

**ARTICULATION AGREEMENT
BETWEEN
MONMOUTH UNIVERSITY AND
MERCER COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE**

Mercer County Community College and Monmouth University enter into this Articulation Agreement so that students enrolled in the Associate of Science in Computer Science degree program at Mercer County Community College will be eligible for admission into the Bachelor of Science in Software Engineering degree program at Monmouth University provided the terms and conditions of this Agreement are met.

This agreement provides pre-approval for transferability, but does not assure transfer of every course or transfer at the same unit rate. This agreement is an acknowledgement of the overall program at Monmouth University but does not address specific areas that can be adjusted or changed each semester. A maximum of 72 credits is transferable into Monmouth University from a two-year community college. To facilitate the transfer of eligible Mercer County Community College graduates to Monmouth University, the parties agree to the following:

I. Monmouth University Agrees to:

1. Monmouth University will award transfer credits for courses listed in the attached sequence chart in which Mercer County Community College students receive a grade of C (2.0) or better.
2. Monmouth University will consider Mercer County Community College students who do not successfully complete all of the courses listed in the program of study or who pursue a program which does not conform to one of the programs listed in the attached sequence chart on an individual basis.

II. Mercer County Community College Agrees to:

1. Mercer County Community College will publicize this Articulation Agreement to prospective students in their admissions literature and to inform matriculated students of their conditional admission to Monmouth University under the conditions of this agreement.
2. Mercer County Community College will inform students of the requirements of Monmouth University's Transfer Admission Process and applicable Deadlines.

III. Admission Requirements:

1. In order to be admitted into the Software Engineering Bachelor Degree Program, transfer students must satisfy the following requirements:
 - a. Application: Submit an Application with a non-refundable application fee as established by Monmouth University;
 - b. GPA: Students must have an overall GPA of 2.0 or higher and at least 2.0 during their last two semesters to be considered for admission;
 - c. Transcripts: Official copy of transcripts from all colleges and universities attended must be provided to Monmouth University;

d. Academic Standing: Students must be in good academic standing; and

e. Deadlines: The Application for the Fall Semester must be submitted by July 15th, and the Application for the Spring Semester must be submitted by December 1st.

2. Any misrepresentation by a student of his/her qualifications, experience, education, or references shall immediately disqualify a student from any further participation in the Program.
3. Mercer County Community College students who are accepted pursuant to the terms of this Agreement will have the opportunity to complete their bachelor's degree after completing 76 credits of coursework beyond the Mercer County Community College requirements for an Associate of Science in Computer Science.

IV. Mutual Obligations:

1. Monmouth University and Mercer County Community College will keep each other informed regarding any/all changes in curricula.
2. Monmouth University and Mercer County Community College will assess this agreement and the Program in two years with the intent of continuing this agreement and making any necessary adjustments.
3. Monmouth University and Mercer County Community College will each designate a representative who will coordinate and monitor the Program. Monmouth University and Mercer County Community College agree to provide each other in writing the name and contact information of their representative. Monmouth University and Mercer County Community College further agree to notify each other in writing of any change in representative.
4. Monmouth University and Mercer County Community College will develop and implement advertising and promotional efforts to attract students to the program.

IV. Indemnification:

1. Monmouth University agrees to and shall defend, save, hold and keep harmless and indemnify Mercer County Community College and its officers, directors, employees and agents from and against any and all claims, demands, actions, settlements, or judgments, including attorney's fees and litigation expenses, based upon or arising out of activities described in this Agreement, to the extent that such claims, demands, actions, settlements, or judgments are occasioned by the actions or omissions of Monmouth University, its officers, directors, agents or employees.
2. Mercer County Community College agrees to and shall defend, save, hold and keep harmless and indemnify Monmouth University and its officers, directors, employees and agents from and against any and all claims, demands, actions, settlements, or judgments, including attorney's fees and litigation expenses, based upon or arising out of activities described in this Agreement, to the extent that such claims, demands, actions, settlements, or judgments are occasioned by the

actions or omissions of Mercer County Community College, its officers, directors, agents or employees.

