



## **MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING TRANSFER ARTICULATION**

**ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY-NEWPORT  
AND  
ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY-JONESBORO**

**Associate of Arts in General Education  
and  
Bachelor of Arts in History**

This Memorandum of Understanding (“Agreement”), entered into on \_\_\_ of May, 2018, (“Effective Date”) by and between Arkansas State University-Jonesboro (hereinafter, “ASUJ”), located at 2105 Aggie Road, Jonesboro, Arkansas 72401, and Arkansas State University-Newport (hereinafter “ASUN”), located at 7648 Victory Blvd, Newport, AR 72112.

### **PURPOSE**

The purpose of this Agreement is to facilitate the transfer and degree completion of students earning the Associate of Arts in General Education at ASUN to the Bachelor of Arts in History. Through collaborative efforts, ASUJ and ASUN will provide clarity regarding the degree requirements herein, and afford students the opportunity to earn a high-quality degree from both institutions in the most efficient manner possible.

### **AGREEMENT**

It is agreed that any student who has earned the Associate of Arts in General Education at ASUN will be admitted to the Bachelor of Arts in History at ASUJ with full junior classification, subject to the provisions listed below.

## **ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS**

- A. The student must complete the requirements necessary for general admission to ASUJ as well as specific admission to the ASUJ Bachelor of Arts in History program.
- B. The student will have earned the Associate of Arts in General Education at ASUN.
- C. Degree program admission requirements for students who transfer pursuant to this Agreement will be determined in the same manner as if their initial enrollment had been at ASUJ.

## **TRANSFER OF CREDITS**

- A. Course requirements for this Agreement are displayed on the following attachments (see Appendix A).
- B. A transfer student who has not completed all of the courses specified within the Associate of Arts in General Education degree plan at ASUN, before entering ASUJ, must work with an academic advisor to ensure timely completion of degree program requirements.
- C. Current and updated copies of catalogs/curricular requirements for the ASUJ Bachelor of Arts in History program will be available to ASUN online.
- D. Remedial course grades will not be computed in the cumulative GPA for purposes of admission to ASUJ.

## **IMPLEMENTATION AND REVIEW**

- A. The Chief Academic Officers at each institution will implement the terms of this Agreement, including incorporation of any mutually agreed upon changes into subsequent revisions of this Agreement, assuring compliance with system policy, procedure and guidelines.
- B. This Agreement will be reviewed on an annual basis. Both ASUJ and ASUN agree to notify one another in a timely manner of any curriculum changes that would significantly impact the nature of this Agreement.
- C. ASUJ and ASUN will work together cooperatively, in the best interest of affected students, to resolve any issues related to the transfer of courses should changes to either degree program occur while the Agreement is in effect.
- D. Students will be subject to the terms and conditions of this Agreement in accordance with their academic year of entry at ASUN. A student may opt for a subsequent revision of this Agreement, but must meet all of the requirements specified therein.
- E. ASUJ and ASUN will make every effort to inform students of this Agreement. This may include, but is not limited to, inclusion within each institution's website, published catalog, recruitment publications, media announcements, social media engagement, and in-person information sessions.

**MISCELLANEOUS**

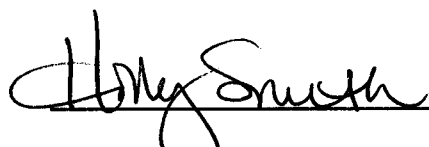
- A. This Agreement is effective upon execution and shall remain in effect even if persons, positions, and/or titles change.
- B. This Agreement may be terminated by either party with at least 90 calendar days written notice.
- C. In the event that the Agreement is terminated, no new students will be admitted to the program; however, all students who have already been admitted to ASUJ, in accordance with the terms of this Agreement, will be allowed to complete their approved course of study under the terms contained therein.
- D. This agreement shall become effective at the time that the Arkansas Department of Higher Education has been notified and approval has been granted.

