

**THE CITY UNIVERSITY OF NEW YORK  
ARTICULATION AGREEMENT BETWEEN  
MERCER COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE**

**AND**

**JOHN JAY COLLEGE OF CRIMINAL JUSTICE, CUNY**

**A. SENDING AND RECEIVING INSTITUTIONS**

<b><u>Sending Institution:</u></b>	Mercer County Community College
<b>Department:</b>	Business and Technology Division
<b>Program:</b>	Criminal Justice – Law Enforcement Option
<b>Degree:</b>	Associate in Science

<b><u>Receiving Institution:</u></b>	John Jay College of Criminal Justice
<b>Department:</b>	Law, Police Science, and Criminal Justice Administration
<b>Program:</b>	Criminal Justice (Institutional Theory and Practice)
<b>Degree:</b>	Bachelor of Science

**B. ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS FOR SENIOR COLLEGE PROGRAM**

Minimum GPA- 2.0 overall

Courses are considered individually and only those courses for which the student has received a grade of “C” or better are transferable. While transfer credit is not granted for a grade of “D”, students may be excused from repeating required courses in which they received a “D.” In selecting courses at Mercer County Community College students must select courses according to the equivalency table found below.

John Jay College will accept up to 68 credits from MCCC towards fulfillment of the bachelor’s degree.

### C. COURSE-TO-COURSE EQUIVALENCIES AND TRANSFER CREDIT AWARDED

Mercer County Community College		John Jay College		
Course Number & Title	Credits	Course Number & Title	Credits	Credits Awarded
<i>English Composition: 6 credits</i>				
ENG 101 English Composition I	3	ENG 101 Composition I	3	3
ENG 102 English Composition II	3	ENG 201 Composition II	3	3
<i>Mathematical and Quantitative Reasoning: 4 credits</i>				
MAT 125 Elementary Statistics I Or MAT 126 Elementary Statistics II Or MAT 200 Statistics for Social and Health Sciences I	3	STA 250 (or other JJC equivalent)	3	3
<i>Life and Physical Sciences: 3 credits</i>				
Science Elective	3	(JJC equivalent or blanket science credit)	3	3
<i>Remaining General Education</i>				
PSY 101 Introduction to Psychology	3	PSY 101 Introduction to Psychology	3	3
SOC 101 Introduction to Sociology Or SOC 107 Social Problems	3	SOC 101 Intro to Sociology Or (blanket SOC credit)	3	3
HIS 101 History of Western Civ to 1648 Or HIS 102 History of Western Civilization Since 1648	3	HIS 204 Global History: 500-1650 Or HIS 205 Global History: 1650 – Present	3	3
HIS --- Historical Perspective general ed. Elective	3	(JJC equivalent or blanket HIS credit)	3	3
CMN 111 Speech: Human Communication Or CMN 112 Public Speaking	3	COM 113 Oral Communication Or (blanket COM credit)	3	3
POL --- Political Science general education elective	3	(JJC equivalent or blanket POL credit)	3	3
IST 101 Computer Concepts with Applications	3	CLT 101 Computer Literacy	3	3
HPE 110 Concepts of Health and Fitness Or HPE 111 Living with Health	2	PED 103 Personal Physical Fitness and Dynamic Health	3	2
<i>Major Coursework</i>				
CRJ 101 Introduction to the Criminal Justice System	3	CJBS 101 Introduction to the American Criminal Justice System	3	3
CRJ 102 Police in the Community*	3	PSC 101 Introduction to Police Studies	3	3
CRJ 105 Criminology	3	SOC 203 Criminology	3	3
CRJ 202 Criminal Law	3	LAW 209 Criminal Law	3	3
CRJ 206 Police Administration	3	PSC 201 Police Organization and	3	3

		Administration		
CRJ --- Criminal Justice Elective	3	(JJC equivalent or blanket PSC credit)	3	3
<i>Free Electives</i>				
Electives	9	(JJC equivalent or blanket credit)	9	9
<b>Total</b>				<b>62</b>

\* MCCC's CRJ 102 is equivalent *only* to JJC's PSC 101. (JJC's PSC 202 Police & Community Relations differs in substance and level of academic challenge.)

