

SUNY Fredonia-Jamestown Community College Articulation Agreement in Public Relations

By this agreement, students who complete an Associate in Science (AS) or Associate in Arts (AA) degree at Jamestown Community College are guaranteed admission with full junior standing to the Bachelor of Science (BS) in Public Relations degree program at SUNY Fredonia. By completing at least 60 JCC credits of coursework from Appendix A, including a minimum of 7/10 SUNY-Approved General Education Requirements and also including other designated courses, such students should be able to complete their BS degree at SUNY Fredonia within 4 additional full-time semesters, taking 15-18 credits per semester. SUNY Fredonia will accept a maximum of 75 JCC credits listed in Appendix A in transfer toward fulfillment the requirements for the BS Public Relations degree. Students must complete a minimum of 45 credits in residence at Fredonia.

GPA Criterion: To be guaranteed admission, students must have a cumulative GPA, from all colleges attended, of 3.0 or higher.

Minor The department requires all students to declare and complete a minor outside the communication department or a 15 credit hour semester study abroad. Students should begin taking courses towards their minor at JCC. A list of approved minors is located in the college catalog.

College Core Curriculum: To graduate with a baccalaureate degree from SUNY Fredonia, students must meet the requirements of SUNY Fredonia's College Core Curriculum (CCC). The CCC includes one course from each of the 10 SUNY General Education Categories plus additional coursework stipulated in the Fredonia catalog. To assist JCC students in preparing for their baccalaureate degree at SUNY Fredonia, the additional CCC requirements are summarized below:

- 1) Students are required to complete 2 courses, with 2 different prefixes, in the social sciences. Only one course may be from business administration, education, history, communication, or speech. Students complete CMM 2610 Mass Comm & Media Lit will Satisfy one social science requirement.
- 2) Students are required to complete 2 courses, with two different prefixes, in the natural sciences. For the Environmental Sciences degree, this will be completed through the major.
- 3) The CCC includes a speaking intensive requirement. This will be fulfilled if students complete the SUNY General Education basic communication requirement at JCC.

APPENDIX A – JCC/SUNY FREDONIA EQUIVALENT COURSES

Public Relations

Jamestown CC Courses	SUNY Fredonia Equivalent Courses
ENG 1530 English Composition II (SUNY-Approved Basic Communication) (3 credit hours)	ENGL 100 College Composition (CCC Basic Written Communication requirement) (3 credit hours)
ENG 1540 Writing about Literature (SUNY-Approved Humanities) (3)	ENGL 099 Non-Major Transfer Elective (3)
Social Science - 1 SUNY-approved Social Science outside of the CMM prefix	Social Science – (3) (CCC requirement)
Social Sciences - 2 courses in 2 different disciplines (6)	Social Sciences - 2 courses in 2 different disciplines (6) (CCC requirement)
Any SUNY-Approved Foreign Language (3-4)	Foreign Language (6) (CCC requirement)
Any SUNY-Approved The Arts (3)	The Arts (3) (CCC requirement)
ANY SUNY-Approved American History (3)	American History (3) (CCC requirement)
Any SUNY-Approved Western Civilization (3)	Western Civilization (3) (CCC requirement)
Any SUNY-Approved Other World Civilizations (3)	World History or Non-Western Civilization (3) (CCC requirement)
CMM 1510 Introduction to Communication (3)	COMM 101 Fundamentals of Communication (3) (Communication Core Requirement)
CMM 1610 Public Speaking (3)	COMM 105 Public Speaking (3) (Communication Core Requirement)
CMM 1750 Rhetoric of Vision and Sound (3)	COMM 155 Rhetoric of Vision and Sound (3) (Group B – Major Elective)
CMM 2500 Interpersonal Communication (3)	COMM 221 Interpersonal Communication (3) (Group B – Major Elective)
ENG 2740 Newswriting & Editing	COMM 130 Foundations of Journalism (3) (Group B – Major Elective)
CMM 2610 Mass Communication and Media Literacy (3)	COMM 102 Mass Media and Society (3) (Group A - Major Core Requirement)
CMM 8500 Introduction to Public Relations (3)	COMM 222 Principles of Public Relations (3) (Group A – Major Core Requirement)
Any additional non-CMM courses (up to 66 total credit hours of non-COMM courses)	Students completing a BA/BS degree must earn a minimum of 66 credits from disciplines other than communication.

Duration of Agreement

This agreement will become effective on August 1, 2012 and shall be reviewed every two years, or earlier, if significant changes are made in either the two-year or the four-year program.