

# Articulation Agreement

## Between Coastline Community College and Strayer University

### I. PURPOSE

The articulation agreement is designed to coordinate transfer policies, enhance advising, and promote the acceptance of the programmatic transfer of courses/credits between Strayer University (SU) and Coastline Community College (CCC).

### II. ELEMENTS OF THE AGREEMENT

#### A. Admissions Practices

1. SU will accept applications from students who wish to transfer from CCC into any related baccalaureate degree program at SU. Transferring CCC applicants must meet the same admissions criteria as other students applying for transfer to SU.
2. CCC students, who have completed or will complete an AA/AS degree by the time they enroll in classes at SU, will be exempted from paying the SU application fee.
3. Students transferring from CCC to specific SU programs must meet the same admission criteria, as other native or transfer students applying to SU's programs.
4. CCC students who graduate with an AA/AS degree, are applying to a related degree program at SU, and have a CCC curriculum GPA of at least 2.0 are guaranteed admission to SU. Once admitted, students are subject to all other policies and procedures, including residency requirement of SU, as outlined in the SU catalog. Students who have questions may consult a counselor and/or advisor at either institution for assistance.

## **B. Acceptance and Application of Credits**

1. The maximum number of transfer credits accepted from an institution granting a 2-year degree will equal the minimum number of credits required to complete the specific degree program of that institution. Therefore all courses from an articulated school should be articulated into the bachelors program in their entirety.
2. Students from two-year institutions where we have articulation agreements will have their entire degree program transferred in, including “C- and D” grades, allowing the student to complete their related degree program at Strayer University in two years for full-time study. However, SU will accept only courses in which a grade of “C” or better is earned by students who have not completed the requirements for the associate degree at CCC.
3. General Education/Integrative Studies - students completing an AA or AS at CCC will be considered to have met all lower division general education requirements at Strayer University.
4. For courses taught at the 300 or 400 level at SU, students may be required to take alternative courses to earn upper division credit.
5. SU accepts military credits based on ACE recommendations. In addition, SU accepts DANTES and CLEP credits based on ACE recommendations.
6. SU will evaluate courses/credits earned through Advanced Placement (AP), College-Level Examination Program (CLEP), or other testing programs. SU also will evaluate courses/credits earned at other institutions. Students seeking credit for these courses must provide the university with official transcripts for evaluation.
7. Prior Learning Activity and other life experiences credits already evaluated as part of the associates degree program will be brought in with the degree.