

Bucks County Community College (Bucks) – Rider University
Program to Program - Guaranteed Transfer Agreement
between
Social & Behavior Sciences: Criminal Justice, Associate of Arts (1189)
from **Bucks County Community College (Bucks)** and the
Bachelor of Arts with a Criminal Justice major at Rider University

In the interest of providing Bucks County Community College students with improved opportunities to excel in higher education, Rider University (Rider) and Bucks County Community College (Bucks) agree to create a Program to Program - **Guaranteed Transfer Agreement** between the Criminal Justice, Associate of Arts Program at Bucks and the Bachelor of Arts with a major in Criminal Justice at Rider.

1. Rider University will guarantee transfer admission; waiver of application fee; acceptance of all credits earned with a grade of C or better that count toward the Associate degree in the Social & Behavioral Sciences: Criminal Justice Program and meet Rider University equivalents; and full junior status to all graduates in good standing of the Social & Behavioral Sciences: Criminal Justice, Associate of Arts (1189) degree at Bucks.

Rider University admission will be granted to students who have fulfilled the following criteria:

- A. Declared their participation in this program while enrolled at Bucks by completing the Intent to Enroll Form. (Note: Students should be advised to submit their application to the program before they have completed 30 credits at Bucks in order to maximize the efficiency of their transfer to Rider University.)
 - B. Followed the appropriate transfer program of prescribed selections for Rider while at Bucks, listed in the Transfer Advising Guide.
 - C. Taken all their courses and completed their Associate degree at Bucks.
 - D. Earned a cumulative grade point average of at least a 2.50.
 - E. Applied for transfer admission by the normal Rider transfer application deadline.
2. This agreement between Bucks and Rider goes into effect immediately upon receipt of the signatures of each institution.
 3. This agreement shall be subject to review and renewal every five years.
 4. Bucks will provide its students with full information about the Program to Program - Guaranteed Transfer Admission Program that falls under the overall Guaranteed Transfer Agreement with Rider and Bucks. Students under this Program to Program Agreement will be also eligible for the benefits outlined in the Rider-Bucks overall Guaranteed Transfer Agreement.
 5. Students who declare their intent to participate will work directly with Bucks' transfer and advising staff to obtain assistance with course selections which fulfill Rider's requirements.

6. Bucks will provide Rider with the names and contact information of students who have enrolled in the Program to Program - Guaranteed Transfer Agreement program and Rider will establish communication with the participating students. Students will provide this information and permission to share information when they complete the Bucks-Rider Guaranteed Transfer Admission Intent to Enroll Form.
7. The regular process for transfer admission to Rider will remain for Bucks students who do not participate in this program as well as for program participants who do not fulfill the requirements listed in Article 1 of this document.
8. Rider University is committed to making our educational opportunities as affordable as possible. With scholarship and financial aid, transfer students often find Rider's private education is comparable to attending a public college or university. The Bucks transfer student, who holds a GPA of 2.50 to 4.00 on college-level work, is eligible upon the submission of a full-time student application, for consideration for transfer scholarships and grants. In addition, for those students of Phi Theta Kappa (PTK) at Bucks County Community College the student may be eligible to receive an annual renewable scholarship. For specific financial aid and scholarship information please access the Rider University website.
9. Bucks students following completion of the Bucks-Rider Guaranteed Transfer Admission Intent to Enroll Form, have the option to take a course at Rider that counts toward the Rider degree at no charge. The designated course (s) requires a grade of "C" or better and allow the Bucks student to experience first-hand the academic environment at Rider. The course credit option is: PHL-115, Ethics and SOC-207 Race & Ethnic Relations.

Agreed this 19th day of February, 2015

For: **Rider University**

For: **Bucks County Community College**

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TRANSFER ADVISING GUIDE

Criminal Justice (1189) (A.A.) from Bucks County Community College to Criminal Justice (B.A.) at Rider University

