Articulation Agreement between
Jamestown Community College
And
Franklin University

Whereas, Jamestown Community College and Franklin University share a learner-centered and community-oriented approach to higher education,

Whereas, they share a common desire to create a seamless transition for the Jamestown Community College graduates seeking a Franklin University Bachelor of Science degree that articulates well with programs offered at Jamestown Community College,

Whereas, the two institutions seek to use current technology to enhance the educational options for time and/or place bound working adults,

Jamestown Community College and Franklin University hereby enter into an Articulation Agreement designed to effect the above stated aims in a manner that will provide the participating student with a quality bachelor’s degree completion program.

Jamestown Community College and Franklin University have developed this Articulation Agreement to allow students and graduates of Jamestown Community College to complete a Bachelor of Science degree from Franklin University’s distance-education, degree-completion program. Students must complete a minimum of 40 credit-hours from Franklin University.

This Articulation Agreement states the conditions under which Franklin University will accept and apply credits from Jamestown Community College. Transfer Guides, developed specifically for Jamestown Community College, list the courses students and graduates are to complete at the community college in order to maximize transfer.

Jamestown Community College students planning to complete their bachelor’s degree at Franklin University may apply to Franklin University at any time during their enrollment at Jamestown Community College.

Franklin University encourages students to complete their associate’s degree at the community college before transfer. The student who successfully completes an Associate’s degree from Jamestown Community College will be accepted into Franklin University’s degree-completion program with full junior status. Franklin University will apply the associate’s degree coursework as described in this Articulation Agreement and listed on the Transfer Guide. The student who has not completed an associate’s degree but has 60 or more semester hours of college coursework and a Jamestown Community College cumulative GPA of 2.5 or better will also be accepted into the Franklin University degree-completion program with full junior status.
Students may concurrently take courses at both institutions. Each institution will provide student services for students enrolled at that institution. Franklin University will enter into a consortium agreement with Jamestown Community College that will allow students to take courses concurrently from both institutions during a given academic term and maintain eligibility for federal financial aid for all applicable coursework. The Bridge courses listed in the various Transfer Guides are offered on a regular basis at Jamestown Community College, and the Capstone courses are offered on a regular basis online through Franklin University. This generally allows students with the Associate's degree/60 semester hours to complete their requirements for the bachelor's degree (24 semester hours of Bridge courses plus 40 semester hours of Capstone courses) with four semesters of coursework.
**GENERAL EDUCATION CORE**

- College Writing
- Mathematics (beyond Intermediate Algebra) *
- Science Area (2 courses with 1 having a laboratory component)
- Social/Behavioral Science Area (2 courses in different disciplines)
- Arts and Humanities Area (2 courses)
- Statistical Concepts
- Introduction to Macroeconomics

* One mathematics or statistics course beyond intermediate level. May select from College Algebra, Calculus, Finite Mathematics, Statistics or Business Calculus. If statistics is used for the mathematics requirement, an additional general education elective will be required.

**BUSINESS CORE**

- Financial Accounting
- Managerial Accounting
- Business Law
- Principles of Management

**MAJOR AREA BRIDGE**

An Additional 8 semester/12 quarter hours in Business Economic related courses are required.

**ELECTIVE BRIDGE COURSES**

Non-Developmental level courses taken at your community college and not applied directly toward another Bridge requirement will be applied to this area. An official evaluation of transfer credit will determine the need for electives. If you need additional courses to meet the hours required for your bachelor's degree, please select business or computer related courses from those offered at your community college. Other courses may be acceptable in this area. Please see your Franklin University Academic Advisor for approval prior to taking the course.

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**FRANKLIN UNIVERSITY COURSES**

**COMPLETION (42 SEMESTER HOURS)**

**PROFESSIONAL FOUNDATIONS (6 SEMESTER HOURS)**

- PF 321 Learning Strategies
- HUMN 305 Global Issues

**MAJOR AREA (24 SEMESTER HOURS)**

- ECON 321 Intermediate Microeconomics
- ECON 322 Intermediate Macroeconomics
- ECON 340 Money, Banking and Financial Markets
- ECON 420 Forecasting
- ECON 450 History of Economic Thought
- ECON 495 Sustainable Economic Growth (Capstone)

**MAJOR AREA ELECTIVE (SELECT 3 COURSE FROM THE FOLLOWING LIST)**

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**UNIVERSITY ELECTIVES**

Additional Major Area Electives are recommended. Contact your Academic Advisor for other options.

Students seeking a bachelor’s degree must complete a minimum of 40 credits at Franklin University to be eligible for a degree.

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