

**Fleming College**



**ARTICULATION AGREEMENT:**

**ONTARIO COLLEGE ADVANCED DIPLOMA IN FISH  
AND WILDLIFE TECHNOLOGY**

To

**BACHELOR OF ARTS, (HONOURS), INDIGENOUS  
ENVIRONMENTAL STUDIES**

BETWEEN

**THE SIR SANDFORD FLEMING COLLEGE  
OF APPLIED ARTS AND TECHNOLOGY**

AND

**TRENT UNIVERSITY**

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**ORIGINAL AGREEMENT DATE: SEPTEMBER, 2021**

# **The Sir Sandford Fleming College of Applied Arts and Technology's**

Ontario College Advanced Diploma in Fish and Wildlife Technology

to

## **Trent University's**

Bachelor of Arts (Honours), Indigenous Environmental Studies

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This agreement establishes the principles, guidelines and procedures governing admission and assessment of selected qualified students to enter Trent University on an advanced standing basis, subsequent to the successful completion of the Ontario College Advanced Diploma in Fish and Wildlife Technology at The Sir Sandford Fleming College of Applied Arts and Technology (Fleming College).

### **1. PURPOSE**

- 1.1. The purpose of this agreement is to provide qualified graduates of Fleming College's Fish and Wildlife Technology Advanced Diploma program with a seamless option for continuing their education in the Indigenous Environmental Studies degree program at Trent University.

### **2. ROLES AND RESPONSIBILITIES**

#### 2.1. Student Supports

Trent's program faculty will support incoming students by providing them with relevant information related to their program.

#### 2.2. Admissions

The Admissions Office at Trent University will be responsible for ensuring that eligible students will be awarded credit transfers as stated in said agreement.

#### 2.3. Recruitment and Marketing

Recruitment and Marketing representatives at Trent University will be responsible for promoting the articulation pathway and recruiting students.

#### 2.4. Students

Through communication with program faculty and orientation sessions, students will be advised to consult academic advisors to ensure they are successfully completing program requirements.

### **3. TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF THE AGREEMENT**

- 3.1. Graduates of Fleming College's Fish and Wildlife Technology Advanced Diploma program will be granted 10.0 credits towards a 20.0 credit Bachelor of Arts (Honours) in Indigenous Environmental Studies at Trent University.
- 3.2. Upon successful admission to Trent University, students are required to complete an additional 10.0 credits to meet degree requirements.
- 3.3. Students who have graduated from Fleming College's Fish and Wildlife Technology Advanced Diploma program, who commenced studies since Fall 2016, will be awarded the full 10.0 transfer credits provided they meet admission requirements under Article 4 of this agreement. Students commencing studies prior to this term will be evaluated for transfer credits on a course-by-course basis.

#### 4. ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

- 4.1. To qualify for this agreement, students must have:
- successfully completed Fleming College’s Fish and Wildlife Technology Advanced Diploma;
  - a minimum overall average of 75%.
- 4.2. Students must meet all specific admission and enrollment standards, and requirements for the program and will be accepted subject to capacity if applicable.

#### 5. TRANSFER OF CREDITS

- 5.1. Students who are eligible, graduating from Fleming College’s Fish and Wildlife Technology Advanced Diploma program with a minimum average of 75%, will be granted 10.0 credits towards the successful completion of a 20.0 credit Bachelor of Arts (Honours) in Indigenous Environmental Studies at Trent University. Credits will be transferred as follows:

<b>Course equivalency Block at Trent University</b>	<b>Credits received</b>
ERSC 1010H – Environmental Science and Sustainability	0.5
ERSC 1020H – Cases in Environment and Sustainability	0.5
ERSC-GEOG-BIOL 2080H – Natural Science Statistics	0.5
ERSC-GEOG 2090H – Introduction to Geographical Information Systems	0.5
ERSC 2230H – Environmental Assessment: Sampling and Analysis	0.5
ERSC 2240H – Ecological Assessment for Natural Resource Management	0.5
ERSC-BIOL 2260H – Introductory Ecology	0.5
ERST-CAST 2520H – Natural Resource Management: Theory and Comparative Cases	0.5
ERST-CAST 2525H – Critical Environmental Thinking: Political Economy and Policy Process	0.5
ERSC-BIOL 4240H – Fisheries Assessment and Management	0.5
BIOL 1020H – Foundations of Biodiversity	0.5
BIOL 2110H – Biology of Vertebrates	0.5
BIOL 3050H – Limnology	0.5
INDG 1001H – The Foundation of Reconciliation	0.5
WRIT 1001H – Write in Time	0.5
0.5 unassigned Biology credit at the 2000 level	0.5
0.5 unassigned Biology credit at the 3000 level	0.5
0.5 unassigned Environmental and Resource Science credit at the 3000 level	0.5
0.5 unassigned Math credit at the 1000 level	0.5
0.5 unassigned Science credit at the 1000 level	0.5

