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Articulation Agreement
Robotics Engineering

Between
Terra Community College

And

Lawrence Technological University



Dated
October 26, 2012

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Article I: Agreement on Principle

Terra Community College (TCC) and Lawrence Technological University (Lawrence Tech) agree that students, who choose to earn an associate's degree in robotics and transfer to Lawrence Tech to earn a bachelor's degree in robotics engineering, should be provided with a smooth curriculum transition that minimizes loss of credit and duplication of coursework.

While maintaining the integrity of their educational programs, TCC and Lawrence Tech enter into this agreement as equal partners. This agreement is supplemental to the Lawrence Tech Transfer Guides.

Article II: Degree Programs

TCC and Lawrence Tech agree that any student who has successfully completed the Associate of Applied Science in Robotics/Mechatronics degree offered at TCC can transfer a maximum of 64 credits from that associate degree program to the Lawrence Tech Bachelor of Science in Robotics Engineering (BSRE) degree.

Article III: Agreement on Program Specifics

TCC and Lawrence Tech agree that any student who has completed the minimum requirements outlined below may transfer the course credits indicated on the attached agreement toward the articulated Lawrence Tech major. The bachelor's degree graduation requirements for students who follow this articulation agreement are as follows:

1. Complete the program at TCC as specified on the attached articulation guide and complete the coordinated program of study.
2. All courses in this agreement are to transfer as block transfer credit, and will not be reviewed on a course by course basis. Courses with a grade of "C" or better (2.0 on a 4.0 scale) will be accepted for transfer to Lawrence Tech. Students who enter this transfer agreement must have all courses with a grade of a "C" or higher in order to complete the agreement.
3. Under this agreement, students at TCC will transfer 64 credit hours into the BSRE program, above the usual maximum transferrable hours of 60 credit hours.
4. Students interested in transferring to Lawrence Tech should contact a Lawrence Tech admissions counselor early to facilitate the evaluation of transcript(s). Students should enclose a copy of this articulation guide in their application to Lawrence Tech and bring a copy of the articulation guide to all advising sessions.

Article IV: Agreement on Communication

TCC and Lawrence Tech agree to cooperate in communicating with each other and with their common and respective publics concerning the established relationships between the two institutions. Communication may include the development of various kinds of publications to inform those who might benefit personally or professionally from the opportunities provided by this agreement. Faculty and staff at both institutions will share the information in this agreement with interested and qualified students and both institutions will provide counseling and advising to students and prospective students.

Article V: Maintenance and Review Procedures

Lawrence Tech and TCC agree to communicate annually any curriculum changes or policies which affect their relationship. The parties reserve the right to amend or revise this agreement by mutual consent. Any changes made to either institution's curricula, as they affect this agreement, can be approved through addendums to this agreement and signed by the Deans from both Lawrence Tech and TCC.


During the third year, both parties will review the agreement for revision and renewal. If the agreement is not renewed by the end of the effective period it will be terminated. In this case, students who have selected and designated this articulated program prior to its termination will be given three additional years, beyond the initial three, to be admitted to Lawrence Tech under the terms of this agreement.

This articulation agreement is effective as of: **October 26, 2012 to October 26, 2015.**


ARTICULATION AGREEMENT BETWEEN

Terra Community College
And
Lawrence Technological University

We the representatives of Terra Community College and Lawrence Technological University agree to the terms of this agreement, which will be for an initial period of three (3) years.



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