



Articulation Agreement with Moraine Park Technical College

Memorandum of Understanding between

Moraine Park Technical College

And Ripon College

Associate of Arts and Associate of Science Degrees

Moraine Park Technical College and Ripon College will collaborate on the transfer of Moraine Park Technical College's Associate of Arts (AA) and Associate of Science (AS) degrees. This memorandum of understanding (MOU) describes the intent and commitment of both parties in collaboration.

Overall Objective:

The Associate of Arts (AA) and Associate of Science (AS) degrees are designed to prepare students for entry to baccalaureate programs with a junior status at Ripon College. This MOU outlines the requirements for completion of Ripon College's Catalyst Curriculum through a combination of an MPTC degree (AA or AS) and completion of a capstone course at Ripon College.

Block Articulation of Courses:

Upon completion of either the AA or AS degree at Moraine Park Technical College, Ripon College will transfer a minimum of 60 credits to Ripon College. All credits earned as part of the AA or AS degree will be transferred and credits outside those curricula will be evaluated individually. With completion of either the AA or AS degree at Moraine Park Technical College, students who transfer to Ripon College will have met the requirements of the following Catalyst Curriculum courses:

- 110 – Writing
- 120 – Quantitative Reasoning
- 210 – Intercultural Competence
- 220 – Integration

With successful completion of Catalyst 300 – Collaborative Capstone at Ripon College, and having satisfied minimum GPA standards, students will have satisfied all requirements of Ripon College's Catalyst Curriculum applicable toward a four-year program.

Individual Articulation of Courses:

Specific courses may be required of a program in addition to completion of the Catalyst Curriculum. Individual course articulation will guide the application of transfer coursework in meeting specific program course requirements of each four-year degree program. Students should work with academic advisors from both institutions to determine best course options for transfer based on intended program(s) of study.

Partner Roles and Responsibilities:

Moraine Park Technical College will:

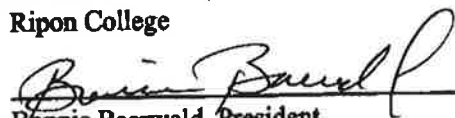
- Accept credit for prior learning (CPL) based on Wisconsin Technical College System (WTCS) and Moraine Park Technical College (MPTC) standards.
- Assign a Dean of Associate Dean to provide oversight and supervision of the Associate of Arts and Associate of Science degree programs.
- Hire and supervise instructors for courses offered as part of the associate degree program.
- Award financial aid to eligible students within the associate degree program.
- Award the Associate of Arts or Associate of Science degree upon successful completion by the student.
- Work collaboratively with Ripon College to provide student support in the areas of advising and transfer of credits and credentials.

Ripon College will:

- Recognize completion of an Associate of Arts or Associate of Science degree at Moraine Park Technical College as meeting Catalyst Curriculum requirements outlined in this MOU.
- Review individual courses, upon request by students, and maintain individual course articulation records in support of transfer by students.
- Work collaboratively with Moraine Park Technical College to provide student support in the areas of advising and transfer of credits and credentials.



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Bonnie Baerwald, President
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4/5/24
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