

**Articulation Agreement between
Blue Ridge Community College
Associate of Applied Science Degree (A.A.S): Human Services Major and
Eastern Mennonite University
Bachelor of Social Work (B.S.W.) Program**

Blue Ridge Community College (BRCC) and Eastern Mennonite University (EMU) recognize the need and importance of facilitating the transfer of students from one institution to the other as they pursue educational goals. Therefore, this agreement aims to facilitate the transfer of course credits and smooth the transition of students earning an A.A.S. degree in Human Services at BRCC into the B.S.W. Program at EMU. This agreement does not guarantee admission to EMU as part of the Guaranteed Admission Agreement (GAA).

First Year

First Semester			
<i>Course #</i>	<i>Course Description</i>	<i>EMU Course Equivalent</i>	<i>Tr. Credits</i>
ENG 111	College Composition I	WRIT 130	3
HMS 100	Introduction to Human Services	SOWK 101	3
PSY 200	Principles of Psychology	PSYC 101	3
	CST 110 or SOC 200	WRIT 150 or SOC 101	3
ITE 119	Information Literacy	<i>Elective</i>	3
SDV	Student Development (100 or 101)		
		Total Transfer Credits:	15
Second Semester			
<i>Course #</i>	<i>Course Description</i>	<i>EMU Course Equivalent</i>	<i>Tr. Credits</i>
ENG 112	College Composition II	WRIT 130	3
HLT 121	Introduction to Drug Use and Abuse	<i>Elective</i>	3
HMS 190	Coord. Interns. in Mental /Human Services	<i>Elective</i>	2
MEN 101	Mental Health Skill Training I	<i>Elective</i>	3
MTH 154	Quantitative Reasoning (or MTH 161)	Math Elective	3
PLS 135	American National Politics	POL 111 or 112	3
		Total Transfer Credits:	17

Second Year

Third Semester			
<i>Course #</i>	<i>Course Description</i>	<i>EMU Course Equivalent</i>	<i>Tr. Credits</i>
HMS 290	Coordinated Internship in Human Services	<i>Elective</i>	3
PSY 215	Abnormal Psychology	Soc/Behavioral Sciences Elec	3
SOC 268	Social Problems	Cross Cultural Elective	3
HMS 260	Substance Abuse Counseling	<i>Elective</i>	3
HMS 141	Group Dynamics I	<i>Elective</i>	3
ENG	Literature Elective (241 through 252)	Literature Elective	3
		Total Transfer Credits:	18

Fourth Semester			
Course #	Course Description	EMU Course Equivalent	Tr. Credits
HMS 285	Advanced Client Interviewing	<i>Elective</i>	3
MEN 225	Counseling Therapy	<i>Elective</i>	3
PSY 230	Life Span Human Development	PSYC 202	3
SOC 266	Race and Ethnicity	SOWK 360	3
HMS 290	Coordinated Internship in Human Services	<i>Elective</i>	4
Total Transfer Credits:			16

Total credits required for Associate of Applied Science Degree: Human Services Major: **67**

Total transferable credits (including electives) applied towards graduation from EMU: **66**

Remaining Courses to be Completed at EMU		
EMU Core		Credits
Anabaptist Biblical Perspectives		3
Cross Cultural Immersion		3
Foreign Language		3
Art Elective		1
Science Elective		3
History Elective		2
CORE 401 Senior Seminar		2
<i>Total EMU Core</i>		17
Major Requirements:	Course Description	
STAT 120	Descriptive Statistics	2
ECON 201	Survey of Economics (or ECON 212 or PXD 365)	3
SOC 101	Introduction to Sociology	3
SOC 336	Methods of Social Research (STAT 120 Pre-Req)	3
SOWK 200	Social Behavior and Diversity	3
SOWK 210	Social Stratification	3
SOWK 220	History and Philosophy of Social Welfare	3
SOWK 310	Social Work Practice I	3
SOWK 330	Social Policy Analysis (SOWK 220 Pre-Req)	3
SOWK 400	Social Work Practice II	3
SOWK 410	Social Work Practice III	3
SOWK 430	Senior Practicum in Social Work	12
SOWK	Topics Course	3
<i>Total Major:</i>		47
Total hours to be completed at EMU:		64

