ARTICULATION AGREEMENT

BETWEEN

PAUL SMITH'S COLLEGE Paul Smiths, NY

Biology, B.S.

AND ·

SUNY ROCKLAND COMMUNITY COLLEGE Suffern, NY

Liberal Arts: Mathematics & Science A.A. or A.S.

I. Introduction

This agreement establishes procedures to ensure admission of qualified transfer students from SUNY Rockland Community College into Paul Smith's College. Students are expected to follow application procedures as outlined in the current catalog of Paul Smith's College.

II. Objectives of the Agreement

- 1. To attract qualified students to Paul Smith's College and to SUNY Rockland Community College.
- 2. To promote efficient transfer of qualified graduates from SUNY Rockland Community College to Paul Smith's College.
- 3. To provide specific information to students who wish to pursue a baccalaureate degree in Biology.
- 4. To facilitate communication and academic coordination between faculty, students, and administrators at each institution.

III. Terms of the Agreement

- 1. Students from SUNY Rockland Community College completing one of the degrees listed above who
 - a. meet a minimum cumulative grade point average of 2.0 on a 4.0 scale for all completed college level courses at SUNY Rockland Community College
 - b. fulfill requirements as indicated on the attached plan sheet
 - c. receive a 2.0 (C) or above grade in all required courses transferred into the program will be accepted into the B.S. program in Biology.

- 2. Students who do not meet the requirements of this agreement will also be considered for admission. They will be evaluated on an individual basis.
- 3. Both Paul Smith's College and SUNY Rockland Community College agree to encourage qualified students to participate by providing information and assistance to prospective transfer students.
- 4. Paul Smith's College agrees to list SUNY Rockland Community College on its website and in its course catalog in reference to this articulation agreement. SUNY Rockland Community College agrees to list Paul Smith's College on its website and in its course catalog in reference to this articulation agreement.

IV. Period of Agreement

This agreement will become effective immediately and shall be reviewed every two years, or when substantive changes are made in the curriculum on either campus. Both Paul Smith's College and SUNY Rockland Community College reserve the right to withdraw from the agreement by submitting written notice of intent at least four (4) months prior to the start of the academic year.

V. Signatures to this Agreement	
For SUNY Rockland Community College	For Paul Smith's College
Bill Baker, B.A., M.A. Interim Vice President, Academic Affairs	Dr. John W. Mills, Ph.D. President Helena J. Sturnick, Ph.D. Interim Provost
Date 3/19/05	Dr. Phillip A. Paylor, Ph. Ph.D., M.B.A. Dean of Sciences, Liberal Arts, and Business Date 3 /4/200

FROM THE MATH & SCIENCE, A.A. PROGRAM (Science Sequence)

Paul Smith's College Requirements SUNY Rockland Community College				
		Equivalents Equivalents		
English Composition 131	3 credits	ENG 101 English Composition I	3 credits	
English Composition 132	3 credits	ENG 102 English Composition II	3 credits	
Calculus 241	4 credits	Math course 1: MAT 203 Calculus I	4 credits	
Statistics 245	4 credits	Math course 2: MAT 125 Statistics I	4 credits	
Social Science/Humanities	Electives 6 credits	Social Science/Humanities Electives	6 credits	
Biology 141	4 credits	Science course 1: BIO 105 General Biology I	4 credits	
Biology 142	4 credits	Science course 2: BIO 106 General Biology II	4 credits	
Microbiology 231	4 credits	Arts and Science elective <i>or</i> unrestricted elective BIO 207 Microbiology	ve 1: 4 credits	
Chemistry 141	4 credits	Science course 3: CHE 101 Inorganic Chemistr	ry I 4 credits	
Chemistry 142	4 credits	Science course 4: CHE 102 Inorganic Chemistr	ry II 4 credits	
Organic Chemistry 241	4 credits	Arts and Science elective or unrestricted elective CHE 201 Organic Chemistry I	ve 2: 4 credits	
Organic Chemistry 242	4 credits	Arts and Science elective or unrestricted elective CHE 202 Organic Chemistry II	ve 3: 4 credits	
Physics 241(Calculus-based)	4 credits	Arts and Science elective <i>or</i> unrestricted elective PHY 105 Engineering Physics I	ve 4: 4 credits	
Physics 242(Calculus-based)	4 credits	Arts and Science elective or unrestricted elective PHY 106 Engineering Physics II	ve 5: 4 credits	
General Electives		Courses Transferred as General Electives PDA 101 Pluralism and Diversity in America		
•		English Social Science/Humanities electives	6 credits 6 credits	
➤ Ecology 231	3 credits	SCI 209 Marine Ecology*	3 credits	

Note to RCC: This requirement may be taken at PSC or at RCC.

71 credits or more**

120 credits are required for the Biology, B.S. degree. The RCC student will enter PSC at full junior status, and can expect to take 49 credits (or less) at Paul Smith's College, 40 of which must be at the 300-400 level. to complete the Biology, B.S. degree.

^{*} This course is not required for the Math & Science, A.A. degree. If the student chooses to complete this PSC requirement at RCC, then PSC will accept SCI 209 as an equivalent.

^{**}PSC accepts up to 90 credits from an outside institution towards the B.S. degree.

FROM THE LIBERAL ARTS: MATH & SCIENCE, A.S. PROGRAM

Paul Smith's College Requirements		SUNY Rockland Community College		
English Composition 131	3 credits	<u>Equivalents</u> ENG 101 English Composition I	3 credits	
English Composition 132	3 credits	ENG 102 English Composition II	3 credits	
Calculus 241	4 credits	Math course 1: MAT 203 Calculus I	4 credits	
Statistics 245	4 credits	Math course 2: MAT 125 Statistics I	4 credits	
Social Science/Humanities	Electives 6 credits	Social Science/Humanities Electives	6 credits	
Biology 141	4 credits	Science course 1: BIO 105 General Biology I	4 credits	
Biology 142	4 credits	Science course 2: BIO 106 General Biology II	4 credits	
Microbiology 231	4 credits	Arts and Science elective 1: BIO 207 Microbiology	4 credits	
Chemistry 141	4 credits	Arts and Science elective 2: CHE 101 Inorganic Chemistry I	4 credits	
Chemistry 142	4 credits	Arts and Science elective 3: CHE 102 Inorganic Chemistry II	4 credits	
Organic Chemistry 241	4 credits	Unrestricted elective 1: CHE 201 Organic Chemistry I	4 credits	
Organic Chemistry 242	4 credits	Unrestricted elective 2: CHE 202 Organic Chemistry II	4 credits	
Physics 241(Calculus-based)	4 credits	Unrestricted elective 3: PHY 105 Engineering Physics I	4 credits	
Physics 242(Calculus-based)	4 credits	Unrestricted elective 4: PHY 106 Engineering Physics II	4 credits	
General Electives		Courses Transferred as General Electives -PDA 101 Pluralism and Diversity in America Social Science/Humanities electives	3 credits 9 credits	
Ecology 231	3 credits	SCI 209 Marine Ecology*	3 credits	

Total Credits Transferred:

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68 credits or more**

120 credits are required for the Biology, B.S. degree. The RCC student will enter PSC at full junior status, and can expect to take 52 credits (or less), at Paul Smith's College, 40 of which must be at the 300-400 level, to complete the Biology, B.S. degree.

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