

**Articulation Agreement**  
**University of North Carolina at Pembroke and Robeson Community College**  
**Associate of Applied Science in Criminal Justice Technology to Bachelor of Arts in Criminal Justice**  
**September 2024**

**I. Purpose**

This Articulation Agreement is established by and between the University of North Carolina at Pembroke and Robeson Community College and is applicable to students who complete the required hours for the Associate in Applied Science in Criminal Justice Technology from Robeson Community College and transfer to the University of North Carolina at Pembroke and major in Bachelor of Arts in Criminal Justice. Transfers who have not completed the Associate in Applied Science degree will be evaluated on a case-by-case basis.

The University of North Carolina at Pembroke, located in Pembroke, NC, is a four-year public university and part of the University of North Carolina system. UNC Pembroke is regionally accredited by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Commission on Colleges to award Baccalaureate, Masters, and Doctoral level degrees.

Robeson Community College, located in Lumberton, NC, is a two-year public community college and part of the North Carolina Community College System. Robeson Community College is regionally accredited by the Southern Association of College and Schools Commission on Colleges to award associate degrees, diplomas, and certificates.

**II. Terms**

The parties agree to the following:

1. This Articulation Agreement is effective as of the date of the executed document and shall continue until terminated. Both parties must approve amendments to this Articulation Agreement.
2. Either party may terminate this Articulation Agreement without cause upon 90 days written notice to the other party. Notwithstanding the foregoing, either party may terminate this Articulation Agreement immediately if participation under this Articulation Agreement may give rise to a violation of any requirement of federal or state law or regulation or the requirements of any accrediting agency having jurisdiction.
3. Any changes or additions to the agreement shall be made after consultation with the proper official of both institutions.
4. Robeson Community College will ensure that qualified faculty members teach all courses in the A.A.S. in Criminal Justice Technology program. The College will ensure that staffing of the program and its courses meet the standards set forth in *The Principles of*

*Accreditation: Foundations for Quality Enhancement (6.2.a)* by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Commission on Colleges.

5. All students must meet UNC Pembroke transfer admissions requirements. The student must complete a UNC Pembroke transfer application. Final admission to UNC Pembroke is contingent upon the submission of an official Robeson Community College transcript as well as official transcripts from any other college from which credits are used to meet graduation requirements prior to enrolling at UNC Pembroke.
6. All students will matriculate with all privileges and benefits available to students enrolled at UNC Pembroke including financial aid, student government leadership, academic transfer honors, and social organizations. Additionally, transfer pre-advising will be provided through the Transfer Transition and Engagement Office at UNC Pembroke for all students who declare their intention to transfer to UNC Pembroke. For more information, please contact the Transfer Transition and Engagement Office at (910) 775-4599.
7. If this agreement is revised or terminated, Robeson Community College students that have matriculated at UNC Pembroke may continue until completion of the baccalaureate degree, contingent upon continuous enrollment. Students not continuously enrolled will be reviewed individually.
8. The parties grant each other a non-exclusive, non-transferrable license to use each other's trademarks and service marks in furtherance of the articulation coordination detailed herein or in a manner solely for the purposes of identifying and communicating the existence of the relationship to Robeson Community College students and alumni. Use of trademarks, service marks, and logos will comply with the use policies of the originating institution. The parties shall discontinue the use of the licensed marks and return any files and materials containing the licensed marks supplied by the owner at termination or expiration of this Articulation Agreement. Neither party grants the other any interest in the other party's trademarks. Should either originating institution request, in writing, that a particular use of the originating institution's trademarks and/or service marks be discontinued, the non-originating institution shall cease and desist such use of the trademarks and/or service marks.
9. The parties hereto will have the relationship of independent contractors for all purposes. Each will have complete control over its own performance and the details of accomplishing its own obligations under this Articulation Agreement. In no event will the agents, representatives, or employees of one party be deemed to be agents, representatives, or employees of the other.
10. A duly authorized representative of each party may execute this Articulation Agreement, either by electronic or facsimile transmission, each of which will be considered an original.
11. UNC Pembroke will be responsible for reviewing and revising this agreement every 3 years.  
**NOTE: The Director of Transfer Transition and Engagement will be responsible for revising all existing bilateral articulation agreements.**

**III. Contacts for Coordination**

Each party will notify the other party of any changes in the contacts. Contacts for each institution for the purposes of executing this agreement are:

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**IV. Official Signatures**

Each party has caused this agreement to be executed by its duly authorized representatives as of September 5, 2024.

