

# **PROGRAM AGREEMENT**

**between**

**Physical Education Department, SUNY College at Brockport**

**and**

**SUNY College at Cobleskill**

## **I. INTRODUCTION AND OBJECTIVES**

In compliance with the central theme of the November 19, 1972 Board of Trustee transfer policy the document herewith known as SUNY College at Cobleskill and the SUNY College at Brockport Physical Education and Sport Department Program Agreement has been drafted. The intent is to facilitate the transfer of Cobleskill College students to SUNY College at Brockport and the adoption of the Physical Education and Sport major.

## **II. TRANSFER TO SUNY COLLEGE AT BROCKPORT**

The number of hours to be transferred and the allocation of such hours shall be determined by the following approved SUNY Brockport General Education Transfer Policy:

### **A. Total Transfer Credit**

#### **1. From two-year colleges:**

- a. Students holding an approved associates degree from a regionally accredited college may transfer up to 64 credits. Such students will automatically be granted at least 60 credits and junior status. Some students may need more than 60 additional credits to complete the baccalaureate degree requirements depending on previous courses and the major selected at SUNY Brockport.
  - b. Students without an associates degree from a regionally accredited college may transfer up to 64 credits and be granted junior status.
2. From four-year colleges: A total of 96 credits may be accepted for transfer from any regionally accredited four-year college or university.

### **B. General Education Requirements for Transfer Students**

The College at Brockport recognizes four kinds of transfer students based on the total number of credits transferred, the number of liberal arts credits transferred, and the possession or absence of an associates degree.

1. Requirements for persons with the AA, AS/Liberal Arts Track or Associate of Applied Science Degree with at least 40 credits in the Liberal Arts:

- a. Such students will be regarded as having fulfilled the lower division Composition, Quantitative Skills and Breadth Component requirements of SUNY Brockport.
- b. Such students must complete one Perspectives on Women course, one Comparative Perspectives course, and one Computer Literacy course. Transfer credits may be used to fulfill these requirements.
- c. Such students must complete one Contemporary Issues course at SUNY Brockport.

2. Requirements for persons with the AS/Career Track or an AAS Degree and with fewer than 40 credits in the Liberal Arts:

- a. Such students will be regarded as having fulfilled the lower division Composition and Quantitative Skills requirement of the College.
- b. Such students will be required to have at least one course in each Breadth Component category: Fine Arts, Natural Sciences and Mathematics, Humanities and Social Sciences. Transfer credit may be used to fulfill the requirements. It will not be necessary for students to meet the laboratory or studio requirements related to the Breadth Component categories.
- c. Such students must complete one Perspectives on Women course and one Comparative Perspectives course and one Computer Literacy course. Transfer credits may be used to fulfill these requirements.
- d. Such students must complete one Contemporary Issues course at SUNY Brockport.

3. Requirements for persons without an Associates degree and transferring 24 or more total credits:

- a. One course in Composition.
- b. One course in Quantitative Skills. Transfer credit for a course equivalent to SUNY Brockport's QNT 111, Quantitative Skills, or MTS 121, College Algebra, or higher (excluding MTH 243, Elementary Statistics, and MTH 313, Mathematics for Elementary Teachers) serves to meet the requirement.

c. Breadth Component requirements:

Two courses in the Fine Arts area

Two courses in the Natural Science and Mathematics area

Two courses in the Humanities area

**Two courses in the Social Science area**

Courses from the same discipline may not be used in a given area. A maximum of two of the total eight courses may be taken from the same department. It is not necessary for students to meet the performance requirement in Fine Arts or the laboratory requirement in the Natural Sciences.

- d. One Contemporary Issues course at SUNY Brockport.
- e. One Perspectives on Women course, one Comparative Perspectives course, and one Computer Literacy course. Transfer credits may be used to fulfill these requirements.

**4. Requirements for persons without an associates degree and transferring a total of fewer than 24 credits:**

Such students will be required to meet Brockport's regular General Education requirements including Academic Planning Seminar; Composition and Quantitative Skills; Breadth Component, Comparative Perspectives, and Computer Literacy requirements, Contemporary Issues; and Women's Perspective. Transfer credit may be applied to all of these requirements except the Academic Planning Seminar and Contemporary Issues.

