Articulation Agreement

between

Bucks County Community College
Newtown, Pennsylvania
and
Chatham College
Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania

Recognizing the need and importance of facilitating the transfer of students from two-year colleges to four-year institutions, Chatham College enters into this agreement with Bucks County Community College as a commitment to providing quality educational opportunities for community college students. Based on this written agreement and the cooperative efforts of both institutions, Bucks County Community College graduates with the Associate in Arts or Associate in Science degree will be ensured a smooth transfer and timely completion of the Bachelor of Arts or Bachelor of Science degree at Chatham College.

Policy

Chatham College offers admission and junior year standing for students attending Bucks County Community College who meet the following requirements:

a. the student completed an Associate in Arts or Associate in Science degree in a transfer program or college major applicable to the majors/degree programs offered at Chatham College; and
b. the student maintained a cumulative grade point average of 2.5.
c. the student submits a written recommendation of transfer from the Dean of Students at Bucks County Community College.

1. Junior year standing means that 60 credits will be applied toward the requirements for graduation from Chatham College with a Bachelor of Arts or Bachelor of Science degree.

2. Admitted transfer students will be provided with a transcript audit describing proficiency, general education, and major requirements fulfilled by transfer credit, and those that must be fulfilled at Chatham College. Courses in which the student received a grade of D will have the credits transfer and be applied toward the degree as non-major electives only.

3. Students who do not meet the minimum grade point average, or who have received an Associate in Applied Science degree from an accredited institution, may be admitted to Chatham College and receive transfer credit for completed courses on a case by case basis.

4. As Chatham College offers undergraduate degrees to women only, this policy pertains only to women students at Bucks County Community College.
Certification

This agreement is in effect on the date of official signature by both institutions and will be updated bi-annually and reviewed for renewal.

In witness whereof, the parties have affixed their signatures.

Dr. Esther L. Barazzone
President
Chatham College

Dr. James J. Linksza
President
Bucks County Community College

Date

For additional information about this Articulation Agreement and transferring to Chatham College, please contact:

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