

**Transfer Articulation Agreement  
Between Saunders College of Business  
*B.S. in Accounting,*  
*B.S. in Finance,*  
*B.S. in Global Business Management*  
*B.S. in Hospitality and Tourism Management,*  
*B.S. in Management Information Systems,*  
*B.S. in Marketing, and*  
*B.S. in Supply Chain Management*  
and the Business Studies Department, National Technical Institute for the Deaf  
*A.S. in Business***

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## **Purpose**

This articulation agreement is established between the NTID Business Studies Department and Saunders College of Business (SCOB) to assist in facilitating timely student progress from the A.S. degree level into a B.S. program, thereby attracting qualified students to SCOB and encouraging academic cooperation and exchange of information between NTID and SCOB. Students enrolled in the A.S. in Business will work toward admission into the B.S. in Accounting, B.S. in Finance, B.S. in Global Business Management, B.S. in Hospitality and Tourism Management, B.S. in Management Information Systems, B.S. in Marketing, or B.S. in Supply Chain Management by successfully completing freshman- and sophomore-level science, mathematics, and core business coursework required for the baccalaureate program and by taking any necessary foundational coursework to prepare them for such courses. Students will also take all necessary liberal arts and English coursework to satisfy the requirements of the Associate of Science degree in Business.

**Student Qualifications for Transfer from the A.S. in Business to the B.S. in Accounting, B.S. in Finance, B.S. in Global Business Management, B.S. in Hospitality and Tourism Management, B.S. in Management Information Systems, B.S. in Marketing, or B.S. in Supply Chain Management.**

Qualified students will:

- Be a graduate of the NTID A.S. in Business program.
- Be a student in good standing per RIT Policy D05.1.
- Have earned a cumulative GPA of at least 2.5 while in the A.S. in Business program. Students who do not meet this requirement will be considered on a case-by-case basis with particular emphasis on grades earned in their business, writing, and mathematics coursework.

## **Terms of the Agreement**

### **I. Admissions process**

- a. The process for admission to the B.S. in Accounting (ACCT-BS), B.S. in Finance (FINC-BS), B.S. in Global Business Management (MGMT-

BS), B.S. in Hospitality and Tourism Management (HSPT-BS), B.S. in Management Information Systems (MGIS-BS), B.S. in Marketing (MKTG-BS), or B.S. in Supply Chain Management (SPLYMGT-BS) can begin as early as the student's final term in the A.S. in Business (BUSN-AS).

- i. These seven programs are referred to collectively as "these seven SCOB programs" for the remainder of this document.

**b. The steps in the process will be:**

- i. Student indicates to the NTID A.S. in Business program coordinator an interest in applying to enter any of these seven SCOB programs.
- ii. The A.S. program coordinator will review the student's academic qualifications based on items listed in the *"Student Qualifications for Transfer"* section indicated above.
- iii. If the student meets the qualifications listed, the NTID Support Coordinator will meet with the student discuss the B.S. program in which the student is interested in entering.
  1. If necessary, the NTID Support Coordinator will call a meeting with the student and the Department Chair to review the student's record and to discuss the B.S. program in which the student is interested in entering.
- iv. Upon review of the student's qualifications, the NTID Support Coordinator and/or NTID Department Chair will complete an Intent to Enroll form and submit it to NTID Admissions, which will then submit it to the Assistant Dean of Student Services at Saunders College of Business (SCB) for review and approval.
- v. After the Assistant Dean of Student Services at SCB reviews and approves, the paperwork is returned to NTID Admissions, which sends it to RIT Admissions for final acceptance decision.

## **II. Year Level and Credit Transfer**

- a. Students who transfer from the A.S. in Business will do so at the third-year level into one of these seven SCOB programs, with the placement decision being made based on the requirements listed in the *"Student Qualifications for Transfer"* section above.
- b. Upon transfer into the B.S. program, students will be responsible for completing all remaining degree requirements in order to earn the baccalaureate degree.
- c. Credit earned toward the A.S. degree is indicated in the student's RIT academic history and will therefore automatically populate the appropriate section within the Academic Advisement Report (AAR) for the B.S. degree once the student has been admitted to the B.S. program. Students who have earned a C- or lower in any course taken toward the A.S. degree and being applied to the B.S. degree may be advised to retake the course as a condition of being admitted to the B.S. program.

