

# TRANSFER AGREEMENT FOR BACCALAUREATE DEGREE



## Southern Maine Community College & Saint Joseph's College of Maine



### Statement of Purpose

The purpose of this agreement is to facilitate student academic transfer and provide a smooth transition from Southern Maine Community College (SMCC) to Saint Joseph's College of Maine (SJCME). It is recognized that this agreement shall describe the required program of study at SMCC for admission eligibility to Saint Joseph's College of Maine and the degree program indicated.

### Terms & Conditions of Academic Credit Transfer

**To: Bachelor of Arts in Psychology**

**From: Associate in Arts in Liberal Studies with a focus in Psychology**

The evaluation and transfer of earned college credits shall be in compliance with state and federal education policies and institutional and academic program accreditation standards pertaining to undergraduate academic transfer. Current students and graduates who have earned degrees from Southern Maine Community College shall be eligible for credit evaluation under the terms of this agreement.

Transfer students will be accorded the same standards and criteria for admission to a major degree sequence as Saint Joseph's College of Maine students. All applicants accepted to Saint Joseph's College of Maine's Baccalaureate programs must fulfill the graduation requirements of the granting institution as identified in Appendices A, B & C.

- **Appendix A** - Admission & Graduation Requirements of the Receiving Institution
- **Appendix B** - Side By Side Course Equivalency Tables for the academic program listed above
- **Appendix C** – A four-semester map of remaining courses to be taken at Saint Joseph's College of Maine

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## Articulation Agreement between Southern Maine Community College & Saint Joseph's College of Maine

### APPENDIX A

#### Admission & Graduation Requirements of the Receiving Institution

This agreement includes specific requirements for admission into a program, outlines requirements, and indicates which degree or diploma can be used to meet program prerequisites as well as general education, major or program, and graduation requirements.

#### Admissions Requirements

***Successful completion of the SMCC Associate in Arts in Liberal Studies with a focus in Psychology , submission of a completed admission application, transcripts, and other supporting materials.***

#### Requirements for the Bachelor of Science in Psychology

*(See Appendix C)*

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## APPENDIX B

### Side by Side Course Equivalency Tables

SMCC General Education Requirements			SJCME Equivalencies		
Course	Title	Credits	Course	Title	Credits
ENGL 100	English Composition	3	EH 101	College Writing (Written Comm.)	3
ENGL 115	Introduction to Literature	3	EH	EH Elective (Literary Exploration)	3
FIGS 100	Student Success	1	FYE 100	First Year Experience	1
MATH 155	Statistics	3	MA 205	Elementary Statistics (Quantitative Reasoning)	3
BIOL 132	Anatomy & Physiology I & Lab	4	BI 210	Anatomy & Physiology I (Inquiry into the Natural World)	4
	Art or Music Elective	3	AT	AT Elective (Artistic Exploration & Expression)	3
PSYC 100	Introduction to Psychology	3	PY 101	Introduction to Psychology	3
	POLS 100 Intro to Political Science <b>OR</b> POLS 105 American Government	3	HPS	HPS Elective (Historic/Civic Literacy)	3
	Humanities Elective	3	PH TH HPS	PH TH HPS Elective	3
ENGL 110	Oral Communication	3	EH	EH Elective	3
SOCI 100	Intro to Sociology	3	SO 201	Principles of Sociology (Inquiry into Society)	3
Choose PHIL 105	Ethical Dilemmas (Ethical Reasoning Elective)	3	PH 200	Human Nature & Ethics (Philosophical Inquiry)	3
<b>Total credits</b>		<b>35</b>	<b>Total credits accepted</b>		<b>35</b>

SMCC Major Requirements			SJCME College Equivalencies		
Course	Title	Credits	Course	Title	Credits
	Fine Arts or Humanities Elective	3	AT PH TH	AT PH TH Elective	3
Choose HIST 125	World History Since 1500 (History Elective)	3	HPS 104	Modern Global History (Human Foundations)	3
PSYC 200	Abnormal Psychology	3	PY 308	Psychopathology	3
PSYC 220	Lifespan Development	3	PY 211	Lifespan Development	3
PSYC 215	Social Psychology	3	PY 305	Social Psychology	3
PSYC 225	Educational Psychology	3	PY 307	Educational Psychology	3
PSYC 230	Sport Psychology	3	PY	PY Elective	3
PSYC 235	Psychology of Gender	3	PY214	Psychology of Gender	3
PSYC 240	Theories of Personality	3	PY 203	Personality Theory	3
<b>Major Credits</b>		<b>27</b>			<b>27</b>
<b>Total SMCC Credits</b>		<b>62</b>	<b>Total Credits accepted</b>		<b>62</b>

## APPENDIX C

### Remaining Saint Joseph's College of Maine Degree Requirements

Year Three Fall		Year Three Spring	
Course	Credit	Course	Credit
PY 201 Research Methods in Psychology	4	PY 202 Statistical Methods in Psychology	4
PY 320 Biological Basis of Behavior	4	PY 304 Theories of Learning	4
ES 100 Ecology & Environmental Challenge (Literacy in Environmental Science)	4	LS PH TH Elective (Leadership & JEDI)	3
Leadership and Building JEDI elective	3	Elective	4
<b>Semester Credits</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>Semester Credits</b>	<b>15</b>

Year Four Fall		Year Four Spring	
Course	Credit	Course	Credit
PY 406 Senior Thesis	4	PY 407 Senior Thesis	4
HE IH NN TH Elective (Wellness)	3	TH Elective (Theological/Religious Inquiry)	4
Elective	4	Elective	3
Elective	3	Elective	3
<b>Semester Credits</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>Semester Credits</b>	<b>14</b>

**Total SJCME Credits: 58**

**Total SMCC and SJCME credits: 120**