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Senior Vice President
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Dr. R. Ray D. Somera
Vice President for Academic Affairs
Guam Community College

Re: Articulation of GCC's Criminal Justice Degree Program to UOG

Dear Vice President Somera:

Hafa Adai! In response to your October 12, 2012 letter requesting for program-to-program articulation for GCC's Associate of Science Criminal Justice (ASCJ) program with the University of Guam's Bachelor of Science Criminal Justice (BSCJ) program, I am pleased to advise you that upon review and consultation with UOG's CJ program faculty and the dean of the School of Business and Public Administration, I have **accepted and approved** this articulation which shall be effective immediately. This will be included in the University's AY2013-2014 catalog.

A write-up for this program-to-program articulation between our institutions is attached and includes a program matrix that demonstrates the matriculation of the General Education, Technical, and Area of Concentration, Major, and Elective curricula between our two programs.

All involved in moving this articulation forward and furthering student success are to be congratulated.

If you have any questions, please let me know.

Sincerely,


Helen J.D. Whippy, Ph.D.

Attachment

Cc: Dean for School of Business and Public Administration, Dean for Enrollment Management and Student Services, Registrar, Director for Financial Aid Office, Director for Academic Assessment and Institutional Research

UOG-GCC Program-to-Program Articulation: Criminal Justice Degree Program

March 2013

This approved Program-to-Program Articulation, between the University of Guam and the Guam Community College, paves the way for GCC students who complete their Associate of Science Degree in Criminal Justice to transfer to the University of Guam **having fulfilled their UOG General Education requirements and a number of major courses at GCC and continuing on with Junior class standing to complete major course and baccalaureate requirements** for the University's Bachelor of Science degree in Criminal Justice.

GCC's Associate of Science Degree Program in Criminal Justice

Mission. According to the AY2012-2013 GCC Catalog, the mission of the Criminal Justice program is to prepare, educate, and train students for the Criminal Justice profession. Criminal Justice graduates will be lifelong learners who possess current technical knowledge of the criminal justice system, communication skills to communicate effectively within the criminal justice system, and an understanding of the interrelations of the criminal justice professional and society.

Program Description. This program is designed to address training requirements for students seeking employment as police officers, marshals, conservation officers, Guam Customs officers, investigators, corrections officers, forensic computer examiners, forensic lab technicians, and other public safety employees. Students may choose an emphasis in one of four areas of concentration:

- Administration of Criminal Justice
- Law Enforcement Administration
- Forensic Lab Technician
- Forensic Computer Examiner

Some courses in this program must be sequenced because of prerequisite requirements. Other courses, including Mathematics and English, require placement testing before enrollment is granted. (See a Criminal Justice advisor before enrolling in this program or choosing electives.)

Program Student Learning Outcomes (SLOs):

Upon successful completion of the AS in Criminal Justice program, students will be able to:

1. Identify the legal procedures for gathering information about crimes, criminal procedure, and defendants' rights.
2. Describe the process of the criminal justice system including the duties and responsibilities of the criminal justice professional as it pertains to one of the chosen concentration areas:

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Administration of CJ, Law Enforcement Administration, Forensic Lab Technician, or Forensic Computer Examiner.

3. Demonstrate the ability to understand the interrelations, ethics, and role expectations of the criminal justice professional in society

Summary of Credit Requirements for the ASCJ Degree:

GE Requirements: 22
Technical/Core: 15
Related Tech/Gen Ed Electives: 24-31
Required for Graduation: 61-68 (dependent upon concentration area)

UOG's Bachelor of Science Degree Program in Criminal Justice

The Criminal Justice Program is designed as an interdisciplinary study drawing from legal studies, mathematics, psychology, business and public administration. Graduates qualify to hold management and administrative positions within the criminal justice system, i.e., corrections, customs, judiciary, police, etc. The program requires sixteen (16) courses with each course completed in the sequence specified by advisors. In order to meet individual needs and interests, students may draw from several courses to complete their required electives.

Criminal Justice Program Learning Goals:

- Goal 1: Demonstrate a general understanding of the various roles of criminal justice professions in the public and private sectors;
- Goal 2: Demonstrate leadership and teamwork skills;
- Goal 3: Demonstrate critical thinking and analytical skills in solving real world problems in criminal justice;
- Goal 4: Demonstrate a sufficient real world understanding of law and public policy process;
- Goal 5: Demonstrate proficiency in information technology, and communication skills, etc.;
- Goal 6: Demonstrate an understanding of local, regional and global environments and their relevance to criminal justice;
- Goal 7: Demonstrate an understanding of ethical, professional, and socially responsible behavior.

