

PROGRAM-TO-PROGRAM ARTICULATION AGREEMENT
Associate of Arts at Bucks County Community College and
Bachelor of Science Accelerated Degree Completion Program at
Philadelphia University's Office of Continuing & Professional Studies

Students who complete any associate degree at Bucks, subject to the terms of this agreement, are guaranteed third year status in Philadelphia University's Continuing & Professional Studies Accelerated degree completion program. The agreement includes nine majors:

Behavioral and Health Services
Health Sciences
Health Services Management
Human Resources Management
Information Technology

Law Enforcement Leadership
Leadership in Emergency Services
Organizational Leadership
Pre-MBA

The following Terms and Conditions apply for Bucks graduates:

1. Complete any associate degree program by selecting courses as described in this agreement.
2. Achieve a final grade point average of at least 2.00.
3. Complete an application for admission, submit a writing sample and resume, and complete an admissions interview. Additionally, all candidates must follow any schedule for payment of fees and other registration procedures that apply to other entering students at Philadelphia University.
4. Enroll at Philadelphia University within three years after Bucks graduation.

Philadelphia University will accept no more than two courses in which "D" grades are earned. Philadelphia University will accept up to 72 credits in transfer. Bucks students who transfer are responsible only for requirements in place at Philadelphia University at the date of their enrollment in any associate degree program at Bucks provided he/she enrolls at Philadelphia University within three years of graduation from Bucks.

Students who do not earn the associate degree are not covered by this agreement. For non-graduates, Philadelphia University determines appropriate transfer of credits on a course-by-course basis and admits students on an individual basis.

Accelerated Scholars Scholarship Program

Bucks County Community College students who graduate with a grade point average (GPA) of 3.5 – 4.0 will be granted a scholarship of twenty-five percent (25%) per credit at Philadelphia University. Bucks students who graduate with a GPA of 3.0 – 3.49 will be granted a scholarship of twenty percent (20%) per credit. In order to qualify for this scholarship, students must adhere to the following:

- Graduate from Bucks with an associate degree.
- Apply, be accepted and enroll in Philadelphia University's Accelerated Bachelor of Science Degree Completion Program within three years of graduation from Bucks.
- Maintain a GPA of at least a 3.0 while enrolled at Philadelphia University.

- Once enrolled at Philadelphia University, students are not permitted to take courses toward graduation at other institutions without the written permission from the Director of Student Services in Philadelphia University's Office of Continuing and Professional Studies.
- Sign a scholarship agreement that acknowledges a clear understanding of the regulations listed above.

* All scholarships will be renewed each year contingent upon the student maintaining a 3.0 GPA at Philadelphia University. Should a student's GPA fall below a 3.0, and he/she has earned 12 credits or more at Philadelphia University, the scholarship agreement will be deemed invalid. Bucks County Community College and Philadelphia University commit to the provisions of this agreement.

Course Requirements:

Students who have completed any associate degree at Bucks, and who have completed the following courses, are eligible to be considered for admission to Philadelphia University under the terms of this agreement:

<u>Philadelphia University requirement</u>	<u>Bucks Equivalent</u>
1 Writing course	COMP110, 111, 114 , 115, 116 or OADM110
1 Math course	Any MATH course except 090, 095, 115, or 215.
1 Science course	Any Biology course except BIOL240 Any Chemistry except CHEM103, Any Physics except PHYS201 or 202, Any SCIE course <i>except</i> 206 and Nano-fabrication Tech courses
1 History course	Any HIST course 111 through 190 (except HIST174, 176, and 177) and HIST288
1 Social Science course	Any Economics or Sociology course Any Geography course except GEOG115 Any Psychology 105 and above, except PSYC215 Any Political Science 111 and above Women's Studies WMST110
1 Humanities course	Any Literature or Philosophy course Any Humanities (HUMN) course INTG285- Integration of Knowledge MUSC101, 105, 106, 201 or 202 Art History – VAFA191 thru 195 VACV141 or VACV142 COMT 101 Any FREN, GRMN, ITAL, JPNS, or SPAN course
Information Systems	CISC100 or 110