

Articulation Agreement

THIS AGREEMENT made as of August 20, 2008

BETWEEN:

SENECA COLLEGE OF APPLIED ARTS AND TECHNOLOGY, a college formed under the Ministry of Colleges and Universities Act (Ontario), hereinafter called "Seneca".

OF THE FIRST PART,

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FLEMING COLLEGE a college formed under the Ministry of Colleges and Universities Act (Ontario).

OF THE SECOND PART

INTRODUCTION – INTENT AND ESTABLISHMENT

This Agreement will serve to establish the principles, guidelines and procedures to ensure the admission of qualified graduates of the following diploma programs offered by Fleming College's School of Environmental and Natural Resource Sciences:

- Three year Environmental Technology
- Three year Ecosystem Management Technology
- Two year Earth Resources Technician

into the Bachelor of Applied Technology – Environmental Site Remediation degree program, offered by Seneca's Centre for the Built Environment. Furthermore, it will indicate to transferring students the specific credit transfers they will receive.

OBJECTIVES

1. To provide graduates of the School of Environmental and Natural Resource Sciences at Fleming College with an avenue for continuing their education leading to a Bachelor of Applied Technology - Environmental Site Remediation degree at Seneca College.
2. To admit graduates who satisfy the criteria of acceptance described in this Agreement into the Bachelor of Applied Technology (Environmental Site Remediation) degree program.
3. To encourage and attract qualified graduates from Fleming College to Seneca College.

4. To provide interested Fleming College students with specific information and guidance regarding transferability and other relevant information about the program offered by Seneca.
5. To encourage and facilitate ongoing academic co-ordination and liaison vis-à-vis articulation between the programs of the two schools.
6. To provide for periodic review and assessment of the articulation agreement by tracking the academic performance of Fleming College graduates who transfer into the Bachelor of Applied Technology - Environmental Site Remediation degree program. There will be an annual review of the Articulation Agreement conducted by the designated key contacts of the two institutions.

TERMS OF AGREEMENT

1. Seneca College will make available up to 10 places per year to students for admission into the Bachelor of Applied Technology – Environmental Site Remediation program who comply with the following criteria:
 - That the candidate be a graduate of either the Environmental Technology, Ecosystem Management Technology or Earth Resources Technician diploma program, offered by the School of Environmental and Natural Resource Sciences at Fleming College.
 - That the candidate have a minimum cumulative grade point average of B+ (75% or 3.5 GPA)
2. Seneca College and Fleming College agree to encourage and support articulation by providing information and guidance to interested students.
3. Both institutions will designate an articulation program representative to facilitate coordination of this agreement, to track student progress and to conduct an annual review of the agreement.

Wendy Meininger-Dyk, Academic Coordinator for the Bachelor of Applied Technology – Environmental Site Remediation program will be the representative for Seneca College and Barbara Elliot, Academic Lead, Curriculum, School of Environmental and Natural Resource Sciences will be the representative for Fleming College.

4. The articulation program representatives will confer regarding student progress and other matters of mutual interest or concern.

5. For graduates of the Environmental Technology program, total course credits granted will be 27. These credits and course equivalencies are specified in Appendix A. Students will be admitted into the fifth semester of study and will be required to acquire first year credits in IER106 and IER202 and a third year credit in IER308 during their first year of study at Seneca College.

For graduates of the Ecosystem Management Technology program, total course credits granted will be 21. These credits and course equivalencies are specified in Appendix B. Students will be admitted into the third semester of study and will be required to acquire first year credits in IER101, IER106, IER202, IER205, IER201 and IER206 during their first year of study at Seneca College.

For graduates of the Earth Resources Technician program, total course credits granted will be 20. These credits and course equivalencies are specified in Appendix C. Students will be admitted into the third semester of study and will be required to acquire first year credits in IER201, IER202, IER203, IER205 and IER206 during their first year of study at Seneca College.

6. Each institution will advise the other of any changes to curriculum that may affect course equivalencies noted in Appendix A, B and C.
7. Neither party shall use the name of the other institution for promotional purposes without the consent of the other party.

PERIOD OF AGREEMENT

This agreement is effective from the date signed and shall be in effect for five years, with an annual review to track student progress and effectiveness of the agreement. This agreement may be terminated by providing adequate notice to the other party of an intention to withdraw from the agreement. Adequate notice is defined as twelve months in advance of the entry of the final second year cohort.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF the Parties hereto have executed this Agreement as of the date first above written.

Seneca College of Applied Arts and Technology

Per: _____


Name: Cindy Hazell
Title: Vice President, Academic

Fleming College

Per: _____


Name: Rachael Donovan
Title: Vice President, Academic

Appendix A: Transfer Credits

Students graduating from the Environmental Technology diploma program with a GPA of 3.5 (75%) will be granted the following credits:

IER101- Introduction to Chemistry
IER120- Computer Fundamentals
IER103- Algebra
IER105- Scientific Methods
IER108- Environmental Social Issues
ENG105- Corporate Communications

IER201- Environmental Chemistry
IER203- Soils and Geomorphology
IER205- Health and Safety
IER206- Field Measurement
IER280- Aqueous Environment Sampling
IER209- Corporate Communication II
EFC210- Locational Analysis and Surface Water Sampling

IER310- Statistics and Computer Applications
IER320- Geology
IER321- Physical Geography
IER306- Introduction to Urban and Regional Planning
IER380- Soil, Vapour and Air Sampling
IER309- Professional Issues and Continuous Learning
CPP600- Coop Professional Practice

IER401- Geochemistry
IER403- Terrestrial and Aquatic Ecology
IER406- Urban and Regional Planning II – Planning Tools
IER480- Subsurface Exploration and Sampling
EFC401- Soil Sampling and Ecology

IER550- Phase I and II Investigations

One Liberal Studies Elective

Appendix B: Transfer Credits

Students graduating from the Ecosystem Management Technology diploma program with a GPA of 3.5 (75%) will be granted the following credits:

IER120- Computer Fundamentals
IER103- Algebra
IER105- Scientific Methods
IER108- Environmental Social Issues
ENG105- Corporate Communications I

IER203- Soils and Geomorphology
IER280- Aqueous Environment Sampling
IER209- Corporate Communication II
EFC210- Locational Analysis and Surface Water Sampling

IER310- Statistics and Computer Applications
IER306- Introduction to Urban and Regional Planning
IER309- Professional Issues and Continuous Learning
CPP600- Coop Professional Practice

IER403- Terrestrial and Aquatic Ecology
IER406- Urban and Regional Planning II – Planning Tools
EFC401- Soil Sampling and Ecology

IER504- Air Photo Interpretation and Remote Sensing
IER540- GIS Data Management
IER606- Sustainable Communities

Two Liberal Studies Electives

Appendix C: Transfer Credits

Students graduating from the Earth Resources Technician diploma program with a GPA of 3.5 (75%) will be granted the following credits:

IER101- Introduction to Chemistry

IER120- Computer Fundamentals

IER103- Algebra

IER105- Scientific Methods

IER106- Fundamentals of Canadian Law

IER108- Environmental Social Issues

ENG105- Corporate Communications I

IER280- Aqueous Environment Sampling

IER209- Corporate Communication II

EFC210- Locational Analysis and Surface Water Sampling

IER310- Statistics and Computer Applications

IER320- Geology

IER321- Physical Geography

IER309- Professional Issues and Continuous Learning

CPP600- Coop Professional Practice

IER480- Subsurface Exploration and Sampling

EFC401- Soil Sampling and Ecology

IER502- Physical Hydrogeology

IER620- Contaminant Hydrogeology

One Liberal Studies Elective