Summary of Credit Requirements for the BSCJ Degree:

GE Requirements: 55
CJ Major Requirements: 48
CJ Electives: 18
Gen Electives: 3
Required for Graduation: 124

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Criminal Justice Program-to-Program Articulation

GCC Curriculum for Associate of Science Degree Program in Criminal Justice	GCC Courses	Transfer Equivalent to fulfill Bachelor of Science Degree Program in Criminal Justice	Outstanding B.S. in Criminal Justice Degree Requirement to complete at UOG
General Education (GE) Component		General Education (GE) Component	
GenEd Requirement: English Composition	EN 110-Freshman Composition (3)*	GE Category 1: ESSENTIAL SKILLS <u>English Writing Skills</u> (3 of 6 credits) EN110 Freshman Composition (3)	None
GenEd Requirement: Mathematics	3 credits from the following list: MA 110A - Finite Mathematics (3)* OR MA161A - College Algebra & Trig I (4) * OR MA161B - College Algebra & Trig II (4)*	GE Category 1: ESSENTIAL SKILLS <u>Mathematics</u> (3 credits) MA110 Finite Mathematics Or MA161a College Algebra Or MA161b College Trigonometry	None
GenEd Requirement: Computer Literacy	3 credits from the following list: CS 151 - Windows Applications (3)* ** OR CS 152 - Macintosh Applications (3)	GE Category 1: ESSENTIAL SKILLS <u>Statistics and Computer Skills</u> (3 credits) BA130 Intro to Computer Ops	None
GenEd Requirement:	PY120 – General Psychology (3)* SO130 – Intro to Sociology (3)* PS140 – American Government	GE Category 4: THE INDIVIDUAL AND SOCIETY (6 Credits) PY101 – General Psychology (3) SO101 – Intro to Sociology (3) Elective credit	None
GenEd Requirement: Natural and Physical Sciences	4 credits from the following list: SI 103 - Intro to Marine Biology (4)* SI 110 - Environmental Biology (4) * SI 130 - Anatomy & Physiology (4)	GE Category 8: THE SCIENCES (4 of 8 credits)	Category 8: THE SCIENCES (4 of 8 credits) (NOTE: student may take both SI103 and SI110 at GCC to fulfill UOG's GE Sciences requirement)

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Choose three courses (9 credits) from the following to fulfill ACJS Standard B9 requirements which also can be used to fulfill some UOG GE requirements:			
ACJS Standard B9 Requirement: Communication and Critical Thinking	EN 111- Writing for Research (3)*	GE Category 1: <u>ESSENTIAL SKILLS English Writing Skills</u> (3 of 6 credits) EN111 Writing for Research (3)	None
ACJS Standard B9 Requirement: Critical Thinking	EN 210 - Intro to Literature (3) *	GE Category 2: <u>THE ARTS AND CREATIVE EXPRESSION</u> (6 credits)	3 credits
ACJS Standard B9 Requirement: Critical Thinking and Understanding Diversity	HI 121 - History of World Civil. I (3)* OR HI 122 - History of World Civil. II (3) *	EN210 Intro to Literature (3) GE Category 3: <u>GLOBAL STUDIES</u> (3 credits) HI121 World History I (3) Or HI122 World History II (3)	None
ACJS Standard B9 Requirement: Understanding Diversity	HU 120 - Pacific Cultures (3)*	GE Category 7: <u>REGIONAL STUDIES</u> (3 credits)	None
ACJS Standard B9 Requirement: Critical Thinking and Ethical Decision Making	PI 101- Intro to Philosophy (3)	GE Category 9: <u>SEARCH FOR MEANING</u> Any Philosophy Course (PI) (3)	None
Technical Requirements:	Technical Requirements	Criminal Justice Major Requirements	
Technical Requirements:		BA-130 Intro to Computer Ops (3) GE	None, this is satisfied under GCC
	CJ 100 - Introduction to Criminal Justice (3)*	LW-101 Intro to Criminal Justice (3)	None
	CJ150 Constitutional Law for Police (3)*	LW-202 Trial and Evidence (3)	None
	CJ 200 - Criminal Law (3)*	LW-306 Criminal Law (NOTE: CJ200 cannot be used towards fulfilling 40-credit upper division requirement)	None
		LW402 Constitutional Law (3)	LW402 Constitutional Law (3)

