

**Program Articulation Agreement
Between
Millersville University of Pennsylvania and HACC**

This Program Articulation Agreement is between:

BS in Emergency Management
Millersville University of Pennsylvania
(Millersville, PA)

and

AAS in Fire Science
Harrisburg Area Community College
(Harrisburg, PA)

Millersville University and Harrisburg Area Community College set forth the conditions upon which Millersville University of Pennsylvania will consider graduates of the AAS in Fire Science to transfer for admission into the BS in Emergency Management at Millersville University of Pennsylvania.

Rationale for the Purpose of the Articulation Agreement

This agreement applies only to students completing the AAS in Fire Science at Harrisburg Area Community College and wishing to articulate to the BS in Emergency Management at Millersville University of Pennsylvania.

Admissions Requirements and Transfer of Academic Credit

- 1) Students enrolled in the AAS in Fire Science at Harrisburg Area Community College who wish to articulate to the BS in Emergency Management at Millersville University of Pennsylvania must complete the Millersville University of Pennsylvania admission process, including but not limited to: Millersville University of Pennsylvania admissions application, application fee, and submission of all official transcripts from secondary and post-secondary institutions.
- 2) Millersville University of Pennsylvania agrees that graduates of the Harrisburg Area Community College AAS in Fire Science meet the admissions standards of the BS in Emergency Management at Millersville University of Pennsylvania if they satisfy the following conditions:
 - a. Applicants with at least a 2.0 grade point average (GPA) at Harrisburg Area Community College are eligible for admission to Millersville University of Pennsylvania.
 - b. Prior to matriculation to Millersville University of Pennsylvania, the student will show successful completion of AAS in Fire Science at Harrisburg Area Community College.
- 3) Millersville University of Pennsylvania agrees that graduates of the Harrisburg Area Community College AAS in Fire Science program will be able to transfer courses and

credit to Millersville University of Pennsylvania towards the BS in Emergency Management as follows:

- a. Coursework completed at Harrisburg Area Community College towards satisfaction of the requirements for the BS in Emergency Management will transfer to Millersville University of Pennsylvania as outlined in this agreement.
- b. All coursework transcribed at Harrisburg Area Community College beyond those outlined in this agreement will transfer to Millersville University of Pennsylvania and will be applied to the 120-credit total required for conferral of the baccalaureate degree at Millersville University.
- c. All students who transfer into Millersville University through this agreement will be required to fulfill all applicable residency requirements of Millersville University and the PA State System of Higher Education current at the time of matriculation into Millersville University.

Renewal or Terminated of Articulation Agreement:

- 1) Harrisburg Area Community College agrees to promptly notify Millersville University of Pennsylvania of any substantive curricular modifications to the Associate of Applied Sciences in Fire Science program and further agrees that the terms of this agreement will no longer hold unless Millersville University of Pennsylvania provides a written approval that the curricular changes do not alter the intent of the agreement.
- 2) Millersville University of Pennsylvania agrees to provide Harrisburg Area Community College with information about the Bachelor of Science in Emergency Management program at Millersville University of Pennsylvania and any changes to the curriculum, if they should occur. Conditions for admission in the Bachelor of Science in Emergency Management program at Millersville University of Pennsylvania are stipulated in this agreement.

Mutual Terms and Conditions:

- 1) The parties agree to continue their respective policies of nondiscrimination based on Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 in regard to sex, age, race, color, creed, national origin, Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972 and other applicable laws, as well as the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act. The parties agree to cooperate in the investigation of any claims of discrimination or harassment.
- 2) The laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania shall govern this agreement. This agreement is not a legally binding contract and is not enforceable in a court or in the Pennsylvania Board of Claims. In the event of a dispute between the parties, advice and direction will be offered by the Office of the Chancellor of the State System of Higher Education.
- 3) The relationship between the parties to this Agreement to each other is that of independent contractors. The relationship of the parties to this agreement to each other shall not be construed to constitute a partnership, joint venture or any other relationship, other than that of independent contractors.
- 4) Neither of the parties shall assume any liabilities to each other. As to liability to each other for injury or death to persons, or damages to property, the parties do not waive any defense as a result of entering into this agreement. This provision shall not be construed

to limit either parties' rights, claims or defenses which arise as a matter of law pursuant to any provisions of this agreement. This provision shall not be construed to limit the sovereign immunity of the Commonwealth or of the State System of Higher Education or Millersville University

- 5) The terms of the agreement shall remain in effect, except as stipulated in certain previous terms as listed herein, for a period of five years, subsequent to the date of execution of this agreement, unless terminated by either party. Any party may terminate the agreement with or without cause, on the provision of 120 days written notice to the other party. All commitments made to students who have been accepted, but have not yet completed the program at Millersville, will be honored. In the event of a substantial breach, either party may terminate this agreement.
- 6) This Agreement represents the entire understanding between the parties. This Agreement shall only be modified in writing with the same formality as the original Agreement.
- 7) This Agreement represents the entire understanding between the parties. No other prior or contemporaneous oral or written understandings or promises exist in regards to this relationship. This Agreement supersedes any other agreements, restrictions, representations, or warranties, if any, between the two parties hereto with regard to the subject matter contained herein.

