# Southwestern College Professional Studies and Tulsa Community College

# **Business - Administrative Careers Option Memorandum of Agreement**

### Introduction

This agreement formally recognizes that **Southwestern College Professional Studies (SCPS) and Tulsa Community College (TCC)** are active educational partners in providing educational opportunities for currently enrolled and potential students of our combined institutions. **SCPS** and **TCC** share a commitment to increasing opportunities for student access to and success in higher education. Agreement to this partnership requires a commitment by both institutions to facilitate a student's ability to transfer into an undergraduate degree program without jeopardizing the intended mission and stated goals of either institution.

#### **Purpose**

This agreement defines a structure through which articulation on all levels can be supported. This agreement is specifically designed to allow for maximum transfer of credit and a seamless transition for students earning an associate degree. Development and distribution of all transfer articulation products (e.g. brochures, checklists or transfer guides) are the responsibility of SCPS. SCPS will honor the input from TCC so that the most efficient transfer possible may be achieved for the student. SCPS and TCC agree to develop a working plan which may include:

- 1 Creation and implementation of transfer material.
- 2. Counselor/advisor and faculty interchange.
- 3. Determination of location and method of distributing advisement information.
- Distribution of transfer information on the Internet including the ability to electronically link both institutions through their transfer websites.

#### **Transfer Elements**

- 1. All coursework presented by students who have attended **TCC** will transfer to **SCPS**, with the exception of varsity athletics or courses identified by the first institution as developmental/remedial. A maximum of 64 hours earned at two-year colleges will apply to the bachelor's degree. Students transferring with an associate degree from **TCC** will not be required to take any further general education course work if they have already completed English Composition I and II as well as a college level math course (preferably College Algebra). ). Students will only be required to complete coursework in their chosen major plus any additional course work needed to reach a minimum of 60 hours of upper division course work. Students must have a minimum of 124 credit hours to graduate from **SCPS**.
- 2. **TCC** learners may apply to **SCPS** program with 30 hours of credit. Although **SCPS** programs only require a minimum of 30 earned hours before entrance, it is preferable that **TCC** students enter with an AA from **TCC**. The **TCC** general education coursework completes the SCPS general education program requirements.

Tulsa Community College	Southwestern College Professional Studies
Business – Administrative Careers Option (AAS)	Business Administration (BS)
General Education Requirements (18 hours)	Recommended Prerequisites
ECON 2013 Principles of Macroeconomics	ECON 326 Economic Theory
ENGL 1113 Composition I	BUS 395 Corporate Finance
ENGL 1213 Composition II	Required Major Courses
PHIL/BUSN 1143 Introduction to Ethnics: Business Issues	BSAD 310 Financial Accounting Systems
OR	BSAD 430 Financial Management
PSYC 1313 Human Relations	BSAD 320 Managerial Economics
POLS 1113 American Federal Government	BUS 394 Marketing
HIST 1483 U.S. History 1492 to Civil War Era OR	BSAD 340 Legal Environment of Business
HIST 1493 U.S. History Civil War Era to Present	BSAD 410 International Business
	BSAD 420 Management Information System Analysis
Core Business Courses (18 hours)	BSAD 440 Strategic Management
ACCT 2213 Financial Accounting	CAPS 491 Senior Capstone
BUSN 1053 Introduction to Business	
BUSN 1353 Business Mathematics	Required Common Courses
BUSN 2313 Business Law I	HRD 210 Building Academic Success (1 credit hour)
CSCI 1203 Computer Concepts and Applications	CLO 320 Critical Thinking
ECON 1353 Personal Finance	CLO 340 Ethics in Today's Organizations
	CLO 410 Decision Sciences
Business (12 hours)	CLO 415 Professional Communication
BUSN 2173 Skill building and Document Processing	CLO 499 Responsibility for the Future
BUSN 2183 Word Processing	
BUSN 2643 Procedures for Administrative Careers	
BUSN 2683 Administrative Careers Internship	
Computer Information Systems (9 hours)	
CSCI 2033 Excel	
CSUS 1033 Adobe Photoshop	
CSYS 1043 Adobe Acrobat	
Controlled Electives (3 hours)	
60 Total Hours	43 Hours
(A maximum of 64 credit hours will be transferred in as	17 hours of elective classes will need to be taken for the
two-year credits and applied to the bachelor's degree	60 hour 4 year university/college requirement to be met.
requirements.)	
	124 Total Hours needed to graduate

# **Equivalency Chart**

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ENGL 1113 Composition I	PSC 225 Composition I
ENGL 1213 Composition II	PSC 226 Composition II
SPCH 1113 Speech Communication I	PSC 227 Interpersonal Communication or PSC 242
	Speech
MATH 1513 College Algebra	PSC 229 College Algebra

- 3. Students from TCC will be guaranteed admission to any chosen program offered through SCPS upon satisfaction of all other conditions for admission, as stated in the SCPS catalog. SCPS admission requirements include:
  - High school graduation or GED;
  - A minimum of three years work experience (or satisfactory interview with the director of academic affairs explaining why this can be waived).
- 4. Upon completion of the bachelor's degree, the associate degree will be listed on the baccalaureate transcript.

**SCPS** will honor this agreement with all associate degree granting institutions currently accredited or in candidacy status by regional or national accrediting bodies recognized by the U.S. Department of Education. **TCC** agrees to notify **SCPS**, of any adverse changes in its accreditation status.

Transfer literature for degrees offered at **SCPS**, will be provided upon request by contacting the Professional Studies administrative offices.

No financial implications concerning the transfer or exchange of cash, equipment, or real estate is intended or implied by this agreement. SCPS and TCC are separate and independent institutions of higher education and intend to remain so. The administrators of SCPS and TCC are authorized to prepare and implement plans of action and procedures necessary to effect this agreement.

## **Longevity of Agreement**

This agreement will be in effect for three years from the date of administrative endorsement, below. Renewal of agreement with appropriate content changes will be discussed at the end of this time period. Renewal of this agreement requires the written consent of both **SCPS** and **TCC**. Transfer literature will be updated on an annual basis.

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