

PROGRAM TO PROGRAM ARTICULATION AGREEMENT
University of Wisconsin – Stevens Point (UWSP)
College of Letters and Science
Computing and New Media Technologies
Computer Information Systems – Networking
and
Northcentral Technical College (NTC)
IT – Network Specialist

Effective Date: January 1, 2022

NTC Associate Degree: Associate Degree, IT Network Specialist

UWSP Baccalaureate Degree: Bachelor of Science Degree, Computer Information Systems – Networking Option

Purpose:

This articulation agreement provides the opportunity for NTC students to be awarded the following equivalent credits upon entry to the UWSP College of Letters and Science, Computer Information Systems major, Networking option.

Transfer Courses:

General Courses

NTC			UWSP		
Course No.	Course Title	Credits	Course No.	Course Title/Field	Credits
10-801-196	Oral/Interpersonal Communications <u>OR</u>	3	COMM 180 OR	Fdns Workplace Communication (GEP: CT) OR	3
10-801-198	Speech		COMM 101	Fundamentals of Oral Communication (GEP: CT)	
10-801-195	Written Communication <u>OR</u>	3	ENGL 101	Freshman English (GEP: WC)	3
10-801-136	English Composition 1				
10-809-103	Think Critically & Creatively	3	PHIL 121	Critical Thinking (GEP: CT)	3
10-801-197	Technical Reporting	3	ELEC 1XX	ELEC 100-Level Elective	3
10-809-199	Psychology of Human Relations <u>OR</u>	3	SS1XX OR	SS 100-Level Elective (GEP: SS) OR	3
10-809-198	Intro to Psychology		PSYC 101	Introduction to Psychology (GEP: SS)	
10-804-133	Math & Logic	3		No degree credit	0
10-890-165	College 101	1	ELEC 1XX	ELEC 100-Level Elective	1
	Total general credits earned:	19		Total general credits accepted:	16

Occupational Courses

Course No.	Course Title	Credits	Course No.	Course Title/Field	Credits
10-150-185	Cisco 1 - Network Communications 1	3	CIS 225	Data Communication and Networks	4
10-150-186	Cisco 2 - Network Communications 2	1			
10-150-186	Cisco 2 - Network Communications 2	2	CIS 250	Network Management I and	4
10-150-187	Cisco 3 - Network Communications 3	2			
10-150-187	Cisco 3 - Network Communications 3	1	CIS 2XXT	Elective	1
10-150-114	Principles of Information Security	2	CIS 2XXT	Elective	2
10-154-100	Computer Fundamentals 1	3	CNMT 100	Principles of Computing	3
10-154-102	Computer Fundamentals 2	3	CNMT 1XXT	Elective	3
10-150-121	Windows Server 1	3	CIS 357	Server Administration	4
10-150-122	Linux Server 1	1			
10-150-122	Linux Server 1	2	CIS 3XXT	Elective	2
10-150-503	Command Line Shells & Shell Scripting 1	1	CIS 2XXT	Elective	3
10-150-504	Command Line Shells & Shell Scripting 2	1			
10-150-505	Command Line Shells & Shell Scripting 3	1			
10-150-181	Enterprise Virtual Servers	3	CIS 347	Special Topics in IT Infrastructure	3
10-150-501	Unified Communications	3	CIS 2XXT	Elective	3
10-150-124	Network Security	3	CIS 2XXT	Elective	3
10-150-502	Network Operations Management	3	CIS 2XXT	Elective	3
10-150-506	Network Capstone	3	CIS 3XXT	Elective	3
10-152-398	IT Career Skills <u>OR</u>	1	NDC	No degree credit	0
10-152-399	IT Internship		CIS 3XXT	Elective	1
Total occupational course credits earned:		42	Total occupational course credits accepted:		42
Total credits required for graduation:		61			
Total transferable credits:		61	Total credits accepted at UWSP:		58

Courses needed to complete degree at UWSP:

Course No.	Course Title	Credits
Courses in the major: *		
CNMT 110	Object-Oriented Programming	4
CNMT 210	Web Design and Development I	4
CNMT 410	Professional IT Communication	4
CNMT 479	Applied 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 Management	4
CNMT 310	Production Programming	4
MATH 209	Mathematics for Information Sciences	4
Complete one of:		
CIS 303	Cybersecurity and Society	3-4
CIS 311	Application Security	
CIS 354	Network Management II	
CIS 361	Digital Forensics	
Total for major:		39-40
GEP courses: **		
ENGL 202	Sophomore English	3
	GEP: Quantitative Literacy	3
WLN	GEP: Wellness	1
GEP	GEP ART and NSC and HP and HU	12
GEP	GEP: HU or HP or ART or SS or NSC	9
GEP	Social and Environmental Responsibility, may be satisfied with coursework above	0-9
Total credits needed at UWSP to complete degree: ***		67-77

* Additional 20 300/400-level credits required in addition to CIS major courses to satisfy university graduation requirement. Some may be taken in the GEP courses chosen at UWSP.

** Exact number of credits depends on course selection.

*** 120 credits required for graduation.

SPECIAL CONSIDERATIONS:

1. The acceptance of credits applies only to this Program-to-Program Articulation.
2. For acceptance of equivalent courses, NTC courses must have been completed within the last 5 years. Beyond this period of time, course equivalents will be assessed on an individual basis.
3. This agreement is subject to review if either NTC or UWSP undergoes curriculum revision OR within five years of the origination date of this agreement, whichever occurs earlier.