BILATERAL ARTICULATION AGREEMENT
BETWEEN
NORTH CAROLINA AGRICULTURAL AND TECHNICAL STATE UNIVERSITY
AND
RICHMOND COMMUNITY COLLEGE

THIS ARTICULATION AGREEMENT is made and entered into by and between **NORTH CAROLINA AGRICULTURAL AND TECHNICAL STATE UNIVERSITY**, a public university located in Greensboro, North Carolina (hereinafter "NCATSU") and **RICHMOND COMMUNITY COLLEGE**, a North Carolina Community College System Institution (hereinafter "RCC"). N.C. A&T and CSM hereby join in a collaborative effort to facilitate the transfer of students graduating from RCC into the Bachelor of Science in Information Technology at NCATSU and agree to the following terms and conditions:

1. **Admissions Requirements** - The parties agree that a graduate of RCC with an Associate in Applied Science (AAS) in Computer Engineering Technology with at least a cumulative grade point average (GPA) of 2.0 based on a 4.0 scale will be admitted to NCATSU provided all other admissions conditions are satisfied. In order to be considered for admission in accordance with this Articulation Agreement, RCC students must submit an official transcript that indicates AAS Degree completion.

2. **Transfer Requirements** - NCATSU agrees to accept transfer coursework completed at RCC as equivalent on a course-by-course basis. All RCC transfer students may receive up to a maximum of sixty-four (64) semester hours of academic credit for approved courses completed *(see page 3)* with a grade of "C" or better earned.

3. **Faculty** – RCC courses approved for transfer credit must be taught by faculty who meet the community college credential requirements.

4. **Student Class Status** – RCC transfer student class status will be based on the total number of transfer hours.

5. **Associate Degree Completion** - Parties at RCC and NCATSU shall encourage AAS Degree completion at RCC prior to transferring. To be eligible for inclusion in this Articulation Agreement, RCC students must complete the AAS Degree. RCC students who transfer prior to completing all AAS Degree requirements will have their coursework evaluated on a course-by-course basis. In addition, RCC students who transfer prior to completing all AAS Degree requirements must meet NCATSU transfer admissions requirements.

6. **Promotion** - Parties at RCC and NCATSU shall support and promote this Articulation Agreement on campus through marketing, recruiting, and websites.

7. **Accreditation** – RCC and N.C. A&T will ensure that they maintain accreditation with the appropriate regional accrediting agency and ensure that all operations will be in keeping with accreditation requirements of the two institutions

8. **Official Designees for Articulation Agreement Administration** - The following representatives will jointly administer this Articulation Agreement and will be responsible for the evaluation and assessment of this Articulation Agreement between NCATSU and RCC.

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9. **Agreement Review, Change, and Termination** - This Articulation Agreement shall be reviewed at least once every three years, by the designated officials at both institutions and is subject to change by mutual written consent. Either party may revoke this agreement by written notice to the other party, giving at least one year's notice of intent to discontinue the agreement. However, it is understood and agreed that any student admitted to N.C. A&T under this Articulation Agreement will be allowed to complete the program notwithstanding the termination provision above, so long as such student is in good standing and is making progress toward degree completion. This Articulation Agreement is effective beginning the Fall semester 2019.