- 5.2. As these credits recognize areas covered in Fleming College’s Fish and Wildlife Technology Advanced Diploma program rather than the completion of Trent University courses, numerical grades will not be recorded on the Trent transcript. Completion of these credits will be recognized with a pass grade.

## 6. PROGRAM AND GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

- 6.1. Upon admission to the Bachelor of Arts (Honours) at Trent, students must satisfy all general education, graduation and major requirements as outlined in the University's undergraduate calendar. If a student does not have the foundation or skills to enroll in an upper level course because of a lack of the appropriate introductory course(s), any necessary prerequisite course(s) will be required.
- 6.2. If a student transfers to a different degree program, all transfer credits outlined in this agreement may not apply to the new degree program. It is the student's responsibility to consult an academic advisor, and to notify the Registrar's Office of any program changes.
- 6.3. To satisfy the requirements of Trent's Bachelor of Arts (Honours) in Indigenous Environmental Studies, students will need to complete specific courses to meet program requirements in addition to the courses they have already been granted from Fleming College. Program requirements are subject to change annually and the Academic Calendar should be consulted for all degree requirements and regulations. [www.trentu.ca/calendar](http://www.trentu.ca/calendar).

Program Requirements	Courses Granted Through Transfer Equivalency	Courses Students Still Need to Take
5.5 IESS credits consisting of IESS 1001H, 2601Y, 3631H, 3632H, 3731H, 3732H, 4730Y, 4741H and 4742H	---	IESS 1001H, 2601Y, 3631H, 3632H, 3731H, 3732H, 4730Y, 4741H and 4742H
1.0 ERSC credit consisting of ERSC 1010H and 1020H	ERSC 1010H and 1020H	---
2.0 INDG credits consisting of INDG 1001H, 1002H and 3813Y	INDG 1001H	INDG 1002H and 3813Y
0.5 credit from BIOL-ERSC 2260H, ERSC 2240H, or ERSC-BIOL 2701H	ERSC 2240H	---
1.0 ERST and/or ERSC credit at the 3000 level or beyond in addition to the above	ERSC-BIOL 4240H; 0.5 unassigned ERSC 3000 level	---
0.5 ERST, ERSC, or INDG credit in addition to the above	ERSC 2230H	---
9.5 additional credits	BIOL 1020H, 2110H and 3050H; ERSC-GEOG-BIOL 2080H; ERSC-GEOG 2090H; ERSC-BIOL 2260H; ERST-CAST 2520H and 2525H; WRIT 1001H; 0.5 unassigned BIOL 2000 level; 0.5 unassigned BIOL 3000 level; 0.5 unassigned MATH 1000 level; 0.5 unassigned SCIE 1000 level	3.0 additional credits
<b>General University Requirements</b>		
A minimum of 7.0 credits at the 3000 or 4000 level	2.0 assigned through transfer credit	Fulfilled through program requirements
A minimum of 3.0 credits with a grade of 60% leading to majors in different disciplines	Fulfilled through transfer credit	---
Maximum of 7.0 credits at the 1000 level	3.5 assigned through transfer credit	1.0 required above; Maximum 2.5 additional permitted
Minimum of 0.5 credit from the Approved Indigenous Course List	INDG 1001H	---

