

ARTICULATION AGREEMENT
between
College of Micronesia-FSM
and
TEMPLE UNIVERSITY—OF THE COMMONWEALTH
SYSTEM OF HIGHER EDUCATION
for
ASSOCIATE OF SCIENCE DEGREE IN BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION, COM-FSM
to
BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS,
TEMPLE UNIVERSITY, JAPAN CAMPUS
Effective Fall 2019

College of Micronesia-FSM (“COM-FSM”) and Temple University—Of The Commonwealth System of Higher Education, Japan Campus (“TUJ”) (1) refer to the Memorandum of Understanding entered into on March 21, 2018 (“MOU”) and (2) enter into this agreement in order to facilitate the transfer of students who have earned the Associate of Science (A.S.) Degree in Business Administration at COM-FSM into the Bachelor of Science in International Business Studies program based at TUJ.

Once students transfer to TUJ, they should be able to complete the Bachelor of Science in International Business Studies program within four (4) regular semesters and two (2) summer sessions of full-time enrollment, assuming that no remedial or repeated courses are needed, that the recommended courses are successfully completed, and that all applicable TUJ grades and other requirements are met to the satisfaction of TUJ.

Students who complete the COM-FSM curriculum specified in the required course equivalencies table on page 4 of this agreement, are guaranteed the transfer credit for courses indicated in that section. Courses not listed there, but brought into TUJ in transfer by a student covered by this agreement, will be granted credit according to standard Temple University – COM-FSM equivalencies

This agreement does not change the regular Temple University policy that grants transfer credit to courses taken elsewhere only if they were completed with a grade of “C” or higher.

Students who transfer under the terms of this agreement are responsible for meeting requirements in their major field of study, and any other curricular requirements applying to all TUJ students, that were in effect at TUJ at the time of their admittance to TUJ. These students will also abide by the policies and procedures, and any revisions thereof that apply to all Temple students.

This agreement does not cover students who transfer from COM-FSM to TUJ without an Associate of Science Degree in Business Administration.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF ADMISSION TO TEMPLE UNIVERSITY, JAPAN CAMPUS

1. Students entering TUJ under the terms of this agreement must meet all regular TUJ admissions requirements and all applicable conditions and deadlines pertaining to application for admission and payment of tuition and fees.
2. Evaluation of transfer credits is based on a student's major. The school/college makes the final determination of which transfer credits are applicable to the student's degree program. Transfer evaluations may change for students who change majors.

3. Because the COM-FSM Associate of Science Degree in Business Administration covered by this program-to-program articulation agreement is not approved for GenEd-to-GenEd Transfer to Temple, students will be required to complete Temple's 45+ General Education (GenEd) requirements.
4. Temple University requires that all undergraduate degree candidates complete 45 hours of the last 60 hours of the degree or program as matriculated students at Temple. If a matriculated student previously took Temple courses (either at TUJ or at another Temple University campus) on a non-matriculated basis, those courses are counted towards this requirement.

JOINT RESPONSIBILITIES FOR MAINTENANCE OF THIS AGREEMENT

COM-FSM will maintain and distribute information about this agreement, and any modifications thereto, to its students, counselors, faculty, and advisors.

TUJ will keep appropriate TUJ offices and staff (including the Office of the Associate Dean for Academic Affairs, the Admissions Counseling Office, and the Academic Advising Center) informed of this agreement and any modifications thereto, and will be responsible for distributing information concerning such changes. TUJ will coordinate this agreement and any modifications thereto with appropriate offices of the Temple University Main Campus (Temple University - Of The Commonwealth System of Higher Education).

Both institutions will encourage COM-FSM students to meet with representatives of TUJ to discuss issues related to admissions and financial aid well in advance of their expected date of entry.

TUJ and COM-FSM will collaborate when possible on research activities that will help assess the effectiveness of this transfer program in meeting the needs of students transferring from COM-FSM to TUJ.

REVISION, RENEWAL AND TERMINATION OF THIS AGREEMENT

TUJ's Academic Advising Center and the Advising & Transfer Center at COM-FSM are responsible for identifying, and communicating to each other, changes in their respective courses, requirements, or policies that affect this agreement.

Each Party agrees to maintain appropriate accreditation for the institutions and programs covered by this Agreement. Failure to maintain appropriate accreditation will be cause to terminate this Agreement, at the other party's sole discretion.

