



**MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING  
TRANSFER ARTICULATION**

**UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE AT BATESVILLE  
AND  
ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY-JONESBORO**

**Associate of Science in Criminal Justice  
and  
Bachelor of Arts in Sociology**

This Memorandum of Understanding ("Agreement"), entered into on this 8<sup>th</sup> day of November 2017, ("Effective Date") by and between Arkansas State University (hereinafter, "A-State"), located at 2105 Aggie Road, Jonesboro, Arkansas 72401 and the Board of Trustees of the University of Arkansas for and on behalf of University of Arkansas Community College Batesville (hereinafter "UACCB"), located at 2005 White Drive, Batesville, Arkansas 72501.

**PURPOSE**

The purpose of this Agreement is to facilitate the transfer and degree completion of students earning the Associate of Science in Criminal Justice at UACCB to the Bachelor of Arts in Sociology. Through collaborative efforts, ASUJ and UACCB 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 Science in Criminal Justice at UACCB will be admitted to the Bachelor of Arts in Sociology at ASUJ in either the on-campus or A-State Online program 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 Sociology program.
- B. The student will have earned the Associate of Science in Criminal Justice at UACCB.
- 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**

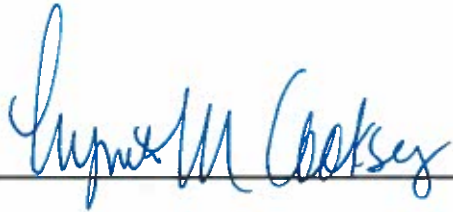
- A. Course requirements for this Agreement are displayed on the following attachments (see Appendix A).
- B. A transfer student who has not completed all of the courses specified within the Associate of Science in Criminal Justice degree plan at UACCB, before entering ASUJ, must work with an academic 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 Sociology program will be available to UACCB online. Catalogs/Curricular requirements are available for both the on-campus and A-State Online programs.
- D. Remedial course grades will not be computed in the cumulative GPA for purposes of admission to ASUJ.
- E. Calculation of overall GPA for purposes of graduation and awarding of honors is left to the discretion of 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 UACCB 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 UACCB 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 UACCB. A student may opt for a subsequent revision of this Agreement, but must meet all of the requirements specified therein.
- E. ASUJ and UACCB 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**

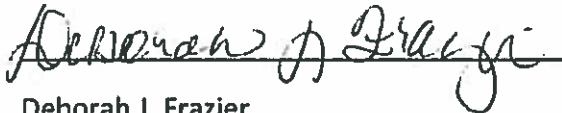
- A. This Agreement is effective upon execution and shall remain in effect even if persons, positions, and/or titles change.
- B. This Agreement may be terminated by either party with at least 90 calendar days written notice.
- C. In the event that the Agreement is terminated, no new students will be 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.



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

11-15-17

Date



Deborah J. Frazier  
Chancellor  
University of Arkansas Community College at Batesville

November 09, 2017

Date

## Appendix A:

### Course equivalencies between University of Arkansas Community College at Batesville and Arkansas State University - Jonesboro

<b>UACCB Courses</b>	<b>ASUJ Courses</b>
<b>English Composition</b> ENG 1103 English Composition I ENG 1203 English Composition II SPC 1003 Oral Communication	ENG 1003 Composition I ENG 1013 Composition II COMS 1203 Oral Communication
<b>Mathematics</b> MTH 1023 College Algebra (or higher level math course) MTH 2053 Statistics	MATH 1023 College Algebra ECON 2113 Business Statistics I
<b>Life Science</b> BIO 1033/1031 Biology for General Education/Lab OR BIO 1103/1101 Biology for Majors/Lab OR BIO 2203/2201 Microbiology/Lab OR	BIOL 1003/1001 Biological Science/Lab BIOL 1003/1001 Biological Science/Lab BIOL 2103/2101 Microbiology for Nursing/Lab
<b>Physical Sciences</b> CHM 1103/1101 College Chemistry I/Lab OR PHS 1003/1001 Physical Science/Lab OR GEL 1003/1001 Physical Geology/Lab	CHEM 1013/1011 General Chemistry I/Lab PHSC 1203/1201 Physical Science/Lab GEOL 1003/1001 Environmental Geology/Lab
<b>Social Sciences</b> POS 2103 United States Government SOC 2003 Principles of Sociology PSY 1003 General Psychology	POSC 2103 Intro to US Government SOC 2213 Introduction to Sociology PSY 2013 Introduction to Psychology
<b>Arts and Humanities</b> ENG 2113 World Literature I OR ENG 2213 World Literature II AND FAT 2013 Theater OR FAM 2003 Music OR FAV 2023 Visual Art	ENG 2003 World Literature to 1660 ENG 2013 World Literature Since 1660 THEA 2503 Fine Arts Theatre MUS 2503 Fine Arts Music ART 2503 Fine Arts Visual
<b>Required Classes</b> CRJ 1103 Introduction to Criminal Justice CRJ 1303 Criminal and Procedural Law CRJ 1403 Criminal Investigations CRJ 2304 Forensic Science w/Lab CRJ 1253 Criminology	CRIM 1023 Introduction to Criminal Justice CRIM 2263 Criminal Evidence and Procedure CRIM 2253 Criminal Investigation Transfer Credit Elective Transfer Credit Elective

