



Northeastern University  
College of Professional Studies

## ARTICULATION AGREEMENT FORM

### A. SENDING AND RECEIVING INSTITUTIONS

Sending College: Borough of Manhattan Community College

Program: Psychology

Degree: Associate in Arts (A.A.)

Receiving College: Northeastern University on behalf of the College of Professional Studies (CPS)

Program: Psychology

Degree: Bachelor of Science (B.S.)



### B. ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS FOR SENIOR COLLEGE PROGRAM

- Completion of the A.A. degree in Psychology and a minimum GPA of 2.50
- Grade of C or better in all courses to be considered for transfer
- Science and technology courses completed more than seven years prior to the application date may be considered for transfer at the discretion of the CPS program director.
- CPS retains the right to make the final decision on each student's application.

Total transfer credits granted toward the baccalaureate degree: **62**

Total additional credits required at the senior college to complete baccalaureate degree: **58**

Total credits required to complete the Bachelor of Science in Psychology: **120**

### C. TRANSFER CREDIT AWARDED

Borough of Manhattan Community College (BMCC) graduates who complete the Associate in Arts (A.A.) degree in Psychology will receive 62 credits toward the Bachelor of Science degree (B.S.) in Psychology at Northeastern University College of Professional Studies (CPS).

<i>Common Core</i>	
<b><i>Required Common Core</i></b>	
English Composition	6
Mathematical & Quantitative Reasoning <sup>1</sup>	3
Life & Physical Science <sup>2</sup>	3
<b><i>Total Required Common Core</i></b>	<b>12</b>
<b><i>Flexible Core</i></b>	
Creative Expression	6
World Culture & Global Issues	3
U.S. Experience in Its Diversity	3
Individual & Society	3
Scientific World <sup>3</sup>	3
<b><i>Total Flexible Core</i></b>	<b>18</b>
<b><i>Total Common Core</i></b>	<b>30</b>
<b><i>Curriculum Requirements</i></b>	
Developmental Psychology <sup>4</sup> - PSY 240 OR Child Psychology- PSY 250	3
Psychology of Personality <sup>5</sup> – PSY 230 OR Abnormal Psychology – PSY 260	3
Research in Psychology – PSY 265	3
Psychology Electives <sup>6</sup> – Choose 9 credits from: PSY 200, PSY 210, PSY 220, PSY 230, PSY 240, PSY 245, PSY 250, PSY 255, PSY 260, or PSY271, PSY 280.	9
Introduction to Sociology <sup>7</sup> - SOC 100 OR Introduction to Anthropology- ANT 100	3
Liberal Arts Electives <sup>8</sup> . Some of these credits can be satisfied by taking STEM variants in the Common Core.	9
<b><i>Total Curriculum Credits</i></b>	<b>30</b>
<b><i>Total Program Credits</i></b>	<b>60</b>

<sup>1</sup> Students are required to take MAT 206

<sup>2</sup> Students are required to take BIO 210.

<sup>3</sup> Students are advised to take PSY 100.

<sup>4</sup> Students are advised to take PSY 240.

<sup>5</sup> Students are advised to take PSY 260.

<sup>6</sup> Students are advised to take PSY 200 and PSY 220.

<sup>7</sup> Students are advised to take SOC 100.

<sup>8</sup> Students are advised to take CIS 100, BUS 110, ENG 345 or ENG 334

#### D. REMAINING SENIOR COLLEGE REQUIREMENTS FOR BACCALAUREATE DEGREE

Students will be required to take the following courses at CPS after completing the A.A. in Psychology at BMCC.

<b><i>General Foundation</i></b>		
ENG 1107	College Writing 2	3
ENG 1108	Lab for ENG 1107	1
ENG 3107	Writing for the Professions–Business & SS	3
ENG 3108	Writing for the Professions Lab–Business & SS	1
<b><i>General Foundation Total</i></b>		<b>8</b>
<b><i>Psychology Foundation</i></b>		
PSY 2230	Stress and Its Management	3
CMN 1100	Organizational Communication	3
PHL 2130 <i>or</i> PHL 2140	Ethical Issues in Healthcare <i>or</i> Ethical Issues in Science and Engineering	3
<b><i>Psychology Foundation Total</i></b>		<b>9</b>
<b><i>Major Required</i></b>		
HSV 2240	Human Behavior in the Social Environment	3
PSY 3220	Cognition and Language	3
PSY 3240	Sensation and Perception	3
PSY 4850	Senior Research Seminar in Psychology	4
<b><i>Major Required Total</i></b>		<b>13</b>
<b><i>Major Elective</i></b>		
Complete 12 semester credits from HSV or PSY		
<b><i>Major Elective Total</i></b>		<b>12</b>
<b><i>Open Elective Total*</i></b>		<b>16</b>
<b><i>Credits to be taken at CPS</i></b>		<b>58</b>
<b><i>Total Credits required for CPS BS Psychology</i></b>		<b>120</b>

