

MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING  
BETWEEN  
NORTHWESTERN STATE UNIVERSITY OF LOUISIANA  
AND  
BOSSIER PARISH COMMUNITY COLLEGE

Northwestern State University of Louisiana (NSU) and Bossier Parish Community College (BPCC) have agreed to enter into a Memorandum of Understanding for an articulation program between the two institutions. The articulation program will allow students to complete the Associate of Science in General Science at BPCC and transfer all credit hours as designated to NSU for completion of the Bachelor of Science in Radiologic Science degree. Students transferring to NSU may complete the last two years of their course work at NSU. Both institutions serve constituency needs and are responsive, student oriented institutions that prepare the students to become productive members of society as well as promote the academic development and improvement in the quality of life of citizens in their regions.

This partnership is mutually beneficial to both institutions for several reasons. Traditional and non-traditional students attending BPCC will have the opportunity after earning the Associate of Science degree in General Science at BPCC to transfer to a Bachelor of Science in Radiologic Science that will accept BPCC credits. NSU will have the opportunity to accept students into the BS in Radiologic Science who are well prepared with foundation course work.

Both the University and the College are accredited by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools.

Both the University and the College have full-time faculty with advanced academic and professional credentials and both have support resources (i.e., library, on-line access, service courses, and adequate administrative-faculty-staff backup).

In accordance with this Memorandum of Understanding, Bossier Parish Community College agrees to:

Provide academic advising to students who plan to transfer to NSU according to the listed agreements.

Have BPCC students who intend to transfer to NSU sign the Intent to transfer form and mail the completed form to NSU.

Provide students the opportunity to obtain the BPCC credit hours as listed in the Memorandum of Understanding between NSU and BPCC.

Provide transferring students assistance in completing a NSU BS in Radiologic Science Application for admission into the BS in Radiologic Science program.

Provide information about the Articulation Agreement in the Bossier Parish Community College General Catalog.

Jointly market the articulation agreement with NSU.

In accordance with this Memorandum of Understanding, Northwestern State University agrees to:

Receive and maintain "Intent to Transfer" forms from BPCC students and honor the agreement regarding academic catalog in effect on the date of the student's signature and the NSU confirmation signature.

Accept Bossier Parish Community College credit hours as listed in the Memorandum of Understanding between Northwestern State University and BPCC.

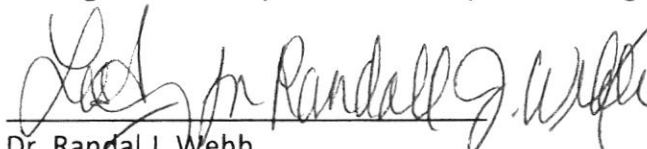
Provide BPCC with copies of the Application for Admission into the BS in Radiologic Science program and other advising materials.

Provide information about the Articulation Agreement in the Northwestern State University catalog.

Jointly market the articulation agreement with BPCC.

By signature of President Randall J. Webb, Northwestern State University and signature of Chancellor Jim Henderson, Bossier Parish Community College, this Articulation Memorandum of Understanding is entered into on the \_\_\_\_\_ of March, 2012.

This agreement may be revised only with the signatures of the leaders of both institutions.



Dr. Randal J. Webb  
President

3/14/12

Date



Jim Henderson  
Chancellor

15 Mar 12

Date

**Appendix A**  
BPCC General Science Articulation

**First Semester**

BPCC	NSU	Hours
ENGL 101	ENGL 1010	3
MATH 102	MATH 1020	3
CHEM 107	CHEM 1070	3
BLGY 224	BIOL 2220	3
BLGY 224L	BIOL 2221	1
CHEM 107L	Not required at NSU	

13 hours transferred

**Second Semester**

BPCC	NSU	Hours
ENGL 102	ENGL 1020	3
MATH 114	MATH 1060	3
CHEM 108	Not required at NSU	
HLPE 221	HED 1010	2
PSYC 101, or PSYC 220	Behavioral Science(PSYC 1010, PSYC 2050	3

11 hours transferred

**Third Semester**

BPCC	NSU	HOURS
BLGY 110	ALHE 1020	2
BLGY 225	BIOL 2230	3
BLGY 225L	BIOL 2231	1
SPCH 110	COMM 1010	3
Humanities Elective (History)	HISTORY (1010,1020, 2010 2020 or ENGL lit.)	3

12 hours transferred

**Fourth Semester**

BPCC	NSU	HOURS
SOCIAL SCIENCE ELECTIVE (GPHY 101, POSC 201)	GEOG 1010, PSCI 2020	3
ART 206	FA 1040	3
APPROVED SCIENCE ELECTIVE	Not required at NSU	3
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APPROVED ELECTIVE (Engl. Lit or Hist. )	ENGL 2110 or HIST	3

9 hours transferred

RADIOLOGIC SCIENCES COURSES (74 semester hours) To be taken at NSU only.

