



## **Memorandum of Agreement on Transfer Between The University of Hawai'i at Mānoa and Guam Community College**

We, the undersigned representatives of the public institutions of the University of Hawai'i for the benefit of the University of Hawai'i at Mānoa (UHM) and Guam Community College (GCC), adopt the following agreement.

A student who completes an Associate of Arts degree based on a baccalaureate oriented sequence at GCC, an Accrediting Commission for Junior and Community Colleges (ACCJC)-accredited institution, and whose program of study has met both GCC graduation requirements for an Associate of Arts and the UHM transfer credit guide, will be accepted with junior standing and will have satisfied the General Education requirements for the UHM, minus the completion of the Language and Focus designation classes. Students transferring to UHM who have not completed an Associate of Arts degree will be given General Education credit for all articulated courses, but may not be granted junior standing upon matriculation.

This voluntary agreement affirms the commitment of these institutions to cooperate with sister colleges and universities in matters of student transfer and articulation for the ultimate benefit of all transfer students from GCC and UHM.

### **Points of Clarification**

1. This agreement applies only to Associate of Arts transfers from GCC.
2. Transfer students accepted for admission at UHM with an Associate of Arts degree from GCC will be guaranteed admission with junior standing with the understanding that:
  - a. UHM schools and colleges reserve the right to determine admission to their specific majors and programs.
  - b. GCC transfer students are subject to the same institutional assessment policies and procedures as resident students of UHM.
3. If GCC students take the following distribution of UHM articulated agreement courses they will be accepted as having satisfied the General Education requirements at UHM. A minimum of 31 credit hours in the following fields will be required. Please note: GCC transfer students completing *under* the 31 required credit hours may still be accepted, but they must complete the remainder of this requirement before graduation from UHM.

Foundations- 12 total credit hours	
Global & Multicultural Perspectives	6 credits, two courses
Symbolic Reasoning	3 credits, one course
Written Communications	3 credits, one course

Diversification – 19 total credit hours	
Arts, Humanities, & Literatures	6 credits, from 2 of these three areas
Social Sciences	6 credits, from 2 different departments
Biological Sciences	3 credits
Physical Sciences	3 credits
Science Laboratory	1 credit

Transcripts demonstrating that GCC transfer students have fulfilled the General Education requirements above must be appropriately coded by GCC. Additionally, all students must complete the Focus courses (5 written, 1 oral, 1 ethics, and 1 Hawaiian) and Hawaiian/Second Language for completion of the degree as directed in their college or school at UHM.

4. UHM retains the right to define the requirements of a baccalaureate degree, additional courses, not in the transfer agreement, may be required.
5. Other associate degrees and certificates may be awarded for programs that have requirements different from the baccalaureate-oriented sequences of a primary objective other than transfer. Students in such programs wishing to transfer to UHM are to be considered outside the terms of this agreement. Students in some programs to include but not limited to Technology, Engineering, Nursing and Architecture programs may be considered outside of this agreement. It is recommended that a 2+2 and 2+3 year arrangement be developed for the above programs of study. Acceptance of course credit for the transfer from such programs will be determined by UHM on the basis of application of the courses to the baccalaureate program in the major field of the student. Credit for equivalent technical courses may be granted on a case-by-case basis by departmental examination.
6. Foreign Language and Focus class (Written, Oral, Ethics, and Hawaiian) requirements are viewed as graduation requirements and are part of the General Education requirements for the purposes of this agreement.
7. A transfer student may be required to take freshman or sophomore courses to meet program-specific requirements.
8. For GCC students that are non-native English speakers, additional classes from TOEFL and/or ELI may be required for success in completion of baccalaureate degree.
9. For GCC students who are non-citizens, I-20's will need to be issued for transfer to UHM
10. GCC transfer students will be assessed academically in the same fashion as non-transfer students at UHM.

11. Both parties will review this agreement every five years to ensure meeting the General Education hallmarks and transferability of credits.
12. Either party may terminate this agreement at any time by providing written notice six months in advance. Termination of this contract should not affect students already in the transfer pipeline.
13. This agreement will take effect upon signing.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Parties hereto have caused this MOU to be executed by their duly authorized representatives. Each Party shall hold one original signed MOU, with both documents being equally authentic.