This agreement will be in effect as of the Fall 2019 Semester. This agreement will be reviewed biennially by TUJ's Academic Advising Center and the COM-FSM Advising & Transfer Center, and will automatically be renewed until superseded by a new agreement or formally terminated. Revisions in the course equivalency lists may be made with the verbal consent of the representatives of the two schools; major revisions to this agreement require their signatures on a letter of agreement or a revised version of the agreement. All revisions, however, require that documentation is sent to and approved by the Office of the Associate Dean for Academic Affairs at TUJ and by the Office of Undergraduate Studies, Main Campus to ensure that updates are made to the appropriate systems in order to effectively implement this agreement. Either institution may terminate this agreement at any time by written notice at least one (1) year in advance of the effective date of termination. Should this agreement be terminated, it is understood that the termination will not apply to students already accepted to TUJ under the terms of this agreement. Absent explicit provisions to the contrary, revisions to or termination of this agreement will not affect the MOU or any other agreements then in effect between the institutions.

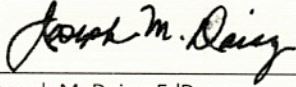
COM-FSM and TUJ understand that they shall act in an independent capacity in the performance of this agreement and shall not be considered as employees, agents, affiliates, or subsidiaries of each other. Neither Temple nor COM-FSM has the right to bind or obligate one another in any manner inconsistent with or unrelated to this agreement. This agreement is governed by the laws of Japan.

SIGNATURES

The willingness of both institutions to enter this agreement in order to facilitate the transfer of students from College of Micronesia-FSM to Temple University, Japan Campus and to expand their opportunities for academic success at TUJ is indicated by the following signatures.

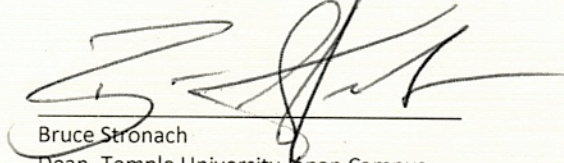
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Joseph M. Daisy, EdD
President & CEO

Date: 4/22/19



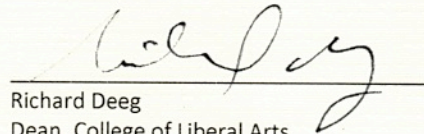
Bruce Stronach
Dean, Temple University Japan Campus

Date: March 28, 2019



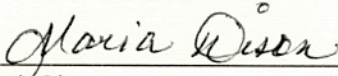
Karen Simion
Vice President of Academic Affairs

Date: 4/22/19



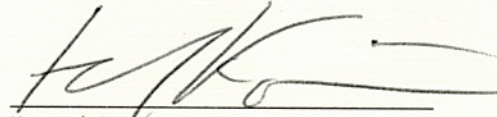
Richard Deeg
Dean, College of Liberal Arts

Date: 3/19/19



Maria Dison
Dean of Academic Programs

Date: 4/22/19



Kenneth Kaiser
Vice President, CFO, & Treasurer

Date: 3/13/19

Associate of Science in Business Administration NOTE 1
at College of Micronesia-FSM to
Bachelor of Science in International Business Studies
at Temple University, Japan Campus
(Effective Fall 2019)

(COM-FSM) Recommended Course			Temple University Equivalent	
First Semester			First Semester	
EN 101	Advanced Reading	Credits: 3	ENGL L***	English Elective
EN 120a	Expository Writing <small>NOTE 2</small>	3	ENGL L***	English Elective
BU 101	Intro to Business	3	BA T***	Business Elective
MS 100	College Algebra	3	MATH L***	Mathematics Elective
CA 100	Computer Literacy	3	CIS L****	CIS Elective
Semester Total:		15		
Second Semester			Second Semester	
EN 120b	Expository Writing II <small>NOTE 2</small>	3	ENGL L***	English Elective
AC 131	Accounting I	4	ACCT 2101	Financial Accounting
	Science w Lab	4		Dependent upon course selection <small>NOTE 5</small>
BU/MS 110	Business Math	3	STAT 1001	Quantitative Methods for Business I
	Humanities course <small>NOTE 3</small> Recommend EN 201: Introduction to Literature	3		Dependent upon course selection <small>NOTE 5</small>
Semester Total:		17		
Third Semester			Third Semester	
EC 220	Microeconomics	3	ECON 1102	Principles of Microeconomics
	Non-lab science or agriculture <small>NOTE 4</small> Recommend SC 220: Intro to Geology	3		Dependent upon course selection <small>NOTE 5</small>
AC 250	Managerial Accounting	3	ACCT 2102	Managerial Accounting
BU 260	Fundamentals of Management	3	HRM 1101	Leadership and Organizational Management
MS 150	Statistics	3	STAT T***	Statistics Elective
	Exercise Sports Science course	1		Dependent upon course selection <small>NOTE 5</small>
Semester Total:		16		
Fourth Semester			Fourth Semester	
BU 250	Principles of Finance	3		Non-Transferable
BU 270	Principles of Marketing	3	MKTG 2101	Principles of Marketing
BU 271	Business Law	3	BA T***	Business Elective
EN/BU 121	Business Communication	3		Pending Evaluation
EC 230	Macroeconomics	3	ECON 1101	Principles of Macroeconomics
Semester Total:		15		
Total Credits Taken		63		

