# General Articulation Agreement Mohawk Valley Community College and State University of New York College at Oswego

SUNY Oswego and Mohawk Valley Community College are dedicated to a strong, formal, coordinated transfer and articulation process which will be of great benefit to students transferring from Mohawk Valley Community College to SUNY Oswego. This document states the conditions under which SUNY Oswego will accept credits earned by students attending Mohawk Valley Community College toward the attainment of a Bachelor's Degree from SUNY Oswego and thereby enhance the number and quality of learning options for its students and alumni.

Mohawk Valley Community College and SUNY Oswego will cooperate to:

- 1. Strengthen the partnership that currently exists between Mohawk Valley Community College and SUNY Oswego.
- 2. Provide barrier-free movement from the associate to the baccalaureate degree for students enrolled at Mohawk Valley Community College.
- 3. Eliminate unnecessary obstacles for Mohawk Valley Community College transfer students who need to satisfy SUNY Oswego's General Education Requirements.

In order to achieve these goals, Mohawk Valley Community College and SUNY Oswego enter into the following Agreement.

#### Admissions

Students who wish to transfer to SUNY Oswego may apply to one of the bachelor degree programs offered. A complete list of degree programs can be found at <a href="https://www.oswego.edu/majors">www.oswego.edu/majors</a>.

Students planning to transfer to SUNY Oswego should follow the recommended course requirements for their intended program of study at Mohawk Valley Community College. Students should seek transfer counseling from a designated MVCC faculty or staff member or a SUNY Oswego Admissions Counselor for proper course selection, which varies by program of study.

Students from Mohawk Valley Community College planning on completing their baccalaureate degree should apply to SUNY Oswego the semester prior to enrolling at Oswego. Students may find an application for admission at <a href="https://www.oswego.edu/apply">www.oswego.edu/apply</a>. Transfer students must also submit an official transcript from Mohawk Valley Community College and any other colleges or universities previously attended. Transfer students who have completed fewer than 30 credit hours at the time of their application must also submit an official transcript from their high school.

Transfer applicants for the fall semester who have a completed application on file in the office of Admissions by March 1 will be given priority for admission. Applicants for the spring semester who file by November 1 will be given priority for admission.

#### Transfer of Credits

Students who have completed an Associate in Arts, Associate in Applied Science or Associate in Science degree will be accepted as juniors. A maximum of 62-67 credit hours will be applied towards the Oswego bachelor's degree. Although grades of "D" are transferable, they may not be used to satisfy major or cognate (major-imposed) requirements in some programs. A maximum combined total of 54 credit hours in any one-discipline can be applied to the Bachelor of Arts degree requirement.

It should also be noted that the student must complete:

- One-half of the major coursework at Oswego
- A minimum of 42 credit hours of coursework at the 300- or 400-level
- A minimum of 60 credit hours at a 4 year institution.

# General Education Requirements

Students who transfer to Oswego after completing the 30-credit SUNY-General Education Requirement (SUNY-GER, July 2010) or the equivalent of SUNY-GER at a previous institution (or institutions) are exempt from all of Oswego's specific general education requirements. Upon acceptance at Oswego these transfer students will have completed the General Education Requirement at Oswego.

Students who transfer to Oswego who have not completed 7 out of 10 categories and 30-credit hours of SUNY-GER upon acceptance will be required to complete SUNY Oswego's General Education requirements.

SUNY Oswego will accept all General Education classes approved by SUNY-GER. A complete list of courses that will be accepted by Oswego for General Education credit can be found on the SUNY General Education website at

http://www.suny.edu/provost/generaleducation/courselist/coursefiles/GenEdCourses.xlsx

More SUNY Oswego General Education information can be found at <a href="http://www.oswego.edu/academics/undergraduate/ed">http://www.oswego.edu/academics/undergraduate/ed</a> requirements/general.html

### **Baccalaureate Degree Programs**

Students may transfer into any program given they meet the admission requirements for the particular program of study. The Oswego catalog with a full list of all programs offered can be found at: <a href="http://catalog.oswego.edu/index.php">http://catalog.oswego.edu/index.php</a>.

Below is a list of programs that have been pre-evaluated to correlate with Associate Degree programs offered at Mohawk Valley Community College. All students will still need to work with an admissions counselor at SUNY Oswego to receive an official degree evaluation. The below list is to be used as an advisement tool and does not replace the official evaluation:

MAJOR	<u>DEGREE</u>
Business Administration	BS
Public Justice	BA
Psychology	BA
Childhood Education	BS

Computer Science	BA
Biology	BA
Geology	BA
Chemistry	BA
Mathematics	BA
Electrical Computer Engineering	BS
Physics	BA

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# Period of this Agreement

Vice President for Learning & Academic Affairs

This agreement will become effective upon signature and shall be reviewed annually, or when substantive changes are made in the curriculum on either campus.

Signature indicates acceptance of Agreement

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