## **III. Program and Course changes**

- a. The A.S. in Business, B.S. in Accounting, B.S. in Finance, B.S. in Global Business Management, B.S. in Hospitality and Tourism Management, B.S. in Management Information Systems, B.S. in Marketing, or B.S. in Supply Chain Management programs will communicate any changes to their respective curricula and make any changes to this document to ensure continuation of the articulation agreement.

#### **IV. Time limits**


- a. This agreement will be formally reviewed every five years from the date of signing, or at the time of any major curriculum change.

#### **V. Autonomy**


- a. The A.S. in Business program will be free to admit qualified non-matriculated, NTID-supported students who apply to the program through the normal RIT freshman admissions process. If students are deemed "underprepared" then a recommendation should be made to NTID for admissions opportunities.

A.S. in Business					
Transfer of Courses to B.S. in Accounting, B.S. in Finance, B.S. in Global Business Management, B.S. in Hospitality and Tourism Management, B.S. in Management Information Systems, B.S. in Marketing, or B.S. in Supply Chain Management					
COURSES IN A.S. DEGREE			COURSES ACCEPTED TOWARD B.S. DEGREE		
Course Number	Course Title (A.S. Degree Requirement)	SCH	Course Number	Course Title (B.S. Degree Requirement)	SCH
<i>Major Courses (including major-related coursework that satisfies general education and open electives requirements)</i>					
NBUS-211	World of Business & Innovation	3	MGMT-150	Business 1T (Major)*	3
NBUS-225	Introduction to Entrepreneurship	3	NBUS-225	Introduction to Entrepreneurship (Open Elective)	3
NBUS-227	Principles of Marketing	3	MKTG-230	Principles of Marketing (Major)	3
NACC-205	Financial Accounting	3	ACCT-110	Financial Accounting (Major)	3
NACC-206	Managerial Accounting	3	ACCT-210	Management Accounting (Major)	3
COMM-253	Communication	3	COMM-253	Communication (General Education)	3
ECON-101	Principles of Microeconomics	3	ECON-101	Principles of Microeconomics (General Education – Global Perspective)	3
ECON-201	Principles of Macroeconomics	3	ECON-201	Principles of Macroeconomics (General Education)	3
MGMT-215	Organizational Behavior	3	MGMT-215	Organizational Behavior (Major)	3
INTB-225	Global Business Environment	3	INTB-225	Global Business Environment (General Education)	3
MGIS-101	Computer-Based Analysis	1	MGIS-101	Computer-Based Analysis (Open Elective)	1
	General Education Elective	3		General Education Elective	3
<i>General Education Courses</i>					
UWRT-150	FYW: Writing Seminar (General Education – First Year Writing)	3	UWRT-150	FYW: Writing Seminar (General Education – First Year Writing)	3
	General Education - Ethical Perspective	3		General Education - Ethical Perspective	3
	General Education - Artistic Perspective	3		General Education - Artistic Perspective	3
	General Education - Global Perspective	3		General Education Elective or Open Elective	3
	General Education - Social Perspective	3		General Education - Social Perspective	3
	General Education – Scientific Principles Perspective	3		General Education – Scientific Principles Perspective	3
STAT-145	Introduction to Statistics I (General Education Elective)	3	STAT-145	Introduction to Statistics I (General Education – Math Perspective A)	3
STAT-146	Introduction to Statistics II (General Education Elective)	4	STAT-146	Introduction to Statistics II (General Education – Math Perspective B)	4
MATH-161	Applied Calculus (General Education Elective)	4	MATH-161	Applied Calculus (General Education Elective)	4
<i>Other Courses</i>					
NCAR-010	Freshman Seminar	0	YOPS-010	RIT 365: RIT Connections	0
	Wellness course	0		Wellness course	0
				Total Transfer Credits	63
				Percent of A.S. Credits Transferred	100%

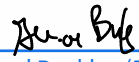
\* Per standard SCOB practice, MGMT-150 is accepted for non-freshman-admitted students in place of MGMT-101.

  
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