Millersville University of Pennsylvania and Harrisburg Area Community College have entered into this agreement on the indicated date as witnessed by the signatures below:

Dr. Daniel Wubah
President
Millersville University of Pennsylvania

Dr. John Sygielski
President
Harrisburg Area Community College

Date

Date

Dr. Gail Gasparich
Provost and Senior Vice President for
Academic Affairs
Millersville University of Pennsylvania

Dr. Alfred Griswold
VP of Academic Affairs
Harrisburg Area Community College

Date

Date

Approved for form and legality:

Jacqueline C. Fox
University Legal Counsel

Date

APPENDIX A: Program-to-program curriculum Transfer Guide

GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS (For programs not eligible for waiver of MU Gen Ed requirements)		
	COURSE TAKEN AT (HACC)	COURSE TAKEN AT MU
WRITTEN COMMUNICATION	ENGL 101	ENGL 110
ORAL COMMUNICATION	COMM 101	COMM 100
QUANTITATIVE SKILLS	Math Elective	TBD
ADVANCE WRITING		
WELLNESS	Wellness Elective	WELL 175
WRITING INTENSIVE 1		
WRITING INTENSIVE 2		
WRITING INTENSIVE 3		
CULTURAL DIVERSITY PERSPECTIVES		
G1: HUMANITIES & ARTS	Humanities & Arts Elective	TBD
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G2: SCIENCE AND MATH	FIRE 202	CHEM 1X1
G2: SCIENCE AND MATH	CHEM 100 or PHSC 113	CHEM 103 or PHYS 103
G2: SCIENCE AND MATH	CIS 105	CSCI 101
G3: SOCIAL SCIENCES	Social & Behavioral Science Elective	TBD
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*Courses that simultaneously count toward the major.

CURRICULUM TRANSFER AGREEMENT GUIDELINE

Harrisburg Area Community College: Associate in Applied Science in Fire Science

Millersville University of Pennsylvania: Bachelor of Science in Emergency Management

General Information:

All students are required to complete an Advanced Writing Course at Millersville if no equivalency completed prior to transfer.

**HARRISBURG AREA COMMUNITY COLLEGE
AAS IN FIRE SCIENCE**

**MILLERSVILLE UNIVERSITY
BS IN EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT**

Major Courses Completed at CC	Cr.	MU Equivalencies	Cr.
ENGL 101	3	ENGL 110	3
COMM 101 OR COMM 203	3	COMM 100 OR COMM 217	3
ARTS & HUMANITIES ELECTIVE	3	ARTS & HUMANITIES ELECTIVE	3
MATH OR SCIENCE ELECTIVE	3	MATH OR SCIENCE ELECTIVE	3
SOCIAL & BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES ELECTIVE	3	SOCIAL & BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES ELECTIVE	1
WELLNESS ELECTIVE	1	WELLNESS ELECTIVE	1
FIRE 202	3	CHEM 1X1	3
CHEM 100 OR PHSC 113	3	CHEM 103 OR PHYS 103	3
CIS 105	3	CSCI 101	3
FREE ELECTIVE	3	FREE ELECTIVE	3
FIRE 101	3	EHEM 1X1	3
FIRE 102	3	OSEH 1X2	3
FIRE 103	3	OSEH 1X3	3
FIRE 105	3	ITEC 1X5	3
FIRE 106	3	OSEH 1X6	3
FIRE 201	3	EHEM 2X1	3
FIRE 203	3	OSEH 2X3	3
FIRE 204	3	EHEM 2X4	3
FIRE 207	3	EHEM 2X7	3
FIRE 209	3	EHEM 2X9	3
FIRE 210	3	EHEM 21X	3
MINIMUM CREDITS NEEDED TO COMPLETE ASSOCIATES DEGREE:	62	CREDITS TRANSFERED:	62

COURSES TO BE COMPLETED AT MILLERSVILLE UNIVERSITY TO FULFILL REQUIREMENTS OF THE BACHELORS DEGREE:

First Semester		Cr	Second Semester		
EHEM 201		3	EHEM 309	3	
EHEM 205		3	EHEM 315	3	
EHEM 305		3	EHEM 316	3	
	Total	9	Total	9	
Third Semester		Cr	Fourth Semester		
EHEM 319		3	ESCI 107	3	
ESCI 101		4	ESCI 120	3	
ESCI 104 or ESCI 261		3	ESCI 245	3	
	Total	10	Total	9	
Fifth Semester		Cr	Sixth Semester		
ESCI 281 or GEOG 281		3	MATH 160	3	
OSEH 120		3	COMM 371 OR ESCI 385	3	
MATH 101		3	OSEH 221, GEOG 375, OR GOVT 356	3	
			EHEM 300 OR EHEM 498	3	
	Total	9	Total	12	
				MINIMUM CREDITS NEEDED TO GRADUATE:	120