\* Students may choose to complete one of the following [minors](#) while satisfying their Open Electives:

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|--------------------------|----------------------------------|
| 1) American Politics     | 8) History                       |
| 2) Biology               | 9) Information Technology        |
| 3) Business              | 10) International Studies        |
| 4) Creative Writing      | 11) Organizational Communication |
| 5) Environmental Science | 12) Sociology                    |
| 6) Graphic Communication | 13) Technical Communication      |
| 7) HealthCare Management |                                  |

For more information about minors, please visit: <http://www.cps.neu.edu/degree-programs/undergraduate/bachelors-degrees/bachelors-minors.php>

## **E. ARTICULATION AGREEMENT FOLLOW-UP PROCEDURES**

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

When either of the degree programs involved in this agreement undergoes a change, the agreement will be reviewed and revised accordingly by faculty from each institution's respective departments, selected by their Chairpersons and/or program directors, subject to formal execution by each party. Designee from both institutions will communicate at the beginning of each spring term to discuss recruiting, entrance requirements, and any other concerns that either may have about the affiliation.

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

Each semester CPS will provide BMCC with the following information: a) the number of BMCC students who applied to the program; b) the number of BMCC students who were accepted into the program; c) the number of BMCC students who enrolled; and d) the aggregate GPA of these enrolled students.

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

This articulation agreement will be publicized on the BMCC website and on Northeastern University College of Professional Studies' website. Transfer advisers at BMCC will promote this agreement with eligible students.

### **4. BMCC and CPS shall**

- a. Designate personnel to design a focused marketing and recruitment plan that includes in-person (at BMCC campuses) events, virtual events, collateral, and relevant communication.
- b. Not provide materials or information or make any promotion or other communication about the affiliation relevant to the other party to any person without the prior written consent of the other party in each case.
- c. Obtain written approval from the other party in each case prior to using any name or logo of the other party ("Northeastern University," "College of Professional Studies," or the "Lowell Institute School" or "Borough of Manhattan Community College") on any advertising, marketing, promotional or fundraising materials.

### **5. BMCC shall permit CPS to obtain written verification, if necessary, from BMCC of an applicant's eligibility for course credit transfer under this Agreement in accordance with the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act.**

### **6. This Agreement shall continue until terminated by either party. Either institution may terminate this Agreement, with or without cause, provided that the terminating institution has given the other institution written notice at least 90 days prior to the effective date of such termination and further provided that no such termination shall adversely affect any student attending or accepted by CPS by virtue of the terms of this Agreement. In the event that the said Agreement is not terminated, it will automatically be extended year by year.**

7. The parties agree that this Agreement embodies all of the agreements made by and between them and supersedes any prior agreements and the understanding with regards to the acceptance of BCC students into CPS and that any modifications or amendments thereof must be in writing executed by both parties in order to be effective. The Agreement is being executed within the Commonwealth of Massachusetts and the parties agree that this Agreement shall be interpreted under the laws of said Commonwealth.
8. All notices or other communications made or given hereunder shall be in writing and shall be deemed made or given upon receipt, or three business days after deposits in the U.S. Mail, in an envelope, postage prepaid, registered or certified mail, and addressed as follows:

If to BMCC:

Provost and Senior Vice President for Academic Affairs  
Borough of Manhattan Community College  
199 Chambers Street  
New York, NY 10007

With copy to:

Academic Advisement and Transfer Center  
Borough of Manhattan Community College  
199 Chambers Street  
New York, NY 10007

If to CPS:

Dean of the College of Professional Studies and  
Vice President for Professional Advancement Network  
Northeastern University College of Professional Studies  
40 BV  
360 Huntington Avenue  
Boston, MA 02115

With copy to:

Office of the General Counsel  
Northeastern University  
378 Columbus Place  
Boston, MA 02115

9. The College of Professional Studies reserves the right to rescind an offer of acceptance if student is no longer considered in good academic standing or disciplinary sanctions occur between the times of acceptance to matriculation.

**F. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION (E.G., FINANCIAL AID, TRANSFER SCHOLARSHIPS)**

1. [President's and Provost's Scholarships](#)
2. [Community College Scholarships](#)
3. [Dean's "Break Through" Scholarship](#)
4. [Ruby Linn Foundation Scholarships for Service Members and Veterans](#)

**Effective Date: Spring 2018**