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## ARTICULATION AGREEMENT

**College of Agreement Initiation:** Augustana University

### **A. SENDING AND RECEIVING INSTITUTIONS:**

**Sending College:** Mount Marty College

Program: Exercise Science

Degree: Bachelor of Arts (B.A.)

**Receiving Institution:** Augustana University

Program: Athletic Training

Degree: Master of Science (M.S.)

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This Agreement records the understanding between Augustana University (AU) and Mount Marty College (MMC) to establish an agreement leading to the AU Master of Science in Athletic Training program. The objective of this Agreement is to develop a direct pathway opportunity for students from Mount Marty College's Exercise Science program to be accepted to Augustana University's Master of Science program. Under agreement, between MMC and AU, selected students who have successfully met the specific course requirements and fulfilled the admissions requirements identified below, at MMC can continue their education in Athletic Training at AU.

## **B. Admissions Requirements for AU Master of Science**

Graduates of MMC will be guaranteed acceptance in AU's Athletic Training program as noted in the Agreement dependent upon students successfully graduating and completing the following requirements:

1. A completed application by April 1 of the year prior to matriculation
  2. A minimum of 2.50 cumulative GPA
  3. Letter of intent
  4. Three letters of reference
  5. Proof of completed physical examination, medical history, immunization record, blood borne pathogen training and Technical Standards document
  6. Completed required prerequisite coursework as outlined in the Articulation Agreement
  7. Completion of 50-100 clinical observation hours under the direct supervision of an athletic trainer or other approved allied healthcare professional.
  8. Participate in an onsite interview
- ❖ Full Acceptance will be granted once all admissions requirements are met and matriculation deposit fee is received by AU's Graduate Office.
  - ❖ All documents, e.g. transcripts, immunization and physical forms as well as criminal background check must be received by AU by April 1 of the year of matriculation.
  - ❖ It is important to note that students may complete the application a full year prior to expected matriculation (e.g. their junior year) so they do not have to apply to other programs if it is their intention to study at AU.

## C. AU Master of Science Prerequisite Course Requirements and Course Equivalencies from MMC

<u>AU Prerequisites</u>	<u>MMC Equivalencies</u>
BIOL 120 Biological Principles I (4)	BIO-103, Principles of Biology (4)
BIOL 150 Human Anatomy (4)	BIO-203, Human Anatomy & Physiology I (4)
BIOL 225 Human Physiology (4)	BIO-204, Human Anatomy & Physiology II (4)
CHEM 116 General Chemistry I (4)	CHM-111, General Chemistry I (4) or CHM-101, Introductory Chemistry I (4)
CHEM 145 Survey of Organic & Biochemistry (4)	CHM-102, Introductory Chemistry II (4)
EXSC 320 Physiology of Exercise (4)	EXS-450, Exercise Physiology (3)
EXSC 323 Biomechanics (3)	EXS-353, Biomechanics (3)
HLTH 222 Nutrition (3)	EXS-310, Nutrition of Sport and Exercise (3)
PE 228 Athletics Onsite Health Care (2)	waived
PE 230 First Aid and CPR (1)	PED-217, First Aid & CPR (2)
PE 280 Prevention and Care of Athletic Injuries (3)	EXS 254, Sports First Aid: Prevention and Care Athletic Injuries (3)
PSYC 115 General Psychology (3)	PSY-101, Introduction to Psychology (3)
PSYC 270 Statistics (4)	MTH-219, Elementary Statistics (4)

\*All Pre-requisite courses must be passed with a grade of C or higher

## D. Articulation Agreement Follow-up and Procedures

### 1. Procedures for reviewing, updating, modifying or terminating Agreement

- This Agreement shall be effective upon being signed by both parties and will continue from one Academic year to the other.
- Each Institution will designate a representative responsible for overseeing this Agreement. If one of the party's representatives change, the Institution is responsible for notifying the other Institution of the change as soon as possible.
- This Agreement will automatically renew unless authorized personnel from MMC and AU determine that amendments are necessary.
- Partner Institutions agree to communicate any curricular changes that impact the Articulation Agreement.
- The terms of this Agreement may not be modified unless an amendment is agreed by both parties in writing.

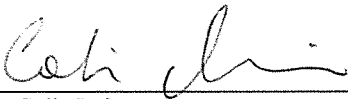
- Either institution may terminate this Agreement by a written notice at least one year in advance of the effective date of termination. Each party will ensure that adequate actions are made to complete all commitments before the Agreement is terminated.
- Any MMC Exercise Science student who applies to and is admitted to AU prior to termination of this Agreement shall be allowed to matriculate in the Athletic Training program at AU.
- Both Institutions agree that during the term of Agreement, both institutions will engage with each other as independent contractors and not as a joint venture or any other type of relationship.

**2. Procedures for Publicizing Agreement**

Mount Marty College and Augustana agree that references to this Articulation Agreement can be made in both institution’s publications. Furthermore, both institutions may feature the program in their respective advertising material(s) and admissions recruitment activities. Additionally, the Articulation Agreement can be referred to during students advising sessions.

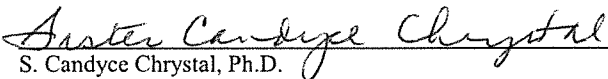
Effective Date: June, 2018

Agreement Accepted for Augustana University

  
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 Dr. Colin Irvine  
 Senior Vice President for Academic Affairs and Dean of the University

July 25, 2018  
 Date

Agreement Accepted for Mount Marty College

  
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 S. Candyce Chrystal, Ph.D.  
 Interim Vice President for Academic Affairs and Dean of the College

7-25-18  
 Date