

ARTICULATION AGREEMENT
BETWEEN
OGLALA LAKOTA COLLEGE
AND
SOUTH DAKOTA STATE UNIVERSITY

This articulation agreement between Oglala Lakota College, hereinafter referred to as OLC, and the South Dakota State University, hereinafter referred to as SDSU, is made for the purpose of establishing an authorized curriculum for students at OLC who wish to transfer to selected engineering degree programs at SDSU.

All references to credit hours in this document shall refer to equivalent SDSU semester credits.

Structure of SDSU degree programs: Students pursuing degrees at SDSU are required to complete specific course requirements in order to develop the competencies and critical thinking skills necessary to continue in their chosen major as a junior. The competencies are recommended by the SDSU faculty and include a 38 credit set of general education courses as well as successful completion of the South Dakota Board of Regents proficiency exam, currently the CAAP. Students must develop the required competencies prior to enrolling in junior or senior year courses in their major discipline.

OLC students transferring to SDSU: This agreement establishes approved curricula for OLC students transferring to SDSU to pursue an engineering degree in the various technical areas of Civil Engineering. The attached matrix models a program of study designed to be completed in four to five years of full time study, with students enrolling at OLC to complete the program of study through the Science, Engineering and Math (SEM) curriculum and enrolling at SDSU to complete the BSCE curriculum. The curricula as contained in this agreement will satisfy the development of the required Civil Engineering program competencies as indicated in the course matrix. OLC students matriculating to SDSU could also apply the courses approved in the attached matrix for any other program of study at SDSU that requires these courses.

OLC students will have to successfully complete the South Dakota Board of Regents proficiency exam which is required of all rising juniors (after completion of 48 semester hours) in the SD Regental universities. The exam will be completed in a student's first semester on the SDSU campus if they haven't made arrangements to complete the exam before matriculating to SDSU.

Students at OLC who complete the General Studies Requirements for the Associate of Arts in SEM required by OLC will have those credits accepted as meeting the intent of the System General Education Requirements and Institutional Graduation Requirements as shown on the attached course matrix. In all general education requirements and discussions of course work completed outside of the matrix, cases will be handled in good faith by both parties.

OLC students contemplating eventual transfer to SDSU should apply for admission to SDSU by contacting: South Dakota State University, Admissions Office Box 2201, Brookings, SD 57007, Phone (605) 688-4121 or 1-800-952-3541, Fax: (605) 688-6891, or email: SDSU.Admissions@sdstate.edu. Students applying for admission in a future semester will be assigned a SDSU mentor. OLC students who successfully complete the designated OLC courses and are in contact with their SDSU mentor can expect that the courses will substitute for SDSU degree requirements as indicated in this agreement, providing the students continue to make progress toward a SDSU degree. Designated OLC courses receiving a grade of C or better will transfer to SDSU as the comparable courses (SDSU does not use + or – grades so a C- is acceptable). Students who significantly interrupt their education plan with semesters when they are not taking courses toward a SDSU degree should consult with their academic advisor and SDSU mentor to see if SDSU program requirements have changed during their absence. OLC and SDSU will cooperate to keep the course matrix up to date if program of study changes occur.

Acceptance of OLC credits for transfer to SDSU: When questions arise as to the transferability of a particular course or courses outside of the approved course matrix the matter will be referred to the provost/academic vice president (or designee) of each institution. OLC will make every reasonable effort to provide SDSU with supporting documentation to substantiate the academic level, discipline area, and type of course or courses in question. The issue will be negotiated in good faith by both parties. The SDSU Provost/Vice-President for Academic Affairs (or designee) will make the final decision on transferability of courses.


The following course sequence lists the approved curricula for students pursuing degrees from OLC via this agreement. The courses listed for semesters 1-4 are SDSU courses with the equivalent OLC course name and number given on the same line to the right of the OLC course.

SDSU Course Name	No.	Credit	OLC Course	No.	Credit
Semester 1					
General Chemistry I	Chem112	3	General Chemistry I	Chem 233	3
General Chemistry Lab	Chem 112L	1	General Chemistry Lab I	Chem 231	1
Composition 1	Engl 101	3	Freshman English I	Engl 103	3
Introduction to Engr	GE 101	1	Introduction to Engr I	Engr 101	1
			Introduction to Engr II	Engr 111	1
Calculus 1	Math 123	4	Calculus I	Math 194	4
Humanities and Arts	SGR 4	3	Humanities Elective		3
Engineering Design Graphics I	GE 121	1	Engineering Graphics and Computer Aided Drawing	Engr 133	3
Semester 2					
General Chemistry II or Organic Chemistry	Chem 114 or Chem 120	3	General Chemistry II or Organic Chemistry I	Chem 243 or Chem 253	3
Engineering Design Graphics II	GE 122	1	See Engr 133 above		
Fundamentals of Speech	SPCM 101	3	Speech Communications	SpCm 103	3
Calculus II	Math 125	4	Calculus II	Math 214	4


Computer Aided Drawing	GE 123	1	See Engr 133 above		
Social Sciences	SGR 3	3	Social Science Elective		3
Semester 3					
University Physics I and Lab	Phys 211/211L	4	Physics I	Phys 214	4
Prin of Envir Sci and Engr	CEE225	3	Principals of Envir Sci	Engr 223	3
Statics	EM 214	3	Statics	Engr 243	3
Calculus III	Math 225	4	Calculus III	Math 224	4
Elementary Surveying and Lab	CEE106/106L	4	Elementary Surveying and Lab	Engr 213/Engr 211	4
Semester 4					
University Physics II and Lab	Phys 213/213L	4	Physics II and Lab	Phys 223/Phys 221	4
Materials and Lab	CEE216/216L	3	Construction Materials and Lab	Engr 202/Engr 201	3
<i>Dynamics</i>	<i>EM 215</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>Not required for OLC SEM, Take at SDSU</i>		
<i>Differential Equations</i>	<i>Math 321</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>Not required for OLC SEM, Take at SDSU</i>		
<i>Social Sciences</i>	<i>SGR 3</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>Not required for OLC SEM, Take at SDSU</i>		
Additional Courses					
Composition II	Engl 201	3	Freshman English II	Engl 113	3
Humanity	SGR 4	3	Lakota Language I	Lak 103	3
Social Resp/ Cultural and Aesthetic Aware	IGR 3	3	Lakota Culture	LSoc 103	3
Mechanics of Materials	EM 321	3	Mechanics of Materials	Engr 253	3
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Length and Termination of Agreement:


This agreement covers the period of time from January 1, 2012 to December 31, 2017 and shall be submitted for renewal no later than September 1, 2017, with the approval of all parties. Either party may terminate this agreement by providing written notice to the other party no less than 90 days prior to the end of the agreement. Updates related to changes in courses and/or requirements will be noted on an annual basis with an addendum to this agreement.


Thomas Shortbull, President
Oglala Lakota College

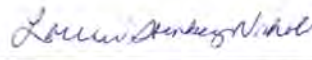
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Lewis Brown, PhD
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