**UACCB Courses**  
CRJ 2503 Legal Writing  
SPA 1003 Spanish I

**ASUJ Courses**  
Transfer Credit Elective  
SPAN 1013 Elementary Spanish I

# ASU- JONESBORO COURSES

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

**Social Science General Education Requirement (Select 2 courses from the list below for a total of 6 hours)**

ECON 2313 Principles of Macroeconomics	ECON 2333 Economic Issues and Concepts
GEOG 2613 Introduction to Geography	HIST 1013 World Civilization to 1660
HIST 1023 World Civilization Since 1660	HIST 2763 United States History to 1876
HIST 2773 United States History Since 1876	POSC 1003 Introduction to Politics
CMAC 1003 Mass Communication	

**Major Requirements: (21 hours)**

SOC 2223 Social Problems  
SOC 3273 Social Stratification  
SOC 3383 Social Statistics  
SOC 4243 Social Theory  
SOC 4293 Methods of Social Research  
SOC 4323 Applied Research

**Foreign Language Requirement (9 hours)**

SPAN 1023 Elementary Spanish II  
SPAN 2013 Intermediate Spanish I  
SPAN 2023 Intermediate Spanish II

**Sociology Electives (Select 6 courses from the list below for a total of 18 hours)**

ANTH 2233 Introduction to Cultural Anthropology	SOC 4213 Childhood and Adolescence
CRIM 3263 Criminology	SOC 4223 Urban Sociology
SOC 3003 Sociology of Gender	SOC 4233 Social Organization
SOC 3223 Sociology of Families	SOC 4253 Rural Sociology
SOC 3293 Self and Society	SOC 4263 Terrorism/Social Movement
SOC 3313 Sociology of Sexuality	SOC 4273 World Population & Society
SOC 3333 Sociology of Health & Illness	SOC 4283 Qualitative Data Analysis
SOC 3353 Minority Groups	SOC 4343 GIS for the Social Sciences
SOC 3363 Sociology of Religions	SOC 4353 Sociology of Aging
SOC 3463 Collective Behavior	SOC 4253 Rural Sociology
SOC 4003 Perspectives on Death and Dying	SOC 4363 Environmental Sociology
SOC 4063 Sociology of Disasters	SOC 4423 Sociology of Medicine
SOC 4073 Sociology of Family Violence	SOC 460V Special Problems
SOC 4203 Social Deviance	SOC 4703 Internship

**Additional Electives: (10-12 hours)\***

\*Must include 9 Upper-Level hours

## A-STATE ONLINE COURSES

The following are courses that UACCB students must take to complete ASUJ's Bachelor of Arts in Sociology through A-State Online

**Social Science General Education Requirement (Select 1 course from the list below for a total of 3 hours)**

CMAC 1003 Mass Communication

ECON 2333 Economic Issues and Concepts

HIST 2763 United States History to 1876

**Major Requirements: (21 hours)**

Substitute Upper-Level Sociology Course

SOC 2223 Social Problems

SOC 3273 Social Stratification

SOC 3383 Social Statistics

SOC 4243 Social Theory

SOC 4293 Methods of Social Research

SOC 4323 Applied Research

**Foreign Language Requirement: (9 hours)**

SPAN 1023 Elementary Spanish II

SPAN 2013 Intermediate Spanish I

SPAN 2023 Intermediate Spanish II

**Sociology Electives: (Select 6 courses from the list below for a total of 18 hours)**

CRIM 3263 Criminology

SOC 3353 Minority Groups

CRIM 3323 Juvenile Delinquency

SOC 3463 Collective Behavior

SOC 3003 Sociology of Gender

SOC 4063 Sociology of Disasters

SOC 3223 Sociology of Families

SOC 4353 Sociology of Aging

SOC 3313 Sociology of Sexuality

**Additional Electives: (10-12 hours)\***

**\*Must include 9 Upper-Level hours**