



ARTICULATION AGREEMENT FORM

A. SENDING AND RECEIVING INSTITUTIONS

Sending College: Borough of Manhattan Community College
Department: Academic Affairs
Program: Liberal Arts
Degree: Associate of Arts (A.A.)

Receiving College: CUNY School of Professional Studies
Department:
Program: Liberal Studies
Degree: Bachelor of Arts (B.A.)

B. ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS FOR SENIOR COLLEGE PROGRAM

Graduates of the A.A. in Liberal Arts degree from Borough of Manhattan Community College (BMCC) will qualify for admission into the CUNY School of Professional Studies (CUNY SPS) Bachelor of Arts degree in Liberal Studies if they have maintained a minimum overall GPA of 2.5 and are in good academic standing at BMCC. Applicants must have a grade of C or better in freshman composition, its equivalent, or a higher-level English course. Applicants will follow the standard admissions process, which includes completing a transfer application.

BMCC graduates will be awarded 60 transfer credits towards the bachelor’s degree based on the current (fall 2017) Liberal Arts curriculum. Should that curriculum change, it will be necessary to reevaluate the transfer agreement. Upon matriculations into the B.A. program in Liberal Studies, students will be required to fulfill electives and major requirements specified on the following pages.

Total transfer credits granted toward the baccalaureate degree: 60

Total additional credits required at the senior college to complete baccalaureate degree: 60

Total credits required to complete the baccalaureate degree: 120

C. TRANSFER CREDIT AWARDED

BMCC graduates who complete the Associate in Arts (A.A.) degree in Liberal Arts will receive 60 credits toward the Bachelor of Arts (B.A) degree in Liberal Arts at CUNY SPS.

A.A. in Liberal Arts

<i>Courses</i>	<i>Credits</i>
<i>Common Core</i>	
Required Core	
English Composition	6
Mathematical and Quantitative Reasoning	3
Life and Physical Science	3
<i>Total Required Common Core</i>	12
Flexible Core	
World Cultures and Global Issues	3
U.S. Experience in its Diversity	3
Creative Expression	6
Individual and Society	3
Scientific World	3
<i>Total Flexible Core</i>	18
<i>Total Common Core</i>	30
Curriculum Requirements	
Health Education Elective	2-3
Modern Languages ¹	3-6
English Elective	3
Social Science Electives	6
Liberal Arts Elective ²	9-16
General Electives ²	0-6
<i>Total Curriculum Credits</i>	30
<i>Total Credits</i>	60

D. SUMMARY OF TRANSFER CREDITS FROM BMCC AND CREDITS TO BE COMPLETED AT SPS

B.A. in Human Relations	Total Credits for the Baccalaureate	Transfer Credits from BMCC	Credits to be Completed at SPS
General Education Requirements	36	30	6
Required Major Requirements	42	18	24
Electives	42	12	30
Total	120	60	60

¹ Students are required to take 2 semesters of the same modern language in order to graduate. One semester can be completed in the World Cultures and Global Issues area of the Common Core.

² Some of these credits may be satisfied by taking STEM variants in the Common Core.

E. ADVISOR'S RECOMMENDATIONS

Students intending to transfer to SPS under this agreement are advised to take the following courses to satisfy BMCC requirements.

BMCC Course	BMCC Requirement
CSC 101*	Liberal Arts Elective
CRT 100/PHI 115*	Social Science Elective or Liberal Arts Elective
HIS 116	Social Science Elective or Liberal Arts Elective
GEO 241	Social Science Elective or Liberal Arts Elective
<i>To satisfy the Liberal Studies Core at SPS, select two courses from any one of the following categories</i>	
Ethics and Quantitative Reasoning ECO 202 – Microeconomics* MAT 150 – Introduction to Statistics*	Social Science Elective or Liberal Arts Elective Liberal Arts Elective
History and Global Studies ART 106 – Modern and Contemporary Art* POL 220 – Politics and Government in New York City SOC 240 – Urban Sociology	Liberal Arts Elective Social Science Elective or Liberal Arts Elective
Literature and Communication ENG 391 or 392 – World Literature I or II ENG 337 – Science Fiction ENG 334 – Children’s Literature ANT 115 /LIN100 – Language and Culture*	English Elective or Liberal Arts Elective English Elective or Liberal Arts Elective English Elective or Liberal Arts Elective Social Science Elective or Liberal Arts Elective

* These courses can also be taken to satisfy Common Core requirements.