RADS 2200

RADS 2210

RADS 3300

RADS 3310

RADS 3320

RADS 3311

RADS 3811

RADS 3820

RADS 3830

RADS 3840

RADS 3911

RADS 3910

RADS 3920

RADS 4520

RADS 4530

RADS 4510

RADS 4511

RADS 4610

RADS 4611

RADS 4620

RADS 4630

RADS 4710

RADS 4711

PSYC 4400

\*\*\*The NSU orientation course is waived

\*\*\*\*Total hours transferred or waived: 46

Hours remaining to complete BS degree: 74

Bossier Parish Community College – Northwestern State University  
 Articulation Agreement of BPCC AS General Science to NSU BS Radiologic Science

**First Year**  
 1<sup>st</sup> Semester

Course	Name	Credit hours	NSU Course Equivalents	Credit hours
BLGY 224	Human Anatomy	3	BIOL 2220	3
BLGY224L	Human Anatomy Lab	1	BIOL 2221	1
CHEM 107	Introductory Chemistry	3	CHEM 1070	3
CHEM 107L	Introductory Chemistry Lab	1	CHEM 1091	1
ENGL 101	Composition and Rhetoric I	3	ENGL 1010	3
MATH 102	College Algebra	3	Mathematics	3

2<sup>nd</sup> Semester

CHEM 108	Introduction to Organic and Biochemistry	3	CHEM 1080	3
ENGL 102	Composition and Rhetoric II	3	ENGL 1020	3
MATH 114	Finite Math	3	Mathematics	3
HLPE 221	First Aid	3	HED 1010	2
PSYC 101	Introduction to Psychology	3	PSYC 1010	3

**Second Year**  
 1<sup>st</sup> Semester

Course	Name	Credit hours	NSU Course with Equivalents	Credit hours
BLGY 110	Medical Terminology	3	Allied Health 1020	2
BLGY 225	Human Physiology	3	BIOL 2230	3
BLGY 225L	Human Physiology Lab	1	BIOL 2231	1
SPCH 110	Principles of Speech	3	COMM 1010	3
	* Humanities Elective	3	Humanities	3

2<sup>nd</sup> Semester

BLGY 203	Basic Nutrition	3	NUTR 1030	3
	** Social/Behavioral Science	3	Social/Behavioral Science	3
ART 206	Introduction to Fine Arts	3	FA 1040	3
	* Humanities Elective	3	Humanities	3
CIS 105	Computer Concepts	3		
	Science Elective	3		

\* Humanities: ENGL 201, 202; HIST 101, 102, 201, 202

\*\* Social Science: ANTH 201, 202; POSC 201, 303; PSYC 220; SLGY 201



Baccalaureate Degree Programs

Intent to Transfer  
BPCC student to Northwestern State University

To be completed by student:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ SSN: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Upon completion of freshman and sophomore courses at Bossier Parish Community College, I intend to enter Northwestern State University to pursue a baccalaureate degree in \_\_\_\_\_. To the best of my knowledge, I expect to enter NSU on or before \_\_\_\_\_ (semester) \_\_\_\_\_ (year.) (If I see this date must be extended, I will notify in writing the Office of Enrollment Services, NSU, Roy Hall 101, Natchitoches, LA, 71497.)

I understand that by signing this statement of intent, I will be allowed to pursue my proposed degree plan under the catalog in effect on the date on this form. I will, therefore, receive from NSU the same catalog and curriculum protection guaranteed to other NSU students. I also understand that I must maintain continuous registration, with no more than one semester not in attendance at BPCC and/or NSU. If I fail to meet any of these requirements, I will be subject to the curriculum requirements in the catalog current at the time I enter NSU. This contract will be held on file in the NSU Office of Enrollment Services and Office of the Registrar.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Student's Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Authorized BPCC Representative

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Authorized NSU Representative

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date