

THE UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS RIO GRANDE VALLEY
AND
SOUTH TEXAS COLLEGE

Articulation Agreement
AA Business Administration (South Texas College)
BBA Business Administration (UTRGV)

This AGREEMENT, effective the 12th day of December, 2016, is between The University of Texas Rio Grande Valley (“UTRGV”), a component institution of The University of Texas System, and South Texas College (“STC”), a College having its principal office in McAllen, Texas.

WHEREAS, UTRGV and STC desire to implement an Articulation to provide students enrolled at STC with an opportunity to smoothly transition to and further their educational opportunity at UTRGV.

WHEREAS, successful completion of an academic associate degree at STC is an indicator to UTRGV that the student has completed the appropriate courses, received the necessary instructions and preparation, and that similar knowledge, skills, and student learning outcomes can be expected, enabling the student’s progression to the upper division course sequence or requirement at UTRGV,

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual promises herein, the parties agree to the following:

1. Term

This agreement shall be effective for two years from the date of its executive or upon revisions mandated by state requirements. The agreement may be renewed upon the mutual written approval of The University of Texas Rio Grande Valley and South Texas College.

2. Courses of Study

UTRGV’s College of Business & Entrepreneurship (COBE) will accept the complete set of lower division courses from a student who receives an AA in Business Administration from STC and is admitted to UTRGV.

- The total number of transfer hours will be capped at 60 (sixty) semester hours.
- All STC courses transferred to UTRGV shall be part of the *Lower Division Academic Course Guide Manual* issued by the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board.
- For the UTRGV Bachelor of Business Administration, the following STC Associate of Arts (AA) in Business Administration field of study electives will transfer as follows:

<u>STC</u>		<u>UTRGV</u>	
ACCT.2401	Financial Accounting	ACCT.2301	Financial Accounting
ACCT.2402	Managerial Accounting	ACCT.2302	Managerial Accounting
ECON.2302	Micro Economics	ECON.2302	Micro Economics
BUSI.1301	Business Principles	MGMT.1301	Introduction to Business
MATH.1442	Statistical Methods	QUMT.2341	Business Statistics I
		INFS.2300	Data Modeling Management Tools

- 2.1. In accordance with Sec 61.822 of the Texas Education Code, a student who successfully completes courses in the STC core curriculum will receive academic credit at UTRGV for each of the core courses transferred.
- 2.2. Transfer students must apply for admission and meet requirements to UTRGV and the College of Business & Entrepreneurship (COBE). Transfer students are encouraged to complete their Associate of Arts in Business

Administration at STC prior to completion of their first semester of study at UTRGV. STC and UTRGV faculty will work with students to help promote the completion of the Associates degree in a timely fashion.

- 2.3. **Grandfather Clause:** Candidates who completed MATH 1425 approved STC course prior to Fall 2017 will be "Grandfathered in" through Spring 2018 traditional Associates degree application cycle.
- 2.4. This Articulation Agreement will be published and provided as a transfer guide during academic advisement at both institutions.

3. Designated Liaison

Each institution designates the following officials to serve as its liaison to coordinate and facilitate activities under this Articulation Agreement and to address any concerns or disputes that may arise relating to the terms and conditions of this Articulation Agreement.

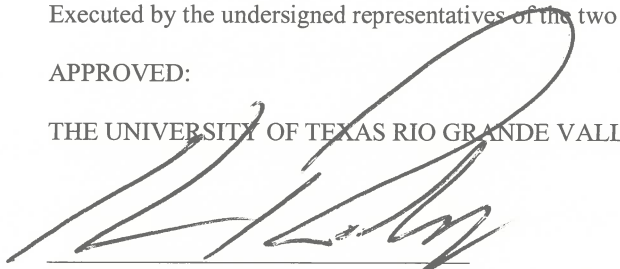
South Texas College:
Dr. Kelli Anne Davis
University Relations Officer
Division of Math, Science, & University Relations

The University of Texas Rio Grande Valley:
Dr. Linda Matthews
Associate Dean for Undergraduate Programs
Robert C. Vackar College of Business & Entrepreneurship

Executed by the undersigned representatives of the two institutions on December 12th, 2016

