

NORTHWESTERN STATE UNIVERSITY OF LOUISIANA

AND

THE ADVANCE PROGRAM FOR YOUNG SCHOLARS

ARTICULATION AGREEMENT

This document, when signed by all parties, serves as a formal agreement between Northwestern State University (hereinafter NSU) and the ADVANCE Program for Young Scholars (hereinafter ADVANCE) at NSU. All conditions of the agreement must be met before students may apply for credit with NSU.

GENERAL CONDITIONS

1. The terms of this agreement are effective with the student's participation in the 2020 ADVANCE Program for Young Scholars offered at NSU.
2. Amendments to this agreement require approval by both parties.
3. This agreement may be cancelled with thirty (30) days written notice by either party.
4. Instructors employed by ADVANCE to instruct courses in the articulation agreement must meet stated professional credential requirements set forth by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Commission on Colleges which governs the acceptability of course work taught and accepted for transfer credit by colleges and universities.
5. ADVANCE will use approved syllabi, finals, and textbooks for courses offered for articulation (see Appendix I.)
6. Students must be admitted and enrolled at NSU when they are of college age in order to apply for articulated credit as outlined in this agreement.
7. Students will be granted credit contingent upon earning a grade of B or better in a course listed in Appendix I and enrollment at NSU. Students will be granted credit only – no grade will be issued.
8. Upon enrollment at NSU, students must have their transcript and application for articulation of credits evaluated by the appropriate Dean, based on their major. This should take place before the student registers to eliminate any problems with course credit. Applications will be validated, and credit posted at that time.

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COURSE EQUIVALENCIES 2019 – 2020

COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES		
<i>ADVANCE COURSE</i>	<i>CRITERIA</i>	<i>NSU COURSE</i>
SCHOOL OF BIOLOGICAL AND PHYSICAL SCIENCES		
Biology	*Grade of B or better in the ADVANCE course; submission of portfolio	BIO 1010
Chemistry	*Grade of B or better in the ADVANCE course; submission of portfolio	CHEM 1070
DEPARTMENT OF CRIMINAL JUSTICE, HISTORY, AND SOCIAL SCIENCE		
The Constitutional Convention	*Grade of B or better in the ADVANCE course; submission of portfolio	HIS 4330
Criminalistics and Forensic Science	*Grade of B or better in the ADVANCE course; submission of portfolio	CJ 2600
DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH, FOREIGN LANGUAGES AND CULTURAL STUDIES		
Creative Writing	*Grade of B or better in the ADVANCE course; submission of portfolio	ENGL 2120
Film Studies	*Grade of B or better in the ADVANCE course; submission of portfolio	ENGL 3500
DEPARTMENT OF MATHEMATICS		
Algebra 2	*Grade of B or better in the ADVANCE course; submission of portfolio	MATH 1020

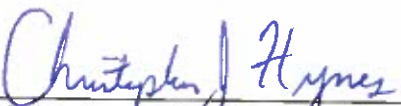
LOUISIANA SCHOLARS' COLLEGE		
<i>ADVANCE COURSE</i>	<i>CRITERIA</i>	<i>NSU COURSE</i>
Mythologies	*Grade of B or better in the ADVANCE course; submission of portfolio	SENG 3000

*All portfolios will contain:


1. Copy of course syllabus
2. Final course evaluation

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By signature below, Northwestern State University of Louisiana and the ADVANCE Program for Young Scholars affirm that course equivalencies in Appendix I may be articulated as transfer credit beginning in the 2020 summer session of ADVANCE, provided that all conditions of this agreement are met. The signatures below signify their agreement with Appendix I as it applies to their content area only.

 3/11/20


Christopher J. Hynes, Ph.D. Date
Director, ADVANCE Program for Young Scholars

 3/11/2020

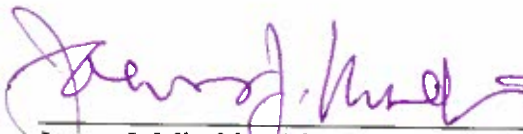
Kirsten Bartels, Ph.D. Date
Director, Louisiana Scholars' College

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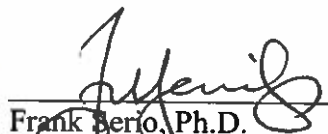
Christopher N. Lyles, Ph.D. Date
Interim Director, NSU School of Biological
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 11 Mar 2020


Mark O. Melder, Ph.D. Date
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James J. Mischler, Ph.D. Date
Head, NSU Department of English, Foreign
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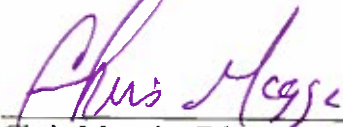
Frank Berio, Ph.D. Date
Head, NSU Department of Mathematics

 3-21-2020

Francene J. Lemoine, Ph.D. Date
Interim Dean of the College of Arts and Sciences

 3.12.2020

Greg Handel, D.M.A. Date
Provost and Vice-President for Academic Affairs

 3-14-20

Chris Maggio, Ed.D. Date
President, Northwestern State University