

## Articulation Agreement

This articulation agreement formally recognizes that Bethel University (BU) and Motlow State Community College (MSCC) are educational institutions that agree to work together to provide educational opportunities for currently enrolled and potential students of their respective institutions.

It is the intent of the two institutions to encourage interested students to complete an associate degree at MSCC and to facilitate the transfer of credits into a bachelor's degree program at BU. Through this agreement, students would be able to complete all general education requirements in accordance with the attached course equivalency for the bachelor's degree at MSCC and the coursework for their desired major at BU. An Associate of Science degree from MSCC would allow a student with a minimum GPA of 2.0 to enter on a space available basis with junior standing at BU and to complete the baccalaureate degree in Science with a concentration in Organizational Management with no more than 60 additional required hours.

Students transferring between the institutions must be in good standing at their home institution and have a grade point average equal to that required for retention at the receiving institution. Credit granted for transfer courses will be based on evaluation of official transcripts issued directly by the credit-granting institution. BU will accept up to 80 semester credit hours for students transferring from MSCC. No distinction will be made between on-site courses and distance education courses by either institution as long as those courses conform to established standards for all courses at the offering institution. The chief academic officers or their designees will confer at least once per year about course offerings at the institutions. Course Equivalency will be updated annually as the catalog is updated and each successive addition or revision will be added to the Articulation Agreement.

This articulation agreement will be in effect for five (5) years upon the affixing of the signatures of the presidents of the two institutions. The agreement is subject to the policies and regulations of the boards and agencies that have oversight of the respective institutions and may be terminated by either party with a ninety day (90) written notification. Such termination will not affect students enrolled in either institution under the agreement at the time of termination or expiration. A student will have at least six (6) years to complete the coursework and transfer under this agreement to BU.

Bethel University

Bob Prosser 7/26/10

Dr. Bob Prosser, President (Date)

Motlow State Community College

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