F. COURSE EQUIVALENCIES

A.A. in Liberal Arts	B.A. in Liberal Studies
ANT 115 - Language and Culture/LIN 100 – Language and Culture	LANG 201 - Language in the Multicultural Setting
ART 106 - Modern and Contemporary Art	ART 210 - Modern Art in the City
CSC 101 - Principles in Information Technology and Computation	CIS 101 - Computer Fundamentals and Applications
ECO 202 - Microeconomics	ECO 201 - Microeconomics
ENG 334 - Children's Literature	ENG 331 - Studies in the Folk Tale and Classic Fairy Tale
ENG 337 - Science Fiction	ENG 301 - Science Fiction
ENG 391 - World Literature I: From Antiquity to the Early Modern Era	ENG 211 - World Literature
ENG 392 - World Literature II: From Early Modern Era to the Present	ENG 211 - World Literature
GEO 241 - Population Geography	GEOG 301 - International Migration
HIS 116 - World History II	HIST 102 - Origins of the Modern World, 1500-present Or HIST 202 - Twentieth Century World History
MAT 150 - Introduction to Statistics	MATH 215 - Introduction to Statistics
MES 140 - Introduction to the Moving Image	FLM 307 - Film Literacies: Communicating Culture Through Film
PHI 111 - Cultural and Ethical Issues in Science and Technology	PHIL 201 - Bioethics
PHI 115 - Critical Thinking (Same as CRT 100)	PHIL 110 - Critical Thinking
POL 220 - Politics and Government in New York City	POL 201 - Politics and Government of New York City
SOC 240 - Urban Sociology	SOC 208 - Urban Sociology

G. SENIOR COLLEGE REQUIREMENTS FOR THE BACCALAUREATE DEGREE

Students will be required to take the following courses at CUNY SPS after completing the A.A. in Liberal Arts at BMCC. Courses with an asterisk will not be required by students who have fulfilled the course equivalency at BMCC, as outlined in section E.

B.A. in Liberal Arts

Courses	Credits
<i>General Education Requirements</i>	
College Option: 6 credits in (PHIL 110 – Critical Thinking, COM 110 – Digital Literacy, PLA 300 – Portfolio Development for Prior Learning Assessment, QUAN 201 – Quantitative Reasoning and Society, COM 210 – Writing at Work)	6
<i>Required Major Requirements</i>	
<i>Core</i>	
CIS 101 – Computer Fundamentals and Applications	
LBL 101 – Pro-Seminar in Applied Humanities	3
PROM 210 – Fundamentals of Project Management	3
<i>Ethics and Quantitative Reasoning</i>	
PHIL 110 – Critical Thinking	
PHIL 302 – Ethics in the Workplace	3
<i>History and Global Studies</i>	
HIST 102 – Origins of the Modern World, 1500-present	
GEOG 301 – International Migration	
<i>Literature and Communication</i>	
COM 210 – Writing at Work	3
ENG 350 – Advanced Composition and Critical Analysis	3
<i>Experiential Learning</i>	
Select one from: LBL 401 – Internship in Applied Humanities PLA 300 – Portfolio Development for Prior Learning Assessment	3
<i>Capstone Experience</i>	
LBL 498 – Capstone Planning in Liberal Studies	3
LBL 499 – Capstone Project in Liberal Studies	3
Liberal Studies Core	
<i>Electives</i>	30
Total Number of Credits to be Completed at CUNY SPS	60
Total Credits Transferred from BMCC	60
Total Credits Required for the Baccalaureate Degree	120

H. ARTICULATION AGREEMENT FOLLOW-UP PROCEDURES

1. Procedures for reviewing, updating, modifying or terminating agreement:

The Academic Director and Department Chair from both programs will review the agreement annually. They will be expected to review student retention, progress to graduation including transitions between prerequisite and follow-on courses, degree completion and GPA. Modification or termination of this agreement requires the approval of both Chief Academic Officers of both institutions.

Should the agreement be modified or terminated, CUNY SPS shall honor the terms granted to students who have already transferred into the B.A. in Psychology.

2. Procedures for evaluating agreement, i.e., tracking the number of students who transfer under the articulation agreement and their success:

The CUNY Institutional Research Database will be used to track all transfer students, including their performance (credit accumulation and GPA) and persistence (retention and graduation).

3. Sending and receiving college procedures for publicizing agreement, e.g., college catalogs, transfer advisers, Websites, etc.:

Both CUNY SPS and BMCC value this agreement and see it as a “win” for our students. Both schools will promote the agreement in their respective publications (i.e. annual bulletins, course catalogs, websites, program marketing materials, etc.). Transfer advisors at BMCC will promote this agreement with eligible students.

Effective Date: Fall 2017