

ARTICULATION AGREEMENT
Lourdes University & Northwest State Community College
Business Programs

It is mutually agreed by Lourdes University and Northwest State Community College that Lourdes University will accept transfer credit from Northwest State Community College.

Lourdes will accept up to 50% of the credit hours required toward a Bachelor's degree in transfer credit from Northwest State Community College at the grade of C (2.0) or better into the baccalaureate degree programs offered by the Lourdes University College of Business and Leadership and will allocate specific credit as it meets program requirements.

The allocation of advanced credit to the program will be the responsibility of the Dean of the College of Business and Leadership, subject to the approval of the Provost of Lourdes University.

Northwest State Community College will retain full responsibility for the educational program of its students. Furthermore, Northwest State Community College should inform Lourdes of changes in the curriculum or changes in the availability of learning opportunities as far in advance of the time of the change as is feasible. Failure to do so may prevent the articulation or transfer of credit. If a change is made in the outline of one of the Northwest State Community College courses referenced in the Articulation Agreement, the change will be summarized and recorded as an addendum to the agreement. Such action will not require re-approval of the document.

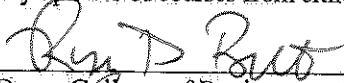
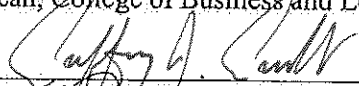
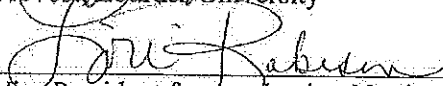
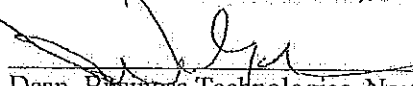
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The faculty and staff of both institutions are encouraged to visit each institution to plan, survey, observe and/or participate in conference with students and/or faculty.

A periodic review of the agreement and the curriculum of both Lourdes University and Northwest State Community College will be made by representatives from each institution.

This Articulation Agreement may be terminated by either party upon written notice to the other six (6) calendar months prior to the desired date of termination.

This Articulation Agreement will be in effect beginning Spring 2017 and will be reviewed periodically to ensure any updates of courses from either institution are reflected for accuracy (unless terminated as stated previously).

 _____ Dean, College of Business and Leadership, Lourdes University	3/29/17 _____ Date
 _____ Provost, Lourdes University	3/29/17 _____ Date
 _____ Vice President for Academics, Northwest State Community College	3-22-17 _____ Date
 _____ Dean, Business Technologies, Northwest State Community College	3-22-17 _____ Date