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Lynita M. Cooksey, Ph.D.  
Provost and Vice Chancellor for Academic  
Affairs and Research  
Arkansas State University-Jonesboro

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Holly Smith, Ed.D.  
Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs  
Arkansas State University-Newport



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## Appendix A:

### Course equivalencies between Arkansas State University-Newport and Arkansas State University-Jonesboro

#### ASUN Courses

##### English Composition

ENG 1003 Composition I  
ENG 1013 Composition II

##### Mathematics

MATH 1023 College Algebra **OR**  
MATH 1083 Quantitative Literacy

##### Life Science

BIOL 1003/1001 Biological Science/Lab

##### Physical Sciences

###### *Choose One*

PHSC 1203/1201 Physical Science/Lab  
CHEM 1013/1011 General Chemistry I/Lab  
GEOL 1003/1001 Environmental Geology/Lab  
PHYS 1103/1101 Intro to Space Science/Lab  
PHYS 2054 General Physics I

##### Social Sciences

HIST 1013 World Civilization to 1660  
HIST 2763 U.S. History to 1876

##### U.S. Government/History

HIST 2773 U.S. History Since 1876

##### World History

HIST 1023 World Civilization Since 1660

##### Humanities

###### *Choose 6 hours from the following:\**

ENG 2003 Intro to Literature of the Western World I  
ENG 2013 Intro to Literature of the Western World II  
PHIL 1103 Introduction to Philosophy

##### Fine Arts

THEA 2503 Fine Arts Theatre **OR**  
MUS 2503 Fine Arts Musical **OR**  
ART 2503 Fine Arts Visual

##### Institutional Requirements

MIS 1033 Introduction to Computers  
PE 1623 Concepts of Fitness  
SPCH 1203 Oral Communication

#### ASUJ Courses

ENG 1003 Composition I  
ENG 1013 Composition II

MATH 1023 College Algebra  
MATH 1043 Quantitative Reasoning

BIOL 1003/1001 Biological Science/Lab

PHSC 1203/1201 Physical Science/Lab  
CHEM 1013/1011 General Chemistry I/Lab  
GEOL 1003/1001 Environmental Geology/Lab  
PHYS 1103/1101 Intro to Space Science/Lab  
PHYS 2054 General Physics I

HIST 1013 World Civilization to 1660  
HIST 2763 The United States to 1876

HIST 2773 The United States Since 1876

HIST 1023 World Civilization Since 1660

ENG 2003 World Literature to 1660  
ENG 2013 World Literature Since 1660  
PHIL 1103 Introduction to Philosophy

THEA 2503 Fine Arts Theatre  
MUS 2503 Fine Arts Music  
ART 2503 Fine Arts Visual

CS 1013 Introduction to Computers  
PE 1002 Concepts of Fitness  
COMS 1203 Oral Communication

**ASUN Courses**

UNIV 1001 College and Life Skills

**Directed Electives**

SPAN 1013 Elementary Spanish I

SPAN 1023 Elementary Spanish II

SPAN 2013 Intermediate Spanish I

SPAN 2023 Intermediate Spanish II

**ASUJ Courses**

Transfer Credit Elective

SPAN 1013 Elementary Spanish I

SPAN 1023 Elementary Spanish II

SPAN 2013 Intermediate Spanish I

SPAN 2023 Intermediate Spanish II

\*Students will choose one course as a Directed Elective

## ASU- JONESBORO COURSES

The following are courses that ASUN students must take to complete ASUJ's Bachelor of Arts in History

**Major Requirements (33 hours)\***

HIST 3333 The Practice of History

HIST 4803 Senior History Seminar

Elective History Courses

*At least 9 hours must be at 4000 level*

Upper-level United States History electives (9 hours)

Upper-level European History electives (6 hours)

Upper-level World History electives (6 hours)

Upper-level History electives (6 hours)

**Electives (27 hours)\*\***

\*Due to rotation all courses may not be available every term

\*\*Must include 12 Upper-Level hours