TRANSFER ARTICULATION AGREEMENT
between
CLINTON COMMUNITY COLLEGE
and
SUNY POTSDAM

The purpose of this agreement is to facilitate the transfer of students from the Humanities & Social Science A.A. degree at Clinton CC to the Political Science B.A. degree at SUNY Potsdam. Students transferring with an associate degree will enter Potsdam as juniors and, assuming normal academic progress, have the opportunity to complete the B.A. degree in two additional years of full-time enrollment.

Admission
- Clinton students should apply to SUNY Potsdam the semester prior to their intended transfer date. Applying early in that semester is encouraged.
- The application is available online at www.suny.edu/applysuny - the application fee is waived for students transferring with an associate degree from Clinton.
- An official transcript is required from every college attended.
- An official high school transcript or copy of the GED/TASC is also required to be on file for federal financial aid purposes.
- Students transferring with the A.A. degree and a 2.0 or higher grade point average are guaranteed admission to SUNY Potsdam.
- Transfer scholarships are available to transfer students with a 3.0 or higher GPA and are renewable for one year if GPA is maintained - apply at www.potsdam.edu/scholarships.
- The parties will encourage all students, regardless of background, to pursue enrollment in the A.A./B.A. program.

Transfer of Courses
- All college-level non-major courses with a D (1.0) or higher will transfer; all major requirement courses with a C (2.0) or higher will transfer and count toward the major.
- There is no maximum number of transfer credits, but a minimum of 30 credits, including 15 upper-division credits in the major, must be completed with SUNY Potsdam coursework. Students transferring credits in excess of those required by the A.A. degree at Clinton may complete more than 120 total credits in pursuit of the B.A. degree.
- Clinton students transferring upon completion of the A.A. degree have satisfied SUNY General Education requirements.
- An official evaluation of transfer credit is provided at the time of acceptance.

Transfer Services
- New transfer students are required to attend a transfer student orientation.
- New transfer students receive individual advising with specially trained advisors.

Authorizations

This agreement commences upon the date of its signing and shall remain in effect until terminated by either college. The major information will be reviewed on a periodic basis and updated as curricular changes are made at both colleges. Both colleges will notify each other when such changes are made.

SUNY Potsdam   **Clinton Community College**

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Dr. Kristin G. Esterberg, President   Ray M. DiPasquale, President

Date: ____ / _____ / _____   Date: ____ / ____ / _____

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Dr. Bette S. Bergeron, Provost and Vice   Dr. John J. Kowal, Vice President for Academic
President for Academic Affairs   Affairs

Date: ____ / ____ / _____   Date: ____ / ____ / _____

Clinton CC Humanities & Social Science A.A. with transfer to SUNY Potsdam Political Science B.A.

Clinton CC Political Science A.A.	SUNY Potsdam Political Science B.A.
PSC 100 Government & Politics in America (3)	POLS 110 Intro to U.S. Politics (3)
PSC 120 Intro to Political Science – Comparative Politics (3)	POLS 130 Intro to Comparative Politics (3)
PSC 220 World Politics (3)	POLS 140 Intro to International Relations (3)
PSC 240: State & Local Government (3)	POLS 322: State & Local Government (3)
MAT 161 Elementary Statistics (3)	MATH 125 Probability & Statistics I (3)

Remaining Requirements at SUNY Potsdam:

- Courses:
    - POLS 200 Political Ideas (4)
    - POLS 289 Approaching Political Puzzles (4)
    - POLS 400 Senior Seminar (4)
    - POLS upper-division electives (3, each in different sub-fields) (12)
- Political Science Requirements Remaining =   24 hours
- Completion of 42 credit hours at the 300/400 level (remaining upper-division requirement; 16 of these include the remaining Political Science major courses listed above)

This pathway offers considerable flexibility. Students will have room to incorporate an academic minor into their SUNY Potsdam program of study. Students interested in this option may want to take it into account when considering Clinton electives. SUNY Potsdam transfer admissions staff can advise regarding coursework that would be applicable to minor programs of study.
transfer@potsdam.edu , (315) 267-2180

SUNY Potsdam's transfer course equivalency tables can be accessed at: www.potsdam.edu/admissions/transfer.

FIRST YEAR (Clinton CC)	
First semester:	Second semester:
ENG 101 (3)	ENG 102 (3)
PSC 100 (3)	PSC 120 (3)
MAT (above 100) (3)	MAT 161 (3)
LIB 101 (1)	Humanities elective (3)
Free elective (3)	Science (4)
Humanities elective (3)	
Total = 16	Total = 16

SECOND YEAR (Clinton CC)	
First semester:	Second semester:
English elective (above 102) (3)	Humanities elective (3)
Social Science elective (not PSC) (3)	Social Science elective (not PSC) (3)
American History/Other World Civ/Western Civ/Foreign Language (3)	PSC 240 (3)
Health & Physical Education (1)	Free elective (3)
PSC 220 (3)	Free elective (3)
Total = 13	Total = 15

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THIRD YEAR (SUNY Potsdam)	
First semester:	Second semester:
POLS elective (4)	POLS 289 (4)
Upper-division elective (3)	POLS elective (4)
Upper-division elective (3)	Upper-division elective (3)
Upper-division elective (3)	Upper-division elective (3)
Elective (3)	PE/HW (1)
Total = 16	Total = 15

FOURTH YEAR (SUNY Potsdam)	
First semester:	Second semester:
POLS elective (4)	POLS 400 (4)
Upper-division elective (3)	POLS elective (4)
Upper-division elective (3)	Upper-division elective (3)
Elective (3)	Elective (3)
Elective (3)	
Total = 16	Total = 14