PROGRAM TO PROGRAM ARTICULATION AGREEMENT
University of Wisconsin—Stevens Point (UWSP)
College of Letters and Science
Department of Computing and New Media Technologies
and
Mid-State Technical College (MSTC)
IT Network Specialist program

Effective Date: January 1, 2022

MSTC Associate Degree: Associate Degree in Applied Science (AAS), IT Network Specialist

UWSP Baccalaureate Degree: BS in Computer Information Systems, Networking Option

Purpose: This articulation agreement provides the opportunity for MSTC students who have completed the IT Network Specialist program, to be awarded the following equivalent credits upon entry to the BS in Computer Information Systems, Networking Option program at UW-Stevens Point.

Courses:

General Courses:

MSTC			UW-Stevens Point		
Course No.	Course Title	Cr.	Course no.	Course Title	Cr.
10-801-136	English Composition 1	3	ENGL 101	Freshman English (GEP: WC)	3
10-801-196	Oral/Interpersonal Communication OR	3	COMM 180	Foundations of Workplace Communication (GEP: CT)	3
10-801-198	Speech		COMM 101	Fundamentals of Oral Communication (GEP: CT)	
10-804-107	College Mathematics OR	3	MATH 90	Beginning Algebra	3
10-804-189	Introductory Statistics		MATH 255	Elementary Statistical Methods (GEP: QL)	
10-809-103	Think Critically & Creatively	3	PHI 121	Critical Thinking (GEP: CT)	3
10-809-198	Intro to Psychology OR	3	PSYC 110	Introduction to Psychology (GEP: SS) OR	3
10-809-188	Developmental Psychology		HD 265	Human Growth & Development (GEP: WLN)	
10-809-166	Intro to Ethics: Theory and Application	3	PHIL 101	Intro to Ethics in Society (GEP: HU)	3
	Total general credits earned:	18			
	Total transferable general credits:	18		Total general credits accepted:	18

Occupational Courses:					
MSTC			**UW-Stevens Point**		
Course No.	Course Title	Cr.	Course no.	Course Title	Cr.
10-150-110	Networking I	3	CIS 225	Data Communication and Networks AND	4
10-150-111	Networking II	3	CIS 250	Network Management I AND	4
10-150-112	Networking III	3	CIS 354	Network Management II AND	4
10-150-113	Networking IV	3			
10-150-120	Server Administration-Beginning	3	CIS 357	Server Administration	4
10-150-121	Server Administration-Intermediate	3	CIS 3XXT	Elective	2
10-151-105	Linux	3	CIS 2XXT	Elective	3
10-150-130	Virtualization	3	CIS 347	Special Topics in IT Infrastructure	3
10-150-142	Network Specialist Internship	3	CIS 3XXT	Elective	3
10-150-161	Advanced Networking Projects	3	CIS 3XXT	Elective	3
10-150-165	Network Server Scripting	3	CIS 2XXT	Elective	3
10-151-110	Information Security I	3	CIS 226	Introduction to Information Assurance	3
10-152-101	Intro to Programming	3	CNMT 100	Principles of Computing	3
10-154-102	Hardware Essentials	3	CNMT 1XXT	Elective	3
10-154-132	Help Desk Fundamentals	3	CNMT 1XXT	Elective	3

	Total occupational course credits earned:	45		Total occupational course credits accepted:	45
	Total credits required for graduation:	63		Total credits accepted at UW-Stevens Point:	63
	Total transferable credits:	63		Total credits granted at UW-Stevens Point:	63

Courses needed to complete BS CIS - Networking Option at UW-Stevens Point:		
Course No.	Course Title	Cr.
Credits in the major:		
CNMT 110	Object-Oriented Programming	4
CNMT 210	Web Design and Development	4
CNMT 410	Professional IT Communication	4
CNMT 479	Development Project Preparation	1
CNMT 480	Applied Development Project	3
CIS 210	Database Design and Implementation	4
CIS 220	Systems Analysis and Design	4
CIS 360	Network and Enterprise Security Mgmt	4
CNMT 310	Production Programming	4
MATH 209	Mathematics for Information Sciences	4
	Total for major:	36

GEP:		
ENGL 202	Sophomore English (GEP: WC)	3
	Quantitative Literacy (GEP: QL), depending on Math Placement Test score or courses taken (10-804-189 or not)	0-3
	Wellness (GEP: WLN) , depending on courses taken (10-809-188 or not)	0-1
	Arts (GEP: ART)	3
	Historical Perspectives (GEP: HP)	3
	Natural Sciences (GEP: NSC)	3
	GEP: HU or HP or ART or SS or NSC, depending on courses taken (10-809-198 or not)	9-12
	Environmental Responsibility (GEP: ER), may be satisfied with coursework above	0-3
	Global Awareness (GEP: GA), may be satisfied with coursework above	0-3
	US Diversity (GEP: USD), may be satisfied with coursework above	0-3
	Total for General Education Program:	22-36
TOTAL UWSP COURSES *		58-72
TOTAL TRANSFER AND UWSP CREDITS **		121-135
TOTAL CREDITS REQUIRED FOR GRADUATION (MIN)		120
NOTES: * 40 credits must be from 300- or 400- level courses; 24 additional credits beyond what is provided by completion of the CIS program requirements are required to satisfy this degree requirement. ** Depending on course selections, additional credits may be required to attain 120 credits.		

Special Considerations:

1. The acceptance of credits applies only to this Program-to-Program Articulation and to students transferring within the terms of this agreement.
2. For acceptance of equivalent courses, MSTC courses must have been completed within the last 5 years. Beyond this period, course equivalents will be assessed on an individual basis.
3. The Agreement shall become effective on January 1, 2022, and shall automatically renew on each June 1, for an additional year, unless terminated through written notice by either Party to this Agreement.