Advising Notes:

Students transferring to EMU should declare the Social Work major when they register for Student Orientation and Registration (S.O.A.R). Students apply for admission into the social work program during their first year of enrollment at EMU. Admission to and continuation in the social work program is contingent upon the academic performance (a minimum of a C in all social work/sociology courses required for major) as well as personal qualities essential for working with people. Admission materials include:

- Autobiographical Essay
- Three (3) reference persons who may provide information regarding your character and relevant experiential background. One reference must be from the Director or a Professor of BRCC’s Human Service Program
- Interview with EMU’s Social Work Program Director

The below transfer pathways are **tentative graduation timelines that may be adjusted based on the student’s plans for cross cultural.** Transfer students in the Social Work major are encouraged to explore the opportunity to complete the Washington Community Scholars Center which would satisfy Senior Practicum and all Cross Cultural requirements.

It is highly recommended that prospective transfer students schedule an advising appointment with the EMU Transfer Admissions Counselor at least one year prior to graduation from the HMS program.

If statistics is completed prior to transfer to EMU:

Year 1 at EMU					
Fall Semester			Spring Semester		
<i>Course Description</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	<i>Course Description</i>		<i>Cr.</i>
SOC 336	Methods of Social Research	3	SOWK 330	Social Policy Analysis	3
SOWK 220	History & Philosophy of Social Welfare	3	SOWK 200	Social Behavior & Diversity	3
ECON 201	Survey of Economics <u>or</u> ECON 212 <u>or</u> PXD 365	3	SOWK 310	Practice I	3
SOC 101	Intro to Sociology*	3	SOWK 400	Practice II	3
SOWK 210	Social Stratification	3		Cross Cultural Immersion (if not WCSC)	3
<i>Total Credits</i>		<i>15</i>	<i>Total Credits</i>		<i>15</i>
*or WRIT 150 - Speech if student completed SOC 200 at BRCC					

Year 2 at EMU					
Fall Semester			Spring Semester		
Course Description		Cr.	Course Description		Cr.
SOWK 410	Practice III	3	SOWK	Senior Practicum	12
CORE 401	Senior Seminar (if not WCSC)	2	SOWK 420	Topics Course	3
	Science Elective	3			
	History Elective	2			
	Anabaptist Bib. Pers.	3			
	Art Elective	1			
	Foreign Language	3			
	<i>Total Credits</i>	<i>16</i>		<i>Total Credits</i>	<i>15</i>

If statistics is NOT completed prior to transfer to EMU:

Year 1 at EMU					
Fall Semester			Spring Semester		
Course Description		Cr.	Course Description		Cr.
STAT 120	Descriptive Statistics	2	SOWK 330	Social Policy Analysis	3
SOWK 220	History & Philosophy of Social Welfare	3	SOWK 200	Social Behavior & Diversity	3
ECON 201	Survey of Economics <u>or</u> ECON 212 <u>or</u> PXD 365	3	SOWK 310	Practice I	3
SOC 101	Intro to Sociology *	3	SOWK 400	Practice II	3
SOWK 210	Social Stratification	3		Cross Cultural Immersion (if not WCSC)	3
	Art Elective	1		Foreign Language	3
	<i>Total Credits</i>	<i>15</i>		<i>Total Credits</i>	<i>18</i>
*or WRIT 150 - Speech if student completed SOC 200 at BRCC					

Year 2 at EMU					
Fall Semester			Spring Semester		
Course Description		Cr.	Course Description		Cr.
SOC 336	Methods of Social Research	3	SOWK	Senior Practicum	12
SOWK 410	Practice III	3	SOWK	Topics Course	3
CORE 401	Senior Seminar (if not WCSC)	2			
	Anabaptist Bib. Pers.	3			
	History Elective	3			
	Science Elective	3			
	<i>Total Credits</i>	17		<i>Total Credits</i>	15

The agreement, which will be implemented beginning fall 2019, will be annually reviewed and revised as appropriate. The undersigned have reviewed and agreed that Eastern Mennonite University (EMU) and Blue Ridge Community College (BRCC) should enter into this Articulation Agreement.

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