### TRANSFER ARTICULATION AGREEMENT

## **Quinsigamond Community College**

and

Anna Maria College

Business Administration-Transfer Associate in Science Degree

to

**Business Administration Bachelor Degree**(Fall 2018)

#### **General Statement of Purpose**

Anna Maria College agrees to collaborate with Quinsigamond Community College (QCC) by providing opportunities for appropriately qualified students in the QCC Business Administration-Transfer Associate in Science degree to complete a Business Administration Bachelor degree at Anna Maria College. This articulation agreement is designed to facilitate the educational mobility and transfer of students from Quinsigamond Community College to Anna Maria College, encouraging and rewarding the successful completion of their Associate degree program prior to transition to Anna Maria College.

#### **Requirements and Terms**

Anna Maria College and Quinsigamond Community College agree that any student in the **Business Administration-Transfer** program who has earned an Associate of Science degree may transfer their credits toward a **Business Administration** Bachelor degree at Anna Maria College. Eligibility requirements are as follows:

- A. Students who have completed the QCC **Business Administration-Transfer** Associate in Science degree with cumulative Grade Point Averages of 2.0 (or higher) will be accepted into the Anna Maria College **Business Administration** Bachelor degree with "core general education completed" status through the sophomore year. Transfer student applicants who do not meet these criteria will be evaluated individually.
- B. Any student meeting the above-stated requirements is eligible to transfer all college-level QCC **Business Administration-Transfer** program coursework (61-62 credits) to Anna Maria College, as defined by the Anna Maria College Registrar's office. Additional QCC courses may be accepted in transfer; See Section E.
- C. Appendix A lists the approved course equivalencies from the Quinsigamond Community College **Business Administration-Transfer** Associate in Science degree to the **Business Administration** Bachelor degree at Anna Maria College.
- D. All courses applied as transfer equivalencies for Anna Maria College courses ENG 103 Freshman Composition, or ENG 104 Writing Through Literature, must have been completed with minimum grades of C or better in order to be meet the general education requirements of Anna Maria College as stipulated in the college catalog. In cases where equivalent courses have been completed to satisfy requirements of an earned associate's degree with grades below a C or better, students will receive transfer credits applied to their student transcripts for the completed coursework, however, students will still be required to meet the course standards set forth by Anna Maria College (successful completion of ENG103 and ENG104 with Minimum grades of C or better).
- E. Under this agreement, Quinsigamond Community College students would complete a minimum of 60 credits at Anna Maria College. If students have eligible transfer courses beyond 60 credits or beyond their earned associate's degree, those credits may be evaluated for acceptance, up to a maximum of 75 transferrable credits.
- F. Students must meet all requirements needed for a Bachelor degree at Anna Maria College including:
  - i. Earning a minimum of 120 credits
  - ii. Maintaining a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.0

- iii. Maintaining the minimum required GPA within their program of study as stated in the Academic Catalog
- iv. Satisfying all General Education and Program requirements as stated in the Academic Catalog
- v. Completing an intent to graduate form and submitting it to the Anna Maria College Registrar's Office one semester prior to the planned date of graduation.
- G. Students covered under this agreement will receive consideration consistent with others seeking financial aid.
- H. Anna Maria College and Quinsigamond Community College agree to communicate any curriculum changes and policies which affect the agreed upon relationship. Both parties reserve the right to amend or revise by mutual consent and in writing this agreement or to change curriculum, whenever feasible.
- I. Anna Maria College will designate an official(s) who will be responsible for all aspects of the articulation program at Anna Maria College. Quinsigamond Community College will designate an individual(s) responsible for all aspects of this agreement at Quinsigamond Community College
- J. Anna Maria College and Quinsigamond Community College will review this agreement every three years and make adjustments or amendments as deemed appropriate to maintain the integrity of each institution as well as for the improvement of the transfer process and student articulation. Pending review and mutual assent, this agreement may be renewed.
- K. The two institutions further agree to communicate to respective publics of the established relationships. This may include informational sessions on the campus of Quinsigamond Community College as well as prominent display of the agreement online via transfer counseling and/or advising services websites.
- L. Either Anna Maria College or Quinsigamond Community College may terminate the agreement by notifying the other party in writing 90 days in advance. Should the agreement be terminated, any Quinsigamond Community College student who has designated and selected this articulation program prior to termination will be allowed to complete the program within a three-year period of time.
- M. This articulation agreement does not preclude Anna Maria College or Quinsigamond Community College from entering into similar agreements with other institutions of higher education.
- N. This agreement is effective on the final date of signature by both institutions.