- 6.4. Students progressing through this pathway have the opportunity to complete the Bachelor of Science (Honours) in Indigenous Environmental Science, however the completion of more than 10.0 credits at Trent University will be required in order to meet the number of science credits required to meet general university standards.
- 6.5. To complete the program in two academic years, students progressing through this agreement will be allowed to enroll concurrently in IESS 2601Y and IESS 3731H/3732H, or IESS 3731H/3732H and 4741H/4742H.
- 6.6. Completion of required courses will vary on an individual basis based on the flexibility and course options within the Bachelor of Arts (Honours) degree and specific program chosen. Students must achieve the following to fulfill Trent University degree requirements:
  - i. A maximum of 7.0 credits at the 1000 level can count towards the degree;
  - ii. A maximum of 1.0 credit with a D grade (50-59%) in courses in a major or each joint-major or minor;
  - iii. At least 0.5 credit from the Approved Indigenous Course List;
  - iv. 7.0 credits completed at the 3000 or 4000 level through both program requirements and general elective options;
  - v. An overall minimum average of 65% in Trent University courses to obtain an Honours degree;
  - vi. The maximum credits in a discipline that can count towards the degree is 13.0 (Honours degree).

*Note: It is recommended that students transferring into the Bachelor of Arts (Honours) in Indigenous Environmental Studies meet with an Academic Advisor at Trent University prior to completing any course selections.*

## **7. IMPLEMENTATION AND REVIEW**

This agreement is subject to review whenever either party makes curricular changes that impact the agreement. When a change occurs, the program departments will notify their respective articulation designates so that the agreement can be updated. Articulation designates at each institution will review the agreement annually to ensure it is current. This Agreement may be terminated by either party. In this case, notice of one year is required. In the event of termination of the Agreement, every effort will be made to ensure that students currently enrolled in the program will not be affected.

**8. ACCEPTANCE OF AGREEMENT**

We, the undersigned, as the representatives of Trent University and The Sir Sandford Fleming College of Applied Arts and Technology hereby demonstrate our commitment to full implementation of the Agreement.

For, and on behalf of,  
Trent University

For, and on behalf of,  
The Sir Sandford Fleming College of Applied Arts and  
Technology



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Dr. Mark Skinner  
Dean of Humanities and Social Sciences



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Dr. Stephanie Dimech  
Vice President, Academic Experience and Chief  
Learning Officer

September 23, 2021

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Dr. Holger Hintelmann  
Dean of Science

September 23, 2021

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Dr. Michael Khan  
Provost & Vice-President Academic

September 27, 2021

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Date

AUGUST 2023  
**ADDENDUM**  
 TO THE  
**ARTICULATION AGREEMENT #5723**  
 BETWEEN  
**THE SIR SANDFORD FLEMING COLLEGE OF APPLIED ARTS AND TECHNOLOGY'S**  
**ONTARIO COLLEGE ADVANCED DIPLOMA IN FISH AND WILDLIFE TECHNOLOGY**  
 AND  
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**BACHELOR OF ARTS (HONOURS), INDIGENOUS ENVIRONMENTAL STUDIES**

This Addendum recognizes the changes outlined below, which shall become effective as of the Fall 2023 intake at Trent University. These changes will remain effective until the above-mentioned Agreement expires or until a new agreement is entered in to, whichever occurs first.

The following changes have occurred:

- Updated transfer credit block to reflect curriculum changes at Fleming College, new equivalencies, and to align with the Fish and Wildlife Technician agreement (#5760);
- Updated degree requirement chart to reflect new equivalencies.

These changes specifically refer to Sections 5 and 6 of the Agreement.

**BACHELOR OF ARTS (HONOURS), INDIGENOUS ENVIRONMENTAL STUDIES: TRANSFER CREDITS**

Students graduating from Fleming College's Fish and Wildlife Technology Diploma program with a minimum overall average of 75%, who are eligible, will be granted 10.0 credits toward the successful completion of a 20.0 credit Bachelor of Arts (Honours) in Indigenous Environmental Studies.

<b>Courses Completed at Fleming College</b>	<b>Course Equivalencies at Trent University</b>	<b># of Credits Received</b>
ENVR 20 – Ecology and Environment (60 hours)	ERSC 1010H – Environmental Science and Sustainability	0.5
MATH 25 – Statistics (45 hours)	ERSC-GEOG-BIOL 2080H – Natural Science Statistics	0.5
GEOL 83 – Earth and Atmosphere (45 hours); GEOM 163 – Fundamentals of Geomatics (45 hours)	ERSC 2090H – Introduction to Geographical Information Systems	0.5
SCIE 15 – Environmental Analysis (45 hours)	ERSC 2220H – Environmental Assessment: Chemical and Laboratory Methods	0.5
FIWI 6 – Environmental Monitoring (45 hours)	ERSC 2230H – Environmental Assessment: Sampling and Analysis	0.5
ECOS 13 – Field Skills (60 hours)	BIOL 1020H – Foundations of Biodiversity	0.5
SCIE 32 – Comparative Vertebrate Biology (32 hours)	BIOL 2110H – Biology of Vertebrates	0.5
FSTY 50 – Trees and Shrubs of Ontario (60 hours)	BIOL 3190H – Wild Plants of Ontario	0.5
SCIE 189 – Introduction to Environmental and Chemical Science (60 hours)	CHEM 1000H – Introductory Chemistry I	0.5

