agree to meet once every two year(s) to review the terms of this agreement.

D. 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.

E. Governing Law

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

F. 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.

G. 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.

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H. No Third-Party Beneficiaries

There are no third-party beneficiaries to this Agreement.

I. 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.

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Allegany College of Maryland Frostburg State University Darlene Brannigan Smith Mr. David R. Jones Darlene Brannigan Smith, Ph.D. President President 07/22/2025 07/22/2025 Date Date Michael Mathias Dr. Kurt Hoffman Dr. Michael Mathias Senior Vice President of Instructional and Provost and Vice President of **Student Affairs Academic Affairs** 07/22/2025 07/22/2025 Date Date Dr. Mihaela Wood Dr. Keith Terry Dean of Arts and Sciences Interim Dean, Humanities, Arts and Sciences 07/21/2025 07/22/2025 Date

Date

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