Notes:

- Students who transfer with an A.S. in Business Administration from the College of Micronesia-FSM will be required to complete Temple's 45+ General Education requirements.
- The combination of EN 120a and EN120b satisfies Temple's ENGL 0802: Analytical Reading & Writing (GW) General Education requirement.
- Students should select EN 201: Introduction to Literature. EN 201 transfers to Temple as ENGL 2001: Introduction to Literature and satisfies a major requirement. Students transferring without this course may require additional time to degree completion.
- Students should select SC 220: Intro to Geology. SC 220 transfers to Temple as EES 2001: Physical Geology and satisfies a major requirement. Students transferring without this course may require additional time to degree completion.
- Student should refer to the Transfer Equivalency Tool to see how selected coursework might transfer to Temple. The Transfer Tool can be accessed here: <https://admissions.temple.edu/transfer-equivalency-tool>.

If the suggested classes are successfully completed and an Associate in Science in Business Administration is awarded from the College of Micronesia-FSM, the remaining four semesters at Temple University, Japan Campus for the **Bachelor of Science in International Business Studies** are as follows:

Remaining Requirements at Temple University		
Summer Semester		Credits
CLA 2000+	One Liberal Arts elective at 2000 – 4999	3
POLS 2000+	Political Science 2000+	3
GenEd	GenEd Race & Diversity	3
Semester Total:		9
Fifth Semester		
	Foreign Language 1001 <i>Note e</i>	4
MATH 1021	College Algebra	4
ENG 2007	Writing for Business	3
CLA 2020	Special Topics in Liberal Arts II (International Career Strategies)	2
JIBS 3101	Introduction to Global Finance	3
OR		
JIBS 3501	Marketing in a Global Environment	
Semester Total:		16
Sixth Semester		
	Foreign Language 1002 <i>Note e</i>	4
MATH 1031	Differential and Integral Calculus	4
GY or GZ	Intellectual Heritage I or II	3
CLA 2030	Special Topics in Liberal Arts III (Technology in International Business)	3
JIBS 3101	Introduction to Global Finance	3
OR		
JIBS 3501	Marketing in a Global Environment	
Semester Total:		17
Summer Semester		
GenEd	GenEd Arts, GenEd Human Behavior or GenEd U.S. Society	3
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ECON 3581	Co-op Experience in Economics (Internship)	3
Semester Total:		9
Seventh Semester		
	Foreign Language 2000+ (third level) <i>Note e</i>	3-4
MATH 2031	Probability and Statistics	3
JIBS 4596	International Business Capstone [WI]	3
ASST 2511	Introduction to Asian Business	3
POLS 2321	Politics of the Global Economy	3
Semester Total:		15-16
Eighth Semester		
	Foreign Language 2000+ (fourth level) <i>Note e</i>	3-4
ECON 3563	International Trade	3
ECON 3564	International Monetary Economics	
JIBS 4197	Global Business Overview	3
ECON 3538	Managerial Economics	3
Semester Total:		12-13
<i>Credits transferred as part of the AA in Business Administration:</i>		63
<i>Remaining BS in International Business Studies Requirements to complete at Temple</i>		78-80
Total Credits Completed to Satisfy the Requirements for the BS in International Business Studies:		141

Notes: Students following this plan are under 45+ General Education Program

- a) To find the online application:
 - a. Go to <http://www.tuj.ac.jp/ug/admissions/index.html>
 - b. Click on "Apply Online"
 - c. Create an account
- b) All inquiries about the undergraduate program and application are handled through the Office of Undergraduate Admissions – Temple Japan. If you have specific questions about your application or the admission process, please call +81-3-5441-9800

- c) Temple University requires that all undergraduate degree candidates complete 45 hours of the last 60 hours of the degree or program as matriculated students at Temple University. If a matriculated student previously took Temple courses (either at TUJ or at another Temple University campus) on a non-matriculated basis, those courses are counted towards this requirement.
- d) Per Temple's Transfer Policy for [Permission to Complete a Course at Another Institution after Matriculation](#), students who transfer 60 credits or more cannot receive permissions to transfer additional course work.
- e) Students may seek a waiver of the foreign language requirement on the basis previous experience.