		RICHMOND COMMUNITY COLLEGE Computer Engineering Technology Associate in Applied Science				NORTH CAROLINA A&T STATE UNIVERSITY Information Technology Bachelor of Science		
ACA	122	College Transfer Success	1	FRST	101	College Success	1
CIS	115	Intro to Programming & Logic	3	CST	120	Fundamentals of Technology	3
CTS	120	Hardware/Software Support	3	**CST	120T	Hardware/Software Support	3
ELC	131	Circuit Analysis	4	CST CST	112 and 122	Electric Circuits Electric Circuits Lab	3 1
ENG	111	Writing and Inquiry	3	ENGL	100	Ideas & Their Expressions I	3
MAT MAT	171 and 172	Pre-calculus Algebra Pre-calculus Trigonometry	4 4	MATH	110	Pre-Calculus for ENG/Sci	4
ENG	112	Writing/Research in the Disciplines	3	ENGL	101	Ideas & Their Expressions II	3
CTS	220	Advanced Hard/Software Support	3	*CST	220T	Advanced Hard/Software Support	3
ELN	133	Digital Electronics	4	**CST	213	Digital Circuits	3
DFT	151	Computer Aided Drafting I	3	**GCS	121	Computer Aided Design I	3
ELN	232	Intro to Microprocessors	4	CST CST	140 and 150	Intro to Computer Programming Intro to Computer Progrm Lab	3 1
ELN	260	Programmable Logic Controllers	4	**CST	260T	Programmable Logic Controllers	3
NOS	120	Linux/Unix Single User	3	CST	130	Intro to Unix/LINUX	3
CSC	153	C# Programming	3	***BUED	342	Business Programming	3
NET	125	Introduction to Networks	3	CST	329	Computer Networking I	3
ENG	273	African American Literature	3	ENGL	333	Survey of African American Lit	3
ATR	112	Intro to Automation	3	*CST	112T	Intro to Automation	3
Select one (1) of the following courses to transfer to NCATSU as a Social Behavioral Sciences Elective							
HIS	131	American History I		HIST	104	US History from 1492-1877	
HIS	132	American History II		HIST	105	US History Since 1877	
HIS	122	Western Civilization II	3	HIST	207	Modern World History	3
PSY	150	General Psychology		PSYC	101	General Psychology	
SOC	210	Introduction to Sociology		SOCI	100	Principles of Sociology	
		Total Hours	58			**Total Hours**	55

This course fulfills the Free Elective requirement
This course fulfills the Technical Elective requirement.

		REMAINING REQUIRED COURSES TO COMPLETE DEGREE PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS *(In addition to any requirements above not fulfilled)*					
CST	225	Computer Database Manag I	3	CST	498	Senior Capstone Project	3
CST	235	Computer Database Manag I Lab	1	CST	499	Senior Capstone Experience	3
CST	231	Web Systems	3	MATH	131	Calculus I	4
CST	240	Applied Java Programming	3	MATH	224	Intro to Probability & Statistics	3
CST	285	Economic and Social Impacts of IT	3	MGMT	110	Business Environment	3
CST	300	Introduction to Project Management	3	MGMT		MGMT Electives	3
CST	315	Network Security Applications	3	SPCH	250	Speech Fundamentals	3
CST	317	Human Computer Interaction	3			Scientific Reasoning	3
CST	325	Computer DB Management II	3			Scientific Reasoning w/Lab	4
CST	339	Computer Networking I Lab	1			Global Awareness	3
CST	430	Linux System Administration	3				
CST	460	System Integration & Architecture	3			**Total Additional Hours**	65
CST	496	Senior Colloquium	1			**REQUIRED TOTAL HOURS FOR MAJOR**	120

Major Program Requirements
Student must earn a "C" or better in the following courses:

CST 112 Electric Circuits I
CST 120 Fundamentals of Technology
CST 122 Electric Circuits I Laboratory
CST 130 Introduction to Unix Linux
CST 140 Intro to Computer Programming
CST 150 Intro to Computer Program Lab
CST 225 Computer Database Management
CST 231 Web Systems
CST 235 Computer Database Manage Lab
CST 240 Applied Java Programming
CST 285 Eco Social Impact Infor Tech
CST 300 Intro to Pro Mgmt for Info Tec
CST 315 Network Sec for Info Tech Prof
CST 317 Human Computer Interaction
CST 325 Computer Database Manage II
CST 329 Computer Networking I
CST 339 Computer Networking I Lab
CST 430 Linux Systems Administration
CST 460 System Integration & Architecture
CST 496 Senior Colloquium
CST 498 Senior Capstone Project
CST 499 Senior Capstone Experience

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Chancellor of North Carolina Agricultural and Technical State University and the President of Richmond Community College have affixed their signatures below:

North Carolina A&T State University	Richmond Community College
By: _Harold L. Martin_	By: _William D. McInnis_
Dr. Harold L. Martin, Sr., Chancellor	Dr. Dale McInnis, President
Date: 11/21/19	Date: 1/28/2020