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JOHN F. KENNEDY UNIVERSITY & NATIONAL UNIVERSITY ARTICULATION AGREEMENT

I. TITLE OF ARTICULATION AGREEMENT

National University Associate of Arts degree to John F. Kennedy University Bachelor programs.

II. TYPE OF AGREEMENT

Articulated AA to Bachelors agreement.

III. PURPOSE

The purpose of the following articulated curriculum agreement is to facilitate the transfer of AA graduates from National University (NU) to the Bachelor programs at John F. Kennedy University (JFKU).

IV. NU PROGRAM INFORMATION

MAJOR: Associate of Arts
SCHOOL: College of Letters and Sciences
DEPARTMENT: Mathematics and Natural Sciences
DEGREE: Bachelor
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V. NATIONAL UNIVERSITY ASSOCIATE of ARTS DEGREE

General Education and Elective Requirements

General Education Area	Course Number	Course Title	Units
Area A: English and Communication	ENG100/101	Effective College English	6
	ENG240	Advanced Composition	4.5
	COM103 or	Oral Communication or	4.5

	COM100	Intro to Mass Comm.	
Area B: Math	Varies	Varies	4.5
Area C: Information Literacy	ILR260	Information Literacy	4.5
Area D: Humanities	ART 100	Introduction to Art History	4.5
	LIT 100	Introduction to Literature	4.5
	Varies	Varies	4.5
Area E: Social and Behavioral Sciences	HIS 350	Cultural Diversity	4.5
	Varies	Varies	4.5
	POL 201	American Politics	4.5
Area F: Science with Lab	BIO 100	Survey of Bioscience	4.5
	BIO 100A	Survey of Bioscience Lab	1.5
Area G: Foreign Language	Foreign Language	varies	4.5
	Foreign Language	varies	4.5
Area A-G: G.E. Electives	choose one of the following: SCI300, EES301, EES335, EES332	Student must choose life or physical science (dependent upon what was chosen for Area F as student must have life and physical science to meet JFK requirements)	4.5
General Open Elective	Any 100-200	varies	19.5

*Total General Education Quarter Units required:
elective to meet the overall unit total for the degree*

70.5 quarter units + 19.5 quarter units of open

Total units to be taken at NU: 90 quarter units

The total courses required at NU will be 21-22 courses.

VI. PROVISIONS

A. ADMISSION

NU: NU students follow the admissions and degree requirements for the Associate of Arts degree that are outlined in the NU Catalog.

JFKU: Applicants to JFKU BA and BS degree programs will be considered to have fulfilled all lower-division general-education breadth requirements provided either of the following is true:

- Applicant has a BA or BS degree from a regionally accredited college or university (or the equivalent) or
- Applicant has a California AA or AS degree

(JFKU 2007-2009 General Catalog)

JFKU: Will waive the Lower Division General Education requirements for any NU student with an AA or AS degree.

B. CATALOG IN EFFECT/CONTINUOUS ENROLLMENT

NU: Students graduate under the catalog in effect at the time of their initial enrollment at National University provided they maintain continuous enrollment. NU defines continuous enrollment as one with no more than a 12 month break.

JFKU: Students are subject to the provisions of John F. Kennedy University's continuous enrollment policy.

C. GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS

Refer to pages 1-3 of this document.

D. GRADING POLICIES

NU: Graduation from NU is dependent upon the completion of the program of study for the Associate of Arts degree with a cumulative GPA of 2.00 or higher.

JFKU: Graduation from JFKU is dependent upon the completion of degree requirements and an overall grade-point average of 2.0 or higher.

E. FORGIVENESS

NU: Courses in which a grade of D or F was earned may be repeated. All courses attempted will appear on the transcript but the most recent grade will be used in the cumulative GPA calculation and there will be a notation that the prior course was repeated.

JFKU: Courses taken at JFKU in which a grade of C-, D, or F was earned may be repeated at JFKU. Grades of C- and D are not acceptable in an undergraduate major, but can be applied toward a baccalaureate degree. All courses attempted will appear on the transcript but the most recent grade will be used in the cumulative GPA calculation and there will be a notation that the prior course was repeated.

F. WAIVERS OR SUBSTITUTIONS

Any waiver or substitution of coursework at either institution must have prior approval by the appropriate institution.

G. MINIMUM UPPER DIVISION HOURS

John F. Kennedy University requires a minimum of 54 quarter units of upper division coursework.

H. UPDATES AND TERMINATION

This agreement will remain in effect unless written notice of termination is given to the other party thirty days prior to the effective date of termination. This agreement may be updated by either party if agreement is reached and all parties sign the document.

I. OTHER

Any variation in this program may result in additional required coursework.