V. General Provisions:

1. Monmouth University and Mercer County Community College will not discriminate on the basis of race, religion, color, sex, age, national origin, handicap, sexual orientation, disabled or Vietnam era veteran status or financial status in admission or access to, or treatment or employment, in, its programs and activities.
2. The terms of this Agreement shall become effective for students entering Mercer County Community College in the Fall 2007 and shall continue thereafter unless terminated by either party in accordance with this Agreement.
3. This Agreement can be terminated by either party by submitting written notice to the other party at least one year before the last class entering the program at Monmouth University. The responsibilities toward students in the program at the time will be honored for the completion of the program.
4. Any and all notices or other communications required or permitted under this Agreement shall be in writing and shall be deemed to have been duly given if: (i) delivered by hand; (ii) sent by Federal Express or other commercial overnight courier; (iii) sent by telecopier, subject to confirmation of receipt; or (iv) sent postage prepaid by registered or certified mail, return receipt requested, in any event addressed as follows:

As to Mercer County Community College:

Until 10/19/2007;

Thomas N. Wilfrid, Ph.D.
Vice President for Academic and Student Affairs

After 10/19/2007:

Judith Redwine, Ph.D.
Interim Vice President for Academic Affairs

1200 Old Trenton Road
Mercer County Community College
West Windsor, New Jersey 08550

As to Monmouth University:

Thomas Pearson, Ph.D.
Provost and Vice President for Academic Affairs
Monmouth University
West Long Branch, New Jersey 07764

With copy to:

Grey J. Dimenna, Esq.
Vice President and General Counsel

Monmouth University
West Long Branch, New Jersey 07764


5. It is understood that this Agreement is not intended to and shall not be construed to create the relationship of agent, servant, employee, partnership, joint venture or association between Monmouth University and Mercer County Community College but is rather an agreement by and between independent contractors.
6. This Agreement, its Attachments and Addendums shall be binding on the parties and their respective successors and assigns. Neither party shall assign its duties and obligations under this Agreement without the prior written consent of the other party.
7. This agreement shall be governed by the laws of the State of New Jersey.
8. This Agreement, its Attachments and Addendums set forth the entire understanding between the parties and no amendments or modifications shall be made to the Agreement, except in writing signed by both parties.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, each of the undersigned has caused this Agreement to be duly executed in its name and on its behalf.

MONMOUTH UNIVERSITY

MERCER COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE

By: 

By: 

Print: Thomas Pearson

Print: Patricia C. Donohue

Title: Vice President and Provost

Title: President

Date: 11/13/07

Date: 1/17/08

Mercer County Community College - Monmouth University

Articulation Agreement Curriculum

Mercer County Community College Semesters 1-4		Monmouth University Semesters 5-8	
Semester 1		***	
ENG101	English Composition I	3	
MAT 151	Calculus I	4	
CMN111	Human Communication	3	
COS 101	Introduction to Computer Science	4	
		14	
Semester 2		Semester 5	
COS102	Computer Science I		EN 101 Literature I
	Algorithms and Programming	4	
MAT152	Calculus II	4	SE120 Foundations of Software Engineering
HIS 101	History of Western Civilization to 1648	3	SE205 Requirements of Engineering & Specifications
HPE 110	Concepts of Health & Fitness	2	Elective Math/Science Elective
ENG 102	English Composition II	3	SE312 Software Verification
		16	BM250 Principles of Management & Org Behavior
			18
Semester 3		Semester 6	
COS 231	Fundamentals of Computer		EN 202 Literature II
	Architecture	4	
PHY 117	University Physics I	5	SE 104 Introduction to Software Engineering
MAT 201	Probability and Statistics for		SE 207 Software Design & Architecture
	Science & Engineering	4	CS 305 Computer Algorithms I
HIS 102	History of Western Civilization since 1648	3	SE 403 Software Process Improvement
		16	16
Semester 4		***	
IST 102	Computer Concepts with Programming	3	
COS 204	Discrete Mathematical Structures	4	
COS 210	Computer Science II Data Structures	4	
PHY 217	University Physics II	4	
Elective	Aesthetic Perspective	3	
		18	
			Semester 7
			SE xxx Elective in Software Engineering
			Elective Math/Science Elective
			BE 201 Microeconomics
			SE 402 Human Computer Interaction
			SE 485A Software Practicum
			PR 432 Ethics & Professionalism in Science & Eng.
			18
			Semester 8
			SE xxx Elective in Software Engineering
			SE 418 Software Project Management
			BM 311 Management of Information Systems
			CS 438 Operating Systems Analysis
			SE 306 Formal Methods in Software Engineering
			SE 485B Software Practicum
			18
Credits at MCCC	64		
Credits MU	76		
Total Credits	140		
		*** Summer Cross Cultural Elective before 5 th & 7 th Semesters	