**III. Consideration for Transfer to the Department of Physical Education and Sport**

The Department of Physical Education and Sport at Brockport offers a program of study that includes an academic major that can be taken separately or in conjunction with one of four professional concentrations: teacher certification, (including adapted physical education), sport management, exercise physiology and athletic training. Acceptance into the major does not guarantee acceptance into a concentration. In order to facilitate the transfer of SUNY Cobleskill College students to the Department of Physical Education and Sport at Brockport, the following terms are agreed upon:

- A. Requirements for acceptance into the major:
  - 1. initial acceptance by the SUNY College at Brockport;
  - 2. completion of a declaration of major form
- B. Requirements for acceptance into a professional concentration (or for placement in a culminating field experience):
  - 1. Teacher Certification:
    - a. satisfactory performance on a physical fitness test;
    - b. maintenance of a 2.5 overall GPA;
    - c. obtain a grade of "C" or better in all professional coursework;
    - d. satisfactory completion of an interview.
  - 2. Sport Management:
    - a. a cumulative GPA of 2.5 or higher plus permission of the coordinator;
    - b. maintenance of a 2.5 GPA in the professional courses;
    - c. satisfactory completion of an interview.

3. Exercise Physiology:

- a. a minimum GPA in the concentration of 2.5;
- b. a minimum grade of C in each course in the concentration;
- c. satisfactory performance in an interview and oral exam.

4. Athletic Training:

- a. a competitive GPA;
- b. evidence of practical ability in the training room;
- c. a satisfactory interview;
- d. the availability of space in the concentration.

C. Equivalent courses:

The following courses taken at SUNY Cobleskill in the Social Science degree program are equivalent to courses (or competencies) offered at SUNY Brockport and meet degree requirements in the Department of Physical Education and Sport:

Brockport

Cobleskill

Major

BIO 221

BIO 258

Teacher Certification

PES 214

PHED 129

PEP 282

PHED 200

HLS 210

PHED 211

PEP 281

PHED 212

PES 264

PHED 137

PES 254

PHED 155

PES 25X

PHED 119

PES 25X

PHED 118

PES 25X

PHED 109

PES 25X

PHED 161

Athletic Training

BIO 321

BIO 258

BIO 322

BIO 259

## Exercise Physiology

BIO 321  
BIO 322

BIO 258  
BIO 259

## Sport Management

None

### D. Timeframe:

Students who possess Junior status at the time of matriculation at Brockport will have the opportunity to complete a Bachelor of Science degree with a major in Physical Education and Sport within four semesters. Students who elect a professional concentration in addition to the major (including teacher certification) may require a fifth semester.

## IV. REVIEW/REVISION OF AGREEMENT

Both the Department of Physical Education and Sport and SUNY College at Cobleskill agree to inform each other of any change in curricula or institutional policy that may affect the intent of the agreement. Furthermore, representatives will meet from the date of adoption on a bi-annual basis (odd-numbered years) to assess the successes and deficiencies of the Agreement and to make adjustments, if necessary.

The following individuals are designated as contact persons in the event that revisions/discussion of the Agreement are necessary:

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It is understood that SUNY College at Cobleskill and SUNY College at Brockport may seek additional relationships with other colleges in the State to facilitate transfer opportunities.

## V. ASSISTANCE TO STUDENTS

SUNY College at Cobleskill and the Department of Physical Education and Sport at SUNY College at Brockport both agree to encourage qualified students to participate in this Agreement by providing advisement, information and other support services that will facilitate students' transfer and transition into the curriculum.

Agreed Upon:

For the Department of Physical Education and Sport at SUNY College at Brockport:

Jeanie X. Short  
(Chairperson)

4/20/98  
(Date)

Jenny Z. Stuber  
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5-3-98  
(Date)

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(Vice President, Academic Affairs)

5-6-98  
(Date)

For SUNY College at Cobleskill:

Kenneth M. Conly  
(Chairperson)

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(Date)

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6/12/98  
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