#### APPENDIX A Quinsigamond Community College Business Administration-Transfer Program To Anna Maria College Business Administration Program 2018-2019 Catalog

ANNA MARIA COLLEGE BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION DEGREE REQUIREMENTS			
Course Number	AMC Course Name	QCC Course #	
AMC 100	First-Year Experience	Waived	
ENG 102	Development Writing (placement only)	Exempt	
ENG 103	Freshman Composition	ENG 101	
ENG 104	Writing Through Literature	ENG 102	
PHL 110	Introduction to Philosophy	Humanities Elective	
THE 210	Introduction to Theology	Humanities Elective	
490	Senior Seminar		
Language I	Global Language I	Waived	
Language II	Global Language II	Waived	
Quantitative Reasoning	BUS250 Applied Statistics	MAT 122*	
<b>Explorations Courses</b>	AMC Explorations Course In:	QCC Course Equivalent	
EC	Natural Sciences (consult advisor)	Lab Science Elective	
EC	Western Cultures and History (consult advisor)	Humanities Elective	
EC	Societies of the World (consult advisor)	Social Science Elective	
EC	Creativity and Imagination (consult advisor)		
EC	United States in the World (consult advisor)	ECO 216*	
EC	Global Dynamics (consult advisor)	ECO 215*	
EC	Writing for Career & Creativity (consult advisor)		
EC	Catholic Worldview (consult advisor)		

Business Major Requirements			
AMC Course	AMC Course Name	QCC Course #	
BUS 110	Leadership I		
BUS 250	Applied Statistics and Quantitative Reasoning (QR)	MAT 122*	
MIS 110	Computer Applications for Business (OR MIS 362)	CIS 111 or 112	
ECO 200	Microeconomics (EC in United States and the World)	ECO 216*	
ECO 201	Macroeconomics (EC in Global Dynamics)	ECO 215*	
BUS 151	Financial Accounting I*	ACC 101	
BUS 152	Financial Accounting II (prerequisite: BUS 151)*	ACC 102	
BUS 260	Principles of Management**	MGT 211**	
BUS 268	Principles of Financial Management (prerequisite: Bus 152)	FIN 250**	
BUS 210	Personal Finance		
BUS 270	Marketing Principles**	MRK 201**	
BUS 380	Business Law (prerequisite: 60 credits earned)		
BUS 403	Business Ethics		
BUS 3/4	Business Elective (300 or 400 level)		
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**Notes:** \*Some major requirements can be applied to Explorations Course requirements. These QCC courses meet General Education and/or major requirements and may be counted under more than one category.

The following QCC Business Administration-Transfer requirements will be applied as General Electives toward graduation requirements as discussed in Section F of this agreement: ACC 222, MAT 123, Science Elective, Elective, 3 Program Electives (if not chosen from options\*\* above).

<sup>\*\*</sup>There are 3 required Program Electives in the QCC Business Administration-Transfer associate degree curriculum. Students may select from among these specific courses to apply towards AMC Business Major Requirements. Other selected Program Electives will count as general elective credit at Anna Maria College.

# Signatures of Appropriate Institutional Leaders and Representatives

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Signature of Mary Lou Retelle	Signature of Luis Pedraja, Ph.D.
President/	President
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Signature of Christine Holmes, Ed.D	Signature of Nancy Schoenfeld, Ph.D.
Vice President for Academic Affairs	Interim Vice President of Academic Affairs
Date: 19-20/8	Date: /2/5//8
Signature of Judith Kenary, Ed.D.  Associate Vice President for Academic Affairs  Date: 12-17-2018	Signature of Betty Lauer Dean, School of Business, Engineering & Technology Date: 12-3-18
Signature of Elzbieta Manos, Ph.D.  Associate Professor/Director of Business  Programs  Date: 10/11/18	Jean McLean Coordinator of the Business Administration- Transfer Program Date:
	Signature of Daniel de la Torre, Ph.D.  Coordinator of Transfer & Articulation  Date: 11/29/18