  
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Provost and Vice Chancellor Academic Affairs  
University of North Carolina at Pembroke  
Date 9/17/24

  
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Melissa Singler  
President  
Robeson Community College  
Date 10/7/24

## V. Course Equivalencies

Robeson Community College Courses			University of North Carolina at Pembroke Courses		
Number	Course Title	Credits	Number	Course Title	Credits
<b>Required General Education Courses</b>					
ACA 111	College Student Success	1	UNV 1000	Freshman Seminar	1
ENG 111	Writing and Inquiry	3	ENG 1050	Composition I	3
ENG 112	Writing/Research in the Discipline	3	ENG 1060	Composition II	3
MAT 143 or MAT 152	Quantitative Literacy	3	MAT 1055 (3) or MAT 2100 (4)	Quantitative Reasoning	3
	Precalculus Algebra	4		Introduction to Statistics (3) + Math Elective (1)	4
PSY 150	General Psychology	3	PSY 1010	Introduction to Psychology	3
SOC 210	Introduction to Sociology	3	SOC 1020	Introduction to Sociology	3
<b>Humanities/Fine Arts Choice: Select One (1) Course</b>					
ART 111	Art Appreciation	3	ART 2050	Art Appreciation	3
ART 114	Art History Survey I	3	ART 2080	Survey of Art History I	3
ART 115	Art History Survey II	3	ART 2090	Survey of Art History II	3
ENG 231	American Literature I	3	ENG 2230	American Literature Before 1865	3
ENG 232	American Literature II	3	ENG 2040	American Literature Since 1865	3
MUS 110	Music Appreciation	3	MUS 1020	Introduction to Music Appreciation	3
MUS 112	Introduction to Jazz	3	MUS 1040	Intro to Jazz Appreciation	3
PHI 215	Philosophical Issues	3	PHI 1000	Introduction to Philosophy	3
PHI 240	Introduction to Ethics	3	PHI 2040	Introduction to Ethics	3
<b>Program Major Courses</b>					
CJC 111	Intro to Criminal Justice	3	CRJ 2000	Intro Criminal Justice	3
CJC 112	Criminology	3	CRJ 2400	Criminology	3
CJC 113	Juvenile Justice	3	CRJ 2410	Juvenile Justice System	3
CJC 131	Criminal Law	3	CRJ 0010	Criminal Justice Electives	3
CJC 212	Ethics & Community Relations	3	CRJ 3700	Ethics in Criminal Justice	3
CJC 221	Investigative Principles	4	CRJ 3150 (3) + CRJ 0010 (1)	Criminal Investigation (3) + Criminal Justice Electives (1)	4
CJC 231	Constitutional Law	3	CRJ 0010	Criminal Justice Electives	3
<b>Other Major Course(s)</b>					
CIS 110	Introduction to Computers	3	CSC 1000	Introduction to Computers	3
CJC 121	Law Enforcement Operations	3	CRJ 2100	Police in Society	3
CJC 132	Court Procedure and Evidence	3	CRJ 2200	The Judiciary – An Introduction	3
CJC 141	Corrections	3	CRJ 2300	Contemporary Corrections	3
CJC 225	Crisis Intervention	3	CRJ 0010	Criminal Justice Electives	3
CJC 232	Civil Liability	3	CRJ 0010	Criminal Justice Electives	3
<b>Major Electives: Select Three (3) Courses</b>					
CJC 120	Interviews/Interrogations	2	CRJ 0010	Criminal Justice Electives	2
CJC 161	Intro to Homeland Security	3	CRJ 0010	Criminal Justice Electives	3

CJC 163	Trans and Border Security	3	CRJ 0010	Criminal Justice Electives	3
CJC 170	Critical Incident Mgmt. Public Safety	3	CRJ 0010	Criminal Justice Electives	3
CJC 214	Victimology	3	CRJ 0010	Criminal Justice Electives	3
CJC 215	Organization & Administration	3	CRJ 3180	Criminal Justice Admin and Mgt.	3
CJC 233	Correctional Law	3	CRJ 0010	Criminal Justice Electives	3
CJC 240	Law Enforcement. Mgt. & Supervision	3	CRJ 0010	Criminal Justice Electives	3
<b>Total Minimum Required Credit Hours: 67-69</b>					

## VI. Elements

1. To be eligible for admissions under this agreement, each candidate must have at least a 2.0 cumulative Quality Point Average (QPA) on a 4.0 scale on all prior college/university course work.
2. Only courses with a grade of “C” or higher will be accepted for transfer credit.
3. Total required hours for a Bachelor of Arts in Criminal Justice at UNC Pembroke is 120 hours.
4. Transfer course work will be evaluated on an individual basis for students transferring without an Associate of Applied Science in Criminal Justice Technology from Robeson Community College and majoring in a degree other than the Bachelor of Arts in Criminal Justice.
5. Students must complete a minimum of 9 hours of Writing Intensive courses at UNC Pembroke. Graduation from UNC Pembroke is based on successful completion of General Education including 2 hours of Physical Education and Wellness., which is required for all baccalaureate degrees, and upon successful completion of a specialized program for a major.
6. Students are required to complete the Indigenous Cultures and Communities (ICC) graduation requirement as part of the undergraduate curriculum. Students transferring to UNCP Pembroke with 60 (or more) transfer credit hours are required to take **EITHER** one (1) approved ICC designated 3-credit hour course **OR** one (1) designated and department-approved co-curricular learning experience. Students transferring to UNCP with fewer than 60 transfer credit hours are required to take **EITHER** two (2) approved ICC designated 3-credit hour courses **OR** one (1) approved ICC designated 3-credit hour course **AND** one (1) ICC designated and department-approved co-curricular learning experience.
7. UNC Pembroke does not limit the number of transfer credits in which a student can transfer; however, **a minimum of 25 percent of the semester hours applied toward a bachelor’s degree must be earned through regular enrollment in UNC Pembroke.** For more information, please refer to UNC Pembroke’s specific degree requirements for majors. A course equivalency chart is attached to this document (Section V).