PROGRAM TO PROGRAM ARTICULATION AGREEMENT
Agreement with Respect to Applying the
**Associate of Applied Sciences Degree Program in
Library Technician**

Towards the
**General Studies Major
Bachelor of General Studies Degree Program**

Between
Western Dakota Technical College
and
South Dakota State University

I.   **Parties**
The parties to this agreement are Western Dakota Technical College (WDT) and South Dakota State University (SDSU).

II.   **Purpose**
The purpose of this agreement is to:
A. have a signed articulation agreement that addresses the varying needs of students and complementary nature of the institution's programs;
B. provide increased educational opportunities for students from South Dakota and the region;
C. extend and clarify educational opportunities for students; and
D. provide WDT students who have completed the A.A.S. degree in Library Technician an opportunity to earn a Bachelor of Science degree with a major in General Studies.

III. **Academic Program**
A. Upon successful completion of the major requirements, as indicated below, SDSU will accept 48 technical course credits from the A.A.S. degree in Library Technician. Additional transferable system general education credits may be earned at WDT and may be transferred to SDSU. Students must meet all Board of Regents policies and university graduation requirements in order to receive a degree.

B. Requirements to be completed at SDSU to earn a Bachelor of Science degree with a major in General Studies are outlined below.

The general education coursework to meet South Dakota Regental System's General Education Requirements (SGR) must also be completed as outlined below. This coursework may be taken at WDT if equivalent courses are available. Please note that BOR Policy 2.5 states, "Total transfer credit for work at two-year technical or community college may not exceed one-half of the hours required for

completion of the baccalaureate degree at the accepting institution unless an approved program-specific waiver exists." For this program, that number is 60 credits.

System General Education Requirements SGRs (21 credits from classes on the approved lists in the SDSU Bulletin.
1. SGR Goal #1: Written Communication ENGL 201 Composition II (3 credits)
2. SGR Goal #2: Oral Communication (3 credits)
3. SGR Goal #4: Humanities and Arts/Diversity (6 credits in 2 disciplines or a sequence of foreign language courses)
4. SGR Goal #5: Mathematics (3 credits)
5. SGR Goal #6: Natural Sciences (6 credits)

Major Requirements (48 credits)
1. GS 490, Capstone (3 credits)
2. Major electives (45 credits)
   a. 20 academic credits must be upper division
   b. 15 credits from the technical block may be used to satisfy one of the three focus areas within the major electives

Program or General Electives (0-3 credits): if/as needed to reach 120 credit hours total required for graduation.

Total minimum number of credits at SDSU: 72
Total number of technical credits from WDT: 48
Total minimum credits required: 120

Additional Requirements:
1. Students transferring from Western Dakota Technical College must have a cumulative GPA of "C" (2.0 on a 4.0 scale).
2. At least 33 credits for the degree must be upper-division (300 or higher) courses.

IV.   Obligations
Both parties agree to confer with each other on a yearly basis regarding changes in curricula involved in this articulation agreement.
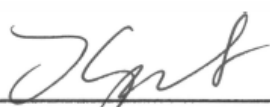
V.   Modifications
This agreement may be modified from time to time by the South Dakota Board of Regents and Western Dakota Technical College with approval from the South Dakota Board of Education. Modifications may not diminish the entitlements enjoyed by students who have already attended classes delivered under the terms of earlier versions of the agreement, except in rare instances in which retroactive implementation of modifications may be required to comply with accreditation standards or to conform to professional licensure requirements.
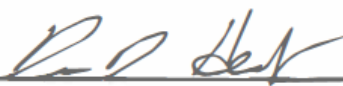
VI. **Effective Date of Agreement**
Start Date of Fall 2019 Terms at WDT and SDSU. The agreement applies to students who graduated from WDT within the 10 years immediately prior to application and admission into SDSU.

VII.   Acceptance of Agreement

For South Dakota University

_____Date: 10-7-19
Dean, College of Arts, Humanities and Social Sciences

_____Date: 10-7-2019
Provost and Vice President for Academic Affairs

For Western Dakota Technical College

_____Date: 9-24-19
President, Western Dakota Technical College

APPENDIX A

PLAN OF STUDY FOR
Associate of Applied Science in Library Technician to enroll in SDSU's Bachelor of General Studies

63 CREDITS AAS DEGREE IN LIBRARY TECHNICIAN
- o 15 credits in general education
- o 48 credits in technical education

GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS 15 HOURS
Required
- CIS 105, Microcomputer Software Applications I (3 credits)
- ECON   202, Principles Of Macroeconomics or SOC 100, Introduction To Sociology   (3 credits)
- ENGL 101, Composition   (3 credits)
- MATH 100, Elementary Algebra or higher or 3 MATH 112, Business Math (3 credits)
- PSYC 101, General Psychology or 3 PSYC 103, Human Relations In The Workplace   (3 credits)

Suggested
- MATH 102, College Algebra (3 credits)
- PSYC 101, General Psychology (3 credits)
- ECON 202 or SOC 100 (3 credits)

LIBRARY TECHNICIAN MAJOR 48 HOURS
- BUS 120, Principles Of Marketing (3 credits)
- BUS 158, Web Design For Business (3 credits)
- BUS 210, Supervisory Management (3 credits)
- BUS 218, Design Essentials (3 credits)
- LIBR 100, Introduction To Library Services (3 credits)
- LIBR 102, Introduction To Library Circulation And Customer Service (3 credits)
- LIBR 104, Public Services For Library Technicians (3 credits)
- LIBR 122, Children's And Young Adult Literature (3 credits)
- LIBR 125, Library Outreach For Diverse Populations (3 credits)
- LIBR 200, Intro to Technical Services: Acquisitions, Serials, and Processing (3 credits)
- LIBR 202, Content Creation And Mobile Library Services (3 credits)
- LIBR 204, Selection And Access Resources (3 credits)
- LIBR 220, Introduction To Cataloging And Classification (3 credits)
- LIBR 222, Reference Resource (3 credits)
- LIBR 224, Technology Information Resources And Online Social Networking (3 credits)
- LIBR 299, Internship or BUS 241, Advanced Computer Applications For Business (3 credits)