

ARTICULATION AGREEMENT
between
Nassau Community College
(Associate in Science in Fire Science)
and
John Jay College of Criminal Justice, C.U.N.Y.
(Bachelor of Science in Fire Science)

PROVISIONS:

1. Nassau Community College students must hold an associate degree in Fire Science to be admitted to the Bachelor of Science Degree at John Jay College. As students can only graduate from Nassau Community College if their cumulative grade point average is at least 2.0 (on a 4.0 system), those holding an associate degree will accordingly meet the minimum requirement for admission of transfer students to John Jay College of a “C” average (2.00 cumulative average based on a 4.00 system).
2. John Jay College will accept up to sixty-eight (68) semester hours of academic credit toward fulfillment of the bachelor’s degree.
3. Students will be able to complete all Baccalaureate degree requirements within the specified 120 degree credits, and be able to graduate within four semesters of full time study.
4. Courses are considered individually and only those courses for which the student has received a grade of “C” or better are transferable.
5. Nassau Community College and John Jay College will develop and maintain a course equivalency listing.
6. Graduates from Nassau Community College will be eligible for consideration for Baccalaureate degree honors at John Jay, provided that their remaining credits are taken at John Jay.
7. Application for direct transfer admission to John Jay College should be filed preferably at the beginning of the second semester of the last year of attendance at Nassau Community College.
8. A list of personnel at John Jay College who will advise NCC student will be available. John Jay College will also provide printed material on the programs and

services available at the college. Nassau Community College will inform students of the following aspects of John Jay:

- a) John Jay is designated by the state legislature as a specialized liberal arts college in Criminal Justice.
 - b) John Jay is the largest Criminal Justice College in the New York area. John Jay also has both a Master's and Ph.D program in Criminal Justice.
 - c) John Jay's faculty consists of men and women who have earned their degrees at prestigious universities. Their research and writing have won them wide recognition in the field of criminal justice and other areas of public service. Many faculty members are considered national experts and serve frequently as consultants to governmental agencies and the media.
 - d) One of the strengths of John Jay is an outstanding library. Materials of all types and forms relating to criminal justice are available. The reputation of the library extends internationally and many outside researchers use the collection.
 - e) The Office of Placement and Career Advisement at the college helps students prepare for a career as well as for future studies in law school or graduate school. Special workshops in resume writing and job interview techniques are held throughout the year. The Career Resource Center is open to all students to help them explore public service opportunities.
 - f) Through the College's Internship Program, students gain work experience and often make valuable contacts for future employment. Students serving as interns in various city, state and federal agencies earn academic credit for their service while learning to apply the principles set forth in the classroom to actual work situations in the field.
 - g) Counselors are available for academic as well as confidential personal counseling.
9. Students enrolling at John Jay College with the Associate's degree must take the CUNY proficiency Examination during their first semester at CUNY.
 10. Transfers from Nassau Community College will be eligible for appropriate scholarship opportunities, including:

- The Kevin Maher Memorial scholarship – awarded in the fall semester to a new transfer student with a 3.0 (minimum) grade point average (from NCC) and documented proof of public service.
 - The New Transfer Student Scholarship – awarded to transfer students who transfer to the college in the fall with the highest grade point average in three categories; less than 30 credits; 31-60 credits; more than 60 credits. There are two awards in each category.
11. This agreement is predicated upon the 2007 design of the curriculum at Nassau Community College and John Jay College of Criminal Justice-C.U.N.Y.
12. This agreement shall remain in effect until modified by mutual consent or altered one year after receipt of written intention by either party.

Sean A. Fanelli
President, Nassau Community College

Jeremy Travis
President, John Jay College
of Criminal Justice-C.U.N.Y.

Date: _____

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Associate Degree in Fire Science from Nassau CC

Nassau CC	Cr	John Jay	Cr
<u>First Semester</u>			
FRS 101 Intro to Fire Science	3	FIS 101 Intro to Fire Science	3
ENG 101 Composition I	3	ENG 101 College Composition I	3
CHE 131 General Chemistry	4	CHE 103 General Chemistry I	5*
BUS 112 Principles of Management	3	ECO blanket credit	3
PSY 203 Introduction to Psychology	3	PSY 101 Introduction to Psychology	3
(subtotal)	16		16
<u>Second Semester</u>			
FRS 102 Fire Safety & Tactics	3	Applies to Gen Ed Requirements.	3
ENG 102 Composition II	3	ENG 102 College Composition II	3
SOC 201 Intro to Sociology	3	SOC 101 Introduction to Sociology	3
CHE 132 General Chemistry II	4	CHE 104 General Chemistry II	4
PSA 225 Public Safety Administration	3	SEC blanket credit	3
(subtotal)	16		16
<u>Third Semester</u>			
FRS 202 Fire Protection & Detection Systems	3	FIS 202 Fire Protection Systems	3
FRS High Rise Structures & Systems	3	Applies to Gen Ed Requirements	3
Math Elective: MAT 101 Concepts of Math	3	Math 105 (w/ degree)	3
Humanities Elective: HIS 101 History of Western Civ. I	3	HIS 231 The Origins of the Contemporary World I	3
PED 292 Safety & First Aid	3	PED 113 Personal Safety & First Aid	2
PED 301, 303 Weight Training 1 & 2	1	PED 168	1
(subtotal)	16		15
<u>Fourth Semester</u>			
FRS 203 Hazardous Materials in the Fire Service	3	FIS 209 Analysis of Urban Hazardous Materials, Tactics, and Strategy	3
Math Elective: MAT 118 Finite Mathematics	3	MAT 108 (w/ degree)	3
CRJ 201 Criminal Investigations	3	PSC 207 The Investigative Function	3
Health Elective:	2	[pending]	
Humanities Elective: HIS 102 History of Western Civ. II	3	HIS 231 The Origins of the Contemporary World II	3
PSA 231 Arson Investigation, Safety Management	3	FIS 106 Safety Engineering	3
PED 665 Basic Swimming & Rescue Technique	1	PED 111 Aquatics I: Beginning Swimming	1
(subtotal)	16		16
Total	64		

* Only the 4.0 credits attached to Nassau Community College's course will transfer.

Coursework required at John Jay

General Education Requirements			
<u>John Jay course</u>	Cr	<u>Nassau CC Equivalent</u>	Cr
SPE 113 Speech Communication	3	COM 103 Public Speaking	3
LIT 231 Western Lit. I	3	ENG 311 Masterworks of Literature I	3
LIT 232 Western Lit. II	3	ENG 312 Masterworks of Literature II	3
PHI 231 Knowing, Being, and Doing	3	PHI 101 Intro to Philosophy	3
ETH 123, 124, or 125	3	TBD	
Fine Arts (Art, Music, or Drama)	3	Any Art, Music, or Drama course	3
Foreign Language 101, 102	6	Any 2 sequential Foreign Languages	6
(subtotal)	24		
Remaining Core Requirements in Major			
<u>John Jay Course</u>	Cr		Cr
FIS 210 Fire Safety Administration	3		
FIS 230 Building Construction and Life Safety Systems I	3		
FIS 257 Fire Dynamics	3		
FIS 330 Building Construction and Life Safety Systems II	3		
FIS 401 Seminar in Fire Protection Problems	3		
(subtotal)	15		

	(Subtotal)
John Jay General Education Requirements	(24)
Remaining Core Requirements in Major	(15)
John Jay Electives	(17)
Total Credits to be earned at John Jay College:	56
Total Credits to be earned at Nassau CC:	64
Total Credits required for B.S. degree:	120