#### D. SENIOR COLLEGE COURSES REMAINING FOR BACCALAUREATE DEGREE

Course Number & Title	Credits
<b>General Education Requirements (from JJC "College Option")</b>	
One 300-level Justice Core course from <i>Struggles for Justice in the U.S.</i> or <i>Justice in Global Perspectives</i>	3
One course from <i>Learning from the Past</i> or <i>Communications</i>	3
Total Gen Ed at JJC	<b>6</b>
<b>Remaining Requirements in Major</b>	
<b>Part 1. Remaining Core Requirements (15 cr.)</b>	
COR 101 Introduction to Corrections	3
LAW 203 Constitutional Law	3
CJBS 250 Research Methods and Statistics for Criminal Justice	3
CJBS 300 Criminal Justice Theory to Practice	3
CJBS 415 Capstone Seminar	3
Area Subtotal	15
<b>Part 2. Diversity (3 cr.)</b>	
Select one:	3
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• COR 320 Race, Class, &amp; Gender in a Correctional Context</li> <li>• CRJ 420 / SOC 420 Women &amp; Crime</li> <li>• PSC 202 Police &amp; Community Relations</li> <li>• PSC 235 Women in Policing</li> <li>• LAW 213 / POL 213 The Law &amp; Politics of Race Relations</li> <li>• LAW 340 Employment Discrimination Law, Affirmative Action &amp; Police Organization</li> </ul>	
Area Subtotal	3
<b>Part 3. Distribution Areas (6 cr.)</b>	
<b>Category A. Police (satisfied by CRJ 206 at MCCC*)</b>	6
<b>Select One</b>	
CRJ 255 Computer Applications in Criminal Justice	
CRJ 425 Major Works in Criminal Justice	
CRJ 321/Philosophy 321 Police Ethics	
<b>PSC 201 Police Organization and Administration*</b>	
PSC 207 The Investigative Function	
PSC 227 Police Training Programs: Goals, Content and Administration	
PSC 390 Internship	

PSC 405 Organized Crime in America PSC 415 Seminar in Terrorism PSC 3XX Police & the Media  <b>Category B. Law and Courts</b> <i>Select one</i> CRJ 322/PHI 322 Judicial & Correctional Ethics LAW 202 Law and Evidence LAW 206 The American Judiciary LAW 209 Criminal Law LAW 212 The Criminal Process and the Criminal Procedure Law LAW 259/POL 259 Comparative Criminal Justice Systems LAW 301 Jurisprudence LAW 310/PHI 310 Ethics and Law  <b>Category C. Corrections</b> <i>Select one</i> COR 201 The Law and Institutional Treatment COR 202 Administration of Correctional Programs for Juveniles COR 230/PSC 230 Sex Offenders in the Criminal Justice System COR 282 Principles of Correctional Operations COR 303 Comparative Correction Systems COR 310 Fieldwork in Corrections COR 320 Race, Class and Gender in a Correctional Context COR 401 Evaluation Correctional Methods & Programs COR 402 Administration of Community-Based Corrections Programs COR 415 Major Works in Corrections COR 430 Senior Seminar in Corrections COR 3XX Prisoner Re-entry and Reintegration COR 3XX Violence in Prisons PHI 322/CRJ 322 Judicial and Correctional Ethics <b>Note: courses can only be used to satisfy one area in the major.</b>	
Area Subtotal	6
Total credits in the major at JJC for MCCC transfers	24
Free electives	28
Total credits at John Jay	58



John Jay General Education Requirements	6
Remaining Core Requirements in Major	24
John Jay Electives	28
<b>Total Credits to be earned at John Jay College:</b>	<b>58</b>
<b>Total Credits to be earned at MCCC:</b>	<b>62</b>
<b>Total Credits required for B.A. degree:</b>	<b>120</b>

## **E. ARTICULATION AGREEMENT FOLLOW-UP PROCEDURES**

### **1. Procedures for reviewing, updating, modifying or terminating agreement:**

Mercer County Community College faculty and John Jay College faculty will review and analyze the strength of the curriculum and the success of students on an annual basis as part of their annual assessment activities. Modifications will be made as required.

#### **Changes**

Neither party may change this agreement unilaterally. Proposed changes in policies or curricula by either party must be communicated in writing to the other party and agreed upon in consultation with relevant officials, including faculty, of each institution. Any changes agreed upon must be signed, dated, and attached to this agreement.

#### **Notice of Cancellation**

Either party may independently cancel this agreement by notifying the other party no less than one academic year before the intended date of cancellation.

### **2. Procedures for evaluating agreement, i.e., tracking the number of students who transfer under the articulation agreement and their success:**

The CUNY Institutional Research Database will be used to track performance (in terms of credit accumulation and GPA) and persistence (in terms of retention and graduation) of all MCCC students who transfer to CUNY Senior Colleges.

### **3. Sending and receiving college procedures for publicizing agreement, e.g., college catalogs, transfer adviser, websites, etc.:**

Mercer County Community College and John Jay College will collaborate in publicizing this agreement on their websites and in their catalogs. They will share brochures and other marketing materials including web-based promotions. Transfer advisors will be made aware of this agreement and will have available all necessary materials to publicize the agreement to the students with whom they work.