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		LW-404 Administration and Management of CJ Organization (3)	LW-404 Administration and Management of CJ Organization (3)
		LW409 Problems in CJ (3)	LW-409 Problems in CJ (3)
		MA385 Applied Statistics (3)	MA-385 Applied Statistics (3)
		PA305 Data Analysis in Public Administration (3)	PA-305 Data Analysis in Public Administration (3)
		PA-201 Public Admin, in Guam and in the Western Pacific (3)	PA-201 Public Admin, in Guam and in the Western Pacific (3)
		PA-210 Public Admin. And Management: Concepts and Applications (3)	PA-210 Public Admin. And Management: Concepts and Applications (3)
		PA-233 Impact of Government Regulatory Administration Business (3)	PA-233 Impact of Government Regulatory Administration Business (3)
		PA-305 Data Analysis in Public Administration (3)	PA-305 Data Analysis in Public Administration (3)
		PA-304 Government Public Information (3)	PA-304 Government Public Information (3)
		PA-303 Government Finance (3)	PA-303 Government Finance (3)
		PA-403 Public Personnel Administration (3)	PA-403 Public Personnel Administration (3)
		PA-405 Leadership Ethics in the Professions (3)	PA-405 Leadership Ethics in the Professions (3)
		CJ Electives	
		CJ Elective (3)	None
		CJ Elective (3)	None
		Area of Concentration	
		CJ 206 - Social Values & The Criminal Justice Process (3) + CJ 290 - Criminal Justice Internship (3) (In specified area of concentration)	
		CJ101- Juvenile Justice Process (3)*	
OPTION I. Area of Concentration: Administration of Criminal Justice		SO386 Juvenile Delinquency and Criminology (3) (NOTE: CJ101 cannot be used towards fulfilling the 40-credit	None

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GCC Curriculum for Associate of Science Degree Program in Criminal Justice	GCC Courses	Transfer Equivalent to fulfill Bachelor of Science Degree Program in Criminal Justice upper division requirement)	Outstanding B.S. in Criminal Justice Degree Requirement to complete at UOG
	CJ107 - Intro to Corrections (3)* CJ204 - Intro to Criminology (3)* CJ209 - Concept Police Ops (3) Any related, or Technical Course or Gen Ed Course (9) Any Gen Ed Course (3) Total: 24 credits	LW-311 Correctional Security Mgmt. And Admin (NOTE: CJ107 cannot be used towards fulfilling the 40-credit upper division requirement) SO385 Criminology(3) CJ Elective (3) See ACJS Standard B9 requirements section above ** Will satisfy BA130 under CJ Major Requirement	None None None **None
OR OPTION II: Area of Concentration: Law Enforcement Administration	CJ205 Police Report Writing (3) CJ209 Concept of Police Ops (3) CJ225 Criminal Investigation (3) CJ250 Police Organizational Theory (3) Any related, or Technical Course or Gen Ed Course (9) Any Gen Ed Course (3) Total: 24 credits	CJ Elective (3) CJ Elective (3) CJ Elective (3) CJ Elective (3) See ACJS Standard B9 requirements section above ** Will satisfy BA130 under CJ Major Requirement	None None None None **None

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<p>OPTIONAL: The following courses are currently articulated with UOG but are not required for the ASCJ program (i.e., GE, Technical, Area of Concentration) but may be taken at GCC towards fulfilling UOG's BSCJ degree</p>			
	EN125 – Introduction to Speech (3)	<u>GE Category 1: ESSENTIAL SKILLS</u> <u>Communication Skills</u> CO210 Fundamentals of Communication (3)	None
	TH 101 - Intro to the Theater (3)*	<u>GE Category 2: THE ARTS AND CREATIVE EXPRESSION</u> (3 of 6)	None, if student also takes EN210 at GCC to fulfill ACJS Standard B9 Requirement for Critical Thinking
	8 Credits in the same language: JA110-Beginning Japanese I (4)* AND JA111-Beginning Japanese II (4)* OR ASL100-American Sign Lang. I (4)* AND ASL110-American Sign Lang. II (4)*	<u>GE Category 5: MODERN LANGUAGES</u> (8 credits)	None
	3 credits from the following list: HL 202 - Nutrition (3)* OR PY 100 - Personal Adjustment (3)*	<u>GE Category 6: PERSONAL DEVELOPMENT</u> (3 credits) CF230 Nutrition and Health (3) OR PY100 Personal Adjustment (3)	None

*course articulation was in place prior to this program-to-program articulation