INDG 49 – Introduction to Indigenous Studies (45 hours)	INDG 1001H – The Foundation for Reconciliation	0.5
COMM 201 – Communications I (45 hours)	WRIT 1001H – Write in Time	0.5
COMM 202 – Communications II (45 hours)	WRIT 2002H – Write It Up: Effective Communication	0.5
SCIE 166 – Animal Disease and Pathology (60 hours)	0.5 unassigned Biology credit at the 1000 level	0.5
FIWI 17 – Freshwater Ecology (32 hours)	0.5 unassigned Biology credit at the 2000 level	0.5
FIWI 41 – Wildlife Observation Skills (45 hours); FIWI 46 – Field Ornithology (34 hours)	0.5 unassigned Biology credit at the 2000 level	0.5
FIWI 16 – Fisheries Management Concepts (56 hours); FIWI 44 – Wildlife Habitat Classification and Assessment (24 hours)	0.5 unassigned Science credit at the 3000 level	0.5
FIWI 18 – Freshwater Biology (60 hours); GEOM 21 – GIS Principles (45 hours)	0.5 unassigned Science credit at the 3000 level	0.5
Completion of all program components	ERSC 1020H – Cases in Environment and Sustainability; ERSC-BIOL 4240H – Fisheries Assessment and Management; 0.5 unassigned Environmental and Resource Science credit at the 3000 level	1.5

### **BACHELOR OF SCIENCE (HONOURS), BIOLOGY: PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS**

<b>Program Requirements</b>	<b>Courses Granted Through Transfer Equivalency</b>	<b>Courses Students Still Need to Take</b>
<b>5.5 IESS credits consisting of IESS 1001H, 2601Y, 3631H, 3632H, 3731H and 3732H (or 3730Y), 4730Y, and 4740Y</b>	---	IESS 1001H, 2601Y, 3631H, 3632H, 3731H and 3732H (or 3730Y), 4730Y, and 4740Y
<b>1.0 ERSC credit consisting of ERSC 1010H and 1020H</b>	ERSC 1010H and 1020H	---
<b>2.0 INDG credits consisting of INDG 1001H, 1002H, and 3813Y</b>	INDG 1001H	INDG 1002H and 3813Y
<b>0.5 credit from BIOL-ERSC 2260H, ERSC 2240H, or ERSC-BIOL 2701H</b>	---	BIOL-ERSC 2260H, ERSC 2240H or ERSC-BIOL 2701H
<b>1.0 ERST and/or ERSC credit at the 3000 level or beyond in addition to the above</b>	ERSC-BIOL 4240H; 0.5 unassigned ERSC 3000 level	---
<b>0.5 ERST, ERSC or INDG credit in addition to the above</b>	ERSC-GEOG-BIOL 2080H	---
<b>9.5 additional credits</b>	ERSC 2090H, 2220H and 2230H; BIOL 1020H, 2110H and 3190H; CHEM 1000H; WRIT 1001H and 2002H; 0.5 unassigned BIOL 1000; 1.0 unassigned BIOL 2000 level; 1.0 unassigned SCIE 3000 level	2.5 additional credits
<b>General University Requirements</b>		
<b>A minimum of 7.0 credits at the 3000 or 4000 level</b>	2.5 assigned through transfer credit	Fulfilled through degree requirements
<b>A minimum of 3.0 credits with a grade of 60% leading to majors in a different discipline</b>	Fulfilled through transfer credit	---
<b>Maximum of 7.0 credits at the 1000 level</b>	3.5 assigned through transfer credit	1.0 required above; Maximum 2.5 additional permitted



<b>Minimum of 0.5 credit from the Approved Indigenous Course List</b>	INDG 1001H	---
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