BUCKS COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE COURSE	Cr	RIDER UNIVERSITY COURSE/AREA SATISFIED	Cr
<i>Social & Behavior Sciences: Criminal Justice (1189)</i>		<i>Criminal Justice B.A. (Credits, 120)</i>	
COMP 110 English Composition 1 ^{A,D,2}	3	CMP 120 Expository Writing	3
CRIJ 100 Introduction to the Adm. of Criminal Justice ⁷	3	SOC 219 Introductions to Criminal Justice: Police, Courts, Corrections	3
HLTH 110 Responding to Emergencies ⁸	3	Not Transferrable	0
SOCI 110 Introduction to Sociology ⁴	3	SOC 101 Sociological Imagination	3
HIST 151 U.S. History: Young America ¹¹	3	HIS 208 US I American History from European Settlement through Reconstruction	3
	15		12
COMP 111 English Composition II ^{D,3}	3	CMP 125 Research Writing	3
CRIJ 110 Introduction to Criminal Law ^E	3	LAW 140 Intro. Seminar in Law & Justice	3
CRIJ 160 Introduction to Juvenile Justice ^E	3	SOC 216 Youth & Crime (Core)	3
PSYC 110 Introduction to Psychology ^{4,7}	3	PSY 100 Introduction to Psychology	3
HIST 152 U.S. History: Modern America ¹¹	3	HIS 209 U.S. II American History from Reconstruction to Present	3
	15		15
MATH 115 Elementary Statistics ^{A, D, 1}	3	MAT 120 Introduction to Applied Statistics	3
COMM 110 Effective Speaking ^{D,6}	3	COM 104 Speech Communications	3
CRIJ 130 Criminal Investigation/Forensics ^E	3	LAW 150 Introduction to Forensics (Core)	3
POLI 120 American State & Local Government	3	POL 100 Introduction to American Politics	3
Criminal Justice Elective ^{E, 10} (See Rider Attachment "A" for specific course selections)	3	Criminal Justice Elective ^{20 ̄} (See Attachment "A" for specific course selections)	3
	15		15
BIO 101 Biological Science 1 ^{D, 1}	4	BIO 100/SC Life Science: Human Emphasis	3
SOCI 150 Criminology ⁹	3	SOC 206 Theories of Deviance & Crime	3
INTG 285 Integration of Knowledge ^{B, D, 5}	3	Liberal Arts Elective [̄]	3
Criminal Justice Electives ^{E, 10} (See Rider Attachment "A" for specific course selections)	6	Criminal Justice Electives ^{20 ̄} (See Attachment "A" for Rider specific course selections)	6
	16		15
Total	61	Total	57

<p>Rider Course Option: (Select one course from two options)</p> <p>SOC 207 Race & Ethnic Relations</p> <p>PHL 115 Ethics</p>	<p>SOC 207 Race & Ethnic Relations OR</p> <p>PHL 115 Ethics</p> <p>Following completion of the Rider Intent to Enroll Form and while a student at Bucks; students have the option to take a course at Rider that counts toward the Rider degree. See Bucks or Rider Transfer Representatives for additional information. Contact information listed below.</p>	3
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Bucks County Community College Notes

A – Placement testing required

B – Any INTG course may be chosen

- C – Pre-college level courses do not meet this requirement
- D - Course requires prerequisite
- E - Course requires prerequisite CRIJ100 (C or better) or co-requisite CRIJ100
- 1 - Satisfies College Level Mathematics or Science
- 2 – Satisfies College Level Writing I
- 3 - Satisfies College Level Writing II
- 4 – Satisfies Social Perspectives
- 5 – Satisfies Writing Intensive Requirement
- 6 – Satisfies Creative Expression Requirement
- 7 – Prerequisite Reading Placement Test Score Level 3 or Read110 (C or better), or Co-requisite: Reading Placement Test score Level 2 and enrollment in a paired section of READ 110
- 8 – Satisfies Personal Health Requirement
- 9 – It is strongly recommended that students successfully complete COMP110, SOC110 and CRIJ100 prior to enrollment
- 10-Students may choose any elective within Crim. Justice, or other course outside of Criminal Justice with prior written approval of Crim. Justice Coord. or Acad. Dean
- 11- Satisfies Cultural Perspectives requirement

Rider University:

- 20 – Suggested Criminal Justice Electives to select include: CRIJ116, Crimes in U.S. Business; CRIJ285, Constitutional Law for the Law Enforcement Officer; CRIJ120, Criminal Evidence; CRIJ250, Police Organization & Administration. Also, see Attachment A for course and corresponding Rider University equivalent.
- 21- Rider students are required to complete a minimum of 7 courses at the 300 & 400 levels for the Criminal Justice Major. Please note the requirement of 7 courses does not include any course that may transfer into Rider as a 300 level course.
- ∩ Students have a number of options to satisfy this requirement; courses will be evaluated on an individual basis.
- For transfer credit Bucks student must have a “C” or higher all courses.
- Bucks students interested in the College of Continuing Studies (CCS) at Rider should contact that division directly.

Requirements are subject to change. This Guide is best used in consultation with an advisor.

COURSES REMAINING FOR A BACHELOR’S DEGREE IN CRIMINAL JUSTICE AT RIDER UNIVERSITY*

Course Number	Rider University Course Name or Core Area	Credits	Notes* (if course can be taken at Bucks, indicate course number)
Students must fulfill the 120 credits to earn the B.A., Criminal Justice			
	Rider students must complete a minimum of 7 courses at the 300+ level for the Criminal Justice Major. Please note the requirement of 7 courses does not include any course that may transfer to Rider as a 300 level course.		

Bucks County Community College students may transfer 60 credits to Rider University.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION, CONTACT

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Attachment A: Criminal Justice

Bucks County Community College **Criminal Justice Elective:**

CRIJ116
Crimes in U.S. Business

CRIJ285
Constitutional Law for the Law Enforcement Officer

CRIJ120
Criminal Evidence

CRIJ250
Police Organization & Administration

Rider University Equivalent Course:

SOC-321
White collar and Corporate Crime

LAW-365
Rights of the Accused

LAW-210
Criminal Investigation

SOC-342
Police & American Society