APPROVED:

THE UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS RIO GRANDE VALLEY



Dr. Havidán Rodriguez
Provost/Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

SOUTH TEXAS COLLEGE



Dr. Anahid Petrosian
Vice President for Academic Affairs



Dr. Mark Kroll
Dean, College of Business & Entrepreneurship



Mr. Mario Reyna
Dean, Business & Technology Division

The University of Texas Rio Grande Valley/South Texas College
Suggested Four-Year Road Map for Transfer Students, Academic Year 2016-2017

This Road Map is a tool to assist you and your advisor in planning your academic program.
 Use it along with your department's official degree plan.

Degree: AA/BBA-Management Major: Business Administration					
First Year - Fall Semester - STC		Hours	First Year - Spring Semester - STC		Hours
HIST 1301 United History I or HIST 2327		3	HIST 1302 United States History II or HIST 2328		3
ENGL 1301 Composition II-Rhetoric		3	ENGL 1302 Composition II - Rhetoric		3
COSC 1301 Introduction to Computing or Speech El		3	Creative Arts Elective - Core Curriculum		3
Componet Area Option - Core Curriculum			Mathematics Elective - Core Curriculum		3
BUSI 1301 Business Principles		3	ACCT 2401 Principles of Financial Accounting		4
Total Fall Semester Hours		12	Total Spring Semester Hours		16
Summer I			Summer II		
Total Summer I Hours		0	Total Summer II Hours		0
Students must maintain an overall 2.500 GPA in order to stay on track with admissions requirement to UTRGV's College of Business and Entrepreneurship.					
Second Year - Fall Semester - STC		Hours	Second Year - Spring Semester - STC		Hours
GOVT 2305 Federal Government		3	GOVT 2306 Texas Government		3
Life & Physical Sciences Elect. - Core Curriculum		4	Life & Physical Sciences Elect. - Core Curriculum		4
ACCT 2402 Principles of Managerial Accounting		4	ECON 2302 Principles of Economics II - MICRO		3
ECON 2301 Principles of Economics I - MACRO		3	MATH 1442* Statistical Methods		4
			Language, Philosophy & Culture Elective - Core Cur		3
			Component Area Option - Core Curriculum (if requi		1
Total Fall Semester Hours		14	Total Spring Semester Hours		18
Summer I			Summer II		
Total Summer I Hours		0	Total Summer II Hours		0
Students must meet with a UTRGV RCV CoBE Program Coordinator to discuss College Admission Requirements. Students must meet a minimum of 2.5 GPA requirement to be admitted into the College. Contact cobeadmit@utrgv.edu for assistance.					
Third Year - Fall Semester - UTRGV		Hours	Third Year - Spring Semester - UTRGV		Hours
MGMT 3361 Principles of Management		3	MGMT 3362 Human Resource Management		3
MARK 3300 Principles of Marketing		3	FINA 3380 Introduction to Finance		3
QUMT 3341 Business Statistics II		3	MGMT 4321 Organizational Behavior		3
MGMT ---- Advanced Management Core Option		3	---- International Business Component Option		3
MGMT ---- Advanced Management Core Option		3	---- Business Communications Component Option		3
INFS 2300 Data Modeling Management Tools		3			
Total Fall Semester Hours		18	Total Spring Semester Hours		15
Summer I			Summer II		
Total Summer I Hours		0	Total Summer II Hours		0
Fourth Year Fall Semester - UTRGV		Hours	Fourth Year Spring Semester - UTRGV		Hours
MGMT 4356 Foundations of Entrepreneurship		3	MGMT ---- Advanced Management Core Option		3
MGMT ---- Advanced Management Core Options		3	BLAW 3337 Business Law I		3
MGMT ---- Advanced Management Core Options		3	---- Management Information Systems Option		3
---- Ethics Component Option		3	MGMT ---- Advanced Management Core Option		3
MGMT 4363 Operations Management		3	MGMT 4389 Strategic Management		3
Total Fall Semester Hours		15	Total Spring Semester Hours		15
Total Degree Hours					123

Updated 6/10/2016

*Demonstration of second language proficiency is a requirement of all bachelor's degrees at UTRGV