ARTICULATION AGREEMENT
BETWEEN
UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN-PLATTEVILLE
AND
Madison Area Technical College

This Agreement is entered into between Madison Area Technical College (Madison College), and the University of Wisconsin-Platteville, WI. This Agreement and any amendments and supplements, shall be interpreted pursuant to the guidelines set forth in the UW System Administrative Policy 135 (formerly ACIS 6.0) and UW System Administrative Policy 140 (formerly ACIS 6.2). Both institutions agree to maintain accreditation by the Higher Learning Commission of the North Central Association of Colleges and Schools and any other accreditation currently in existence pertaining to degree programs articulated via the transfer agreement.

Madison Area Technical College Degree Type: Biotechnology Post-Baccalaureate certificate
UW-Platteville Degree Type: Bachelor of Science in Biology

Effective Date: (01/19)  Next Review Date: (01/24)
☐ New Agreement  ☒ Revised Agreement

I. Admission and Graduation Requirements Specific to this Agreement:
   a. UW-Platteville’s admission and program admission requirements apply to both direct entry students and to students who transfer under this agreement.
   b. Students must complete the entire Biotechnology Post-Baccalaureate certificate.
   c. Students must fulfill graduation requirements at both institutions.
   d. Students will be required to earn a minimum of 32 credits in residence at UW-Platteville. The requirement that at least 23 of the last 32 credits be taken in residence shall be waived.
   e. A cumulative/major/minor/emphasis GPA of 2.0 is required to graduate in the receiving program.

II. Transfer of Credits
   a. Eligible students will be admitted to Madison College as Biotechnology Post-Baccalaureate certificate students. Upon completion of the prescribed coursework at Madison College, the 15 college credits earned in the Biotechnology Post-Baccalaureate certificate program will be transferred back to UW-Platteville as Biology 3000T coursework to be applied toward the undergraduate degree in biology granted from UW-Platteville. An official transcript must be requested by the student to be sent from Madison College to UW-Platteville Registrar’s Office, and the student must request application materials for graduation from the UW-Platteville Registrar’s Office.
b. The acceptance of transfer credits or testing toward completion of baccalaureate degree requirements shall be governed by current policies of UW-Platteville.

c. Students enrolled in the “3.5 Plus 0.5” program who successfully complete all course work in the Biotechnology Post-Baccalaureate certificate at Madison College with C’s or better will be granted an undergraduate degree from UW-Platteville, provided they have met all other UW-Platteville graduation requirements. The 15 credits of coursework taken for the Biotechnology Post-Baccalaureate certificate at Madison College will be transferred to UW-Platteville.

III. Additional Provisions

Under the provisions of this program:

a. Students will successfully complete at least 120 credits of baccalaureate studies including the biotechnology post-baccalaureate courses, biotechnology prerequisite courses, general education requirements and major requirements for a baccalaureate degree in biology from UW-Platteville.

b. Students satisfying the prerequisite requirements described below will begin the Biotechnology post-baccalaureate intensive certificate program at Madison College the next available semester following completion of the requirements at UW-Platteville.

c. Students successfully completing the requirements for the Biotechnology post-baccalaureate certificate at Madison College will transfer 15 academic credits back to UW-Platteville to count toward the student’s undergraduate degree in Biology granted by UW-Platteville.

UW-Platteville students desiring to enter the Biotechnology post-baccalaureate certificate program are eligible to apply for admission to the program at Madison College when the student has complete or is enrolled in all necessary UW-Platteville coursework previously stated. This articulation enables University of Wisconsin–Platteville students to gain seamless transition to the Biotechnology post-baccalaureate certificate program at Madison College.

Madison College will reserve at least two positions in the program for qualified UW-Platteville students. These positions will be held until 60 days prior to the first day of classes at which time the positions will be opened to anyone if not already filled by UW-Platteville students. UW-Platteville students will be qualified for these reserved positions if they meet all admission requirements for the Biotechnology post-baccalaureate certificate program (see below) and have a minimum 3.0/4.0 GPA. Students not meeting these minimum standards may still apply to the program, but they will not be eligible for the reserved positions.

The following conditions must be met for acceptance and completed prior to beginning the Biotechnology post-baccalaureate certificate program at Madison College.
Biotechnology Post-Baccalaureate certificate Application Requirements:
The student:

- Will have completed at least 90 credit hours prior to starting the Biotechnology Post-Baccalaureate certificate.

- Will provide evidence that undergraduate coursework in the major and general education requirements will be completed prior to or as outlined in an approved “degree completion plan” submitted at the time of application. Consequently the student will be eligible to be awarded a baccalaureate degree from UW-Platteville following successful completion of the Biotechnology Post-Baccalaureate certificate.

- Give evidence that the student has completed the current Biotechnology Post-Baccalaureate certificate pre-requisite requirements.

IV. Implementation and Review

a. The Provost, Dean, School Director/Department Chair/Program Coordinator or designees of the parties to this agreement will implement the terms of this agreement, including identifying and incorporating any changes into subsequent agreements, assuring compliance with system policy, procedure and guidelines, and conducting a periodic review of this agreement.

b. The University of Wisconsin-Platteville and Madison College will provide academic advising to the Madison College students inquiring about UW-Platteville’s programs. Madison College will assist UW-Platteville in arranging recruitment events on its campus.

c. Any marketing of this agreement will be subject to the prior approval of both parties and will adhere to each institution’s standards for the use of its name and logo. Each institution may provide a link to this agreement on its website, only after notifying the other party.

d. Both parties agree that failure to maintain accreditation will be grounds for termination of this agreement.

e. This Articulation Agreement is effective on 01/09/2019 and shall remain in effect until the end date of 01/09/2024 or for five years, whichever occurs first, unless terminated or amended by either party with 90 days prior written notice. OR This Articulation Agreement remains in effect unless terminated or amended by either party with 90 days prior written notice.

f. The college and university shall work with students to resolve the transfer of courses should changes to either program occur while the agreement is in effect.
g. This Articulation Agreement will be reviewed by both parties beginning 06/09/2023 (within six months of the end date).

h. When a student enrolls at the receiving institution following this agreement, the receiving institution will encode any course waivers and substitutions.

V. Signature Block

Approved by:

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