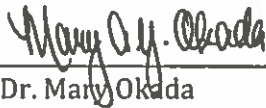


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**APPENDIX A: TRANSFER GUIDE OF ARTICULATED COURSES: UHM AND GCC**

GUAM CC GEN EDCOURSES			UHM EQUIVALENT		UHM GEN ED REQUIREMENT
ASL	100	American Sign Language I	OTHA	HSL	HSL: Hawaiian/Second Language
ASL	110	American Sigh Language II	OTHA	HSL	HSL: Hawaiian/Second Language
ASL	120	American Sign Language III	OTHA	HSL	HSL: Hawaiian/Second Language
ASL	130	American Sign Language IV	OTHA	HSL	HSL: Hawaiian/Second Language
CH	110	Chamorro I	CHAM	101	HSL: Hawaiian/Second Language
CH	111	Chamorro II	CHAM	102	HSL: Hawaiian/Second Language
EN	111	Writing for Research	ENG	100	FW: Written Communication
HI	121	World Civilization I	HIST	151	FGA: Global & Mltctrl Perspectives
HI	122	World Civilization II	HIST	152	FGB: Global & Mltctrl Perspectives
JA	110	Beginning Japanese 1	JPN	101	HSL: Hawaiian/Second Language
JA	111	Beginning Japanese 2	JPN	102	HSL: Hawaiian/Second Language
JA	210	Intermediate Japanese	JPN	201	HSL: Hawaiian/Second Language
MA	110A	Finite Mathematics	MATH	140	FS: Symbolic Reasoning
ASL	100	American Sign Language I	OTHA	HSL	HSL: Hawaiian/Second Language
GUAM CC CORE FOUNDATIONAL COURSES			UHM EQUIVALENT		UHM GEN ED REQUIREMENT
AC	101	Prin I	ACC	ELEC	
AC	102	Prin II	ACC	ELEC	
AC	103	Prin III	ACC	ELEC	
AE	103	Basic Blueprint Reading			
AE	121	Technical Engineering Drawing			
CD	110	Early Childhood Ed Orient	OTHO	ELEC	
CD	140	Environ for Young Children	OTHO	ELEC	
CD	153	ECE History & Current Issues	OTHO	ELEC	
CD	180	Language Arts in EC	OTHO	ELEC	
CD	221	Child Growth & Development	FAMR	DS	DS: Social Sciences
CD	240	Cognitive & Creative Dev	OTHO	ELEC	
CD	280	Program Development	OTHO	ELEC	
CJ	100	Intro to Criminal Justice	OTHA	ELEC	
CJ	101	Juvenile Justice Process	OTHA	ELEC	
CJ	104	Dynamics of Substance Abuse	OTHO	ELEC	
CJ	107	Introduction to Corrections	OTHA	ELEC	
CJ	204	Introduction To Criminology	OTHA	ELEC	
CJ	206	Social Values & Crim Just Proc	OTHA	ELEC	
CS	101	Intro Computer Syst & Info Tech	ICS	ELEC	
CS	102	Computer Operations	ICS	ELEC	
CS	103	Report Program Generator (RPG)	ICS	ELEC	
CS	104	Visual Basic Programming	ICS	ELEC	
CS	112	Introduction to Linus	ICS	ELEC	
CS	150	Microcomp Conc & Appl	ICS	ELEC	
CS	151	Windows Applications	ICS	ELEC	

CS	152	Macintosh Applications	ICS	ELEC	
CS	202	COBOL	ICS	ELEC	
CS	203	System Analysis & Design	ICS	ELEC	
CS	204	C++ Programming	ICS	ELEC	
CS	205	Network Communications	ICS	ELEC	
CS	206	Java I	ICS	111	
CS	210A	Configurig Windows Systems	ICS	ELEC	
CS	252	Advanced RPG	ICS	ELEC	
CS	266	Advanced Java	ICS	ELNI	Non-Intro Elective
EC	110	Prin Ec	ECON	120	DS: Social Sciences
ED	150	Introduction to Teaching	OTHO	ELEC	
ED	220	Human Growth & Development	FAMR	230	DS: Social Sciences
EN	110	Freshman English			
EN	125	Intro to Human Comm & Speech	COMG	151	DA: Arts
EN	210	Introduction to Literature	ENG	271	DL: Literatures
HI	176	Guam History	HIST	DH	DH: Humanities
HL	130	First Aid & Safety	KLS	ELEC	
HS	110	Orient to Travel	TIM	101	
HS	150	Welcome to Hospitality			
HU	120	Pacific Cultures	PACS	108	DS: Social Sciences
HU	125	GU Cult & Legends	OTHO	DH	DH: Humanities
HU	130	Asian Cults	ASAN	DH	DH: Humanities
ICS	110	Introduction to the Internet	ICS	ELEC	
MA	108	College Algebra	MATH	134	
MK	123	Principles of Marketing	OTHO	ELEC	
MK	205	Entrepreneurship	OTHO	ELEC	
MK	207	E-Marketing	OTHO	ELEC	
MK	208	International Marketing	OTHO	ELEC	
OA	108	Introduction to Business	OTHO	ELEC	
PI	101	Introduction to Philosophy	PHIL	100	DH: Humanities
PS	140	American Government	POLS	130	DS: Social Sciences
PY	100	Personal Adjustment	PSY	170	DS: Social Sciences
PY	120	General Psychology	PSY	100	DS: Social Sciences
PY	125	Interpersonal Relations	PSY	170	DS: Social Sciences
SI	101/101L	Introduction to Chemistry	CHEM	DP/DY	DP/DY: Physical Sciences/Lab
SI	102	General Chemistry W/Lab	CHEM	DP/DY	DP/DY: Physical Sciences/Lab
SI	105/105L	Intro to Physical Geology	GG	DP/DY	DP/DY: Physical Sciences/Lab
SI	120	Intro Island Ecol & Resource Mgt	NREM	DB	DB: Biological Sciences
SI	141	Applied Physics I	PHYS	DP	DP: Physical Sciences
SI	142	Applied Physics II	PHYS	DP	DP: Physical Sciences
SI	150	Introduction to Microbiology	MICR	DB	DB: Biological Sciences
SM	108	Introduction to Business	OTHO	ELEC	
SO	130	Introduction to Sociology	SOC	100	DS: Social Sciences
TH	101	Introduction to the Theater	THEA	101	DA: Arts
VC	101	Intro to Visual Communication	ART	DA	DA: Arts
SI	110/110L	Environmental Biology	NREM	210/DY	DB/DY: Biological Sciences/Lab