

Articulation Agreement Between Community College of Allegheny County And La Roche University

This agreement made between Community College of Allegheny County (hereinafter "CCAC"), located at 800 Allegheny Avenue, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania and La Roche University is effective as of the date of final signature.

Under the provisions of this agreement, La Roche University will grant CCAC graduates who have completed an Associate's degree since May 2013, transfer credit hours toward the equivalent Bachelor's degree program (provided students received a minimum grade of C in transferable course work with a cumulative GPA of 2.0 on a 4.0 scale). The specific CCAC courses eligible for such transfer credit are outline on the transfer equivalency guide located on the La Roche University website. These credits will apply toward graduation requirements in the corresponding Bachelor's degree program.

- Students will be awarded a waiver of La Roche University's full Academic Core and be required to complete (or transfer in) 9 credit abbreviated Academic Core to include: ENGL1011, ENGL1012, and Math 1010 or other acceptable math course.
- 2. Transfer candidates who present at least 60 hours of transferable academic work will be granted junior class status in a Bachelor of Science.
- 3. La Roche University acknowledges that some credits earned towards the Associate Degree at CCAC may have been completed as a result of transfer or prior learning assessment, to include standardized examinations, military coursework, or portfolio credit. This agreement maintains that the Associate Degree will be honored in its entirety. These individual credits are eligible for transfer with an official transcript from the original credit granting institution, and will be evaluated by La Roche University on a per-course basis.
- 4. La Roche University will offer CCAC graduates merit scholarships ranging from \$9,500 -\$12,000 per year. Resident students living on campus will receive an additional \$5,000 scholarship. Members of Phi Theta Kappa will be awarded an additional \$1,500 scholarship. Students will continue to receive this these scholarships during the course of their time at La Roche University provided they maintain their resident status either on or off campus and a minimum 2.5 GPA is met.
- 5. Transfer Candidates must complete their last 30 semester credits through La Roche University in order to receive the Bachelor's degree, regardless of their class status upon matriculation to La Roche University.
- 6. La Roche University and CCAC will monitor the academic performance of students enrolling under this agreement, identify concerns, and work cooperatively to ensure ease of transfer for students participating in this program. Both institutions will notify each other in a timely fashion concerning any curriculum or program changes.

- 7. La Roche University and CCAC agree to publicize this agreement among students, faculty, counseling staff and administration.
- 8. This agreement remains in effect until either party terminates it with courteous notice to the other.

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