

**ADDENDUM TO 2013 ARTICULATION AGREEMENT BETWEEN ASHEVILLE-BUNCOMBE TECHNICAL
COMMUNITY COLLEGE AND APPALACHIAN STATE UNIVERSITY**

Associate in Science – BS Fermentation Sciences

March 7, 2016 Effective Fall 2016

CHANGES

I. Heading and Introduction

The UNC System has developed nomenclature for articulation agreements to create uniformity and consistency across the state. ***CAA Multi-Lateral Articulation Agreement*** best describes this type of agreement in Fermentation Sciences with Asheville-Buncombe Technical Community College. It can co-exist with the language 2+2. If a student at AB-Tech follows the prescribed curriculum successfully, he/she can complete the degree in 4 years barring no remediation at the community college.

II. Joint Obligations

C. Clarification of notification to ensure the student is processed appropriately during the admissions and articulation process.

E. Identify time that student can declare the major

G. Removed language from “G” since the CAA has been approved and moved “C” or better to A.

ABTCC must comply with the ****North Carolina Comprehensive Articulation Agreement (CAA)*** – See *Amendments* under article IV - and award the Associate in Science degree with a grade of “C” or better in each CAA courses.

III. Evaluation

A. Provided time frame for review and exception to the review.

IV. Longevity

Changed the matriculation date to 2016

See “Program of Study” for course sequencing

Addendum to the 12/3/13 Fermentation Sciences Articulation Agreement
**CAA MULTI-LATERAL (2+2) ARTICULATION AGREEMENT IN FERMENTATION
SCIENCES**

BETWEEN

APPLACHIAN STATE UNIVERSITY

AND

ASHEVILLE-BUNCOMBE TECHNICAL COMMUNITY COLLEGE

Programs of Study

Asheville-Buncombe Technical Community College Associate in Science

and

Appalachian State University Bachelor of Science in Fermentation Sciences

I. INTRODUCTION

This Articulation Agreement in Fermentation Science formally recognizes that Appalachian State University (ASU) and Asheville-Buncombe Technical Community College (ABTCC) are active collaborative educational partners, committed to providing greater access, options and educational opportunities and services for students between institutions. This commitment strongly supports the concepts of seamless articulation of transfer credit and assures that students from Asheville-Buncombe Technical Community College who follow the prescribed curriculum can graduate with a degree from Appalachian State University in 2 years.

II. JOINT OBLIGATIONS

- A. Students must complete the Associate in Science degree from ABTCC with grades of “C” or better, apply to graduate, and have the Associate in Science degree posted on their official transcript.
- B. ASU will guarantee space availability for 6 ABTCC students until March 1st prior to Fall semester enrollment. After that time, spaces will be released to the general student population.

- C. The Associate Dean of Arts and Sciences at ABTCC will make student recommendations to the Program Coordinator of Fermentation Science who will then notify the Office of Transfer Services of the student's intent.
- D. ABTCC students must apply for admission and be admitted to Appalachian State University to articulate appropriate course credit as outlined in this Articulation Agreement. Students are recommended to have a complete application for admission to the university by December 1st prior to the start of the intended fall term.
- E. Upon acceptance to ASU, the recommended ABTCC students can complete a major declaration for the Fermentation Sciences program at the time of orientation.
- F. The ASU Fermentation Science course sequencing begins Fall semester of each academic year.
- G. This Articulation Agreement assures that ASU will provide the appropriate course sequence to enable the ABTCC student to complete program requirements within two academic years.
- H. Students must successfully complete the prescribed coursework each semester for the conditions of this Articulation Agreement to remain valid.

III. EVALUATION

- A. It is understood by both educational partners that there will be an evaluation and assessment of this Articulation Agreement between Appalachian State University and Asheville-Buncombe Technical Community College every three years. The next review will occur in July of 2019. *Exception applies to curriculum changes at either institution resulting in an amendment to the agreement.* The information obtained from the annual evaluation will be used to improve and enhance the transfer process for the benefit of students.
- B. Appalachian State University and Asheville-Buncombe Technical Community College agree to exchange relevant and appropriate data and documents that will help to identify and track students that take advantage of this educational partnership opportunity; contribute to the maintenance of this Articulation Agreement; and promote effective cooperation between both parties. The institutions will exchange admissions data obtaining appropriate permissions from the students involved and in compliance with all federal, state, and local laws.

IV. AMENDMENTS

Amendments to this Articulation Agreement require the approval of both parties. The courses of study subject to this Articulation Agreement may be changed or expanded periodically by addendum mutually agreeable to both parties.

V. LONGEVITY

This Articulation Agreement is in perpetuity or until it is cancelled by either educational partner by submitting written notification to the other partner one year prior to the

identified cancellation date in order to protect all ABTCC students that have been admitted to ASU. The matriculation of this agreement begins fall 2016.

Appalachian State University and Asheville-Buncombe Technical Community College enters into this Articulation Agreement in the spirit of cooperation and mutually recognize each other as quality institutions of higher learning. Each institution, furthermore, is dedicated to serving students from all walks of life, regardless of race, ethnicity, religion, sex, disability, color, age, marital status, national origin or other non-merit factors.

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