



**Articulation Agreement**  
**May 21, 2015**

1. Transfer Institution: Blackhawk Technical College  
Degree: Associate of Applied Science  
Program: Fire Protection Technician (AAS)
2. Degree Granting Institution: University of Wisconsin Oshkosh  
Degree: Bachelor of Applied Studies  
Program: Fire and Emergency Response Management major
3. Rationale: This agreement is being established in order to expand educational opportunities for graduates of Blackhawk Technical College and to strengthen the educational partnership between UW Oshkosh and the Wisconsin Technical College System (WTCS).
4. Blackhawk Technical College course/credits accepted in transfer and UW Oshkosh equivalent course/credits:

<b>Blackhawk Technical College Course</b>	<b>Credits</b>	<b>UW Oshkosh Equivalent Course</b>	<b>Credits</b>
801-136 – English Composition 1	3	English 101	3
801-195 – Written Communication	3	English 101	3
801-196 - Oral/ Interpersonal Communication	3	Communication 111	3
801-197 - Technical Reporting	3	English 317	3
809-172 - Intro to Diversity Studies	3	Sociology Elective	3
809-198 - Intro to Psychology	3	Psychology 101	3
809-199 - Psychology of Human Relations	3	Psychology Elective	3

In addition to the courses listed in the table above, a block credit of 45 credits will be awarded at admission into the Fire and Emergency Response Management major for completion of the Associate of Applied Science program in Fire Protection Technician at Blackhawk Technical College.

5. Credits from Blackhawk Technical College to transfer to UW Oshkosh: See attachment.
6. Other UW Oshkosh academic requirements that the student must satisfy:
  - Earn at least 120 credits.
  - Earn a cumulative GPA of 2.00 or higher.
  - Earn at least 30 credits at UW Oshkosh.
  - Earn at least 30 credits from a 4-year institution.
  - Earn at least 35 credits in 300/400 level courses.

Conditions:

- The terms of this agreement apply only to students accepted into the Bachelor of Applied Studies (BAS) degree at UW Oshkosh. Students admitted to UW Oshkosh under the terms of this agreement who subsequently elect to pursue a degree other than the BAS may encounter additional program requirements.
- Students from the above-mentioned Wisconsin Technical College must have successfully completed their Associate of Applied Science program in Fire Protection Technician (fulfilling all coursework stipulated therein) with a graduating grade point average of 2.5 or higher, and have graduated in 1990 or later, in order to be eligible for inclusion under this agreement. These terms do **not** apply to students who have completed only a portion of the required course work for this Associate degree.

7. Effective date: July 01, 2015

8. Review date: This agreement will be reviewed in June 2018 and updated or extended at that time.

9. UW Oshkosh Signatures:

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**Charles Hill**

Interim Assistant Vice Chancellor,  
Division of Lifelong Learning and Community Engagement (LLCE)

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Date

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**Lane Earns**

Provost and Vice Chancellor

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Date

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**Andrew Leavitt**

Chancellor

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Date

10. Blackhawk Technical College Signatures:

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**Diane Nyhammer, Ph.D.**  
Vice President of Learning

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Date

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**Dr. Tom Eckert**  
President

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Date

Attachment: Transfer Course Conversions – Blackhawk Technical to UW Oshkosh

Pathway to your Bachelor's Degree at UW Oshkosh			
Transfer Your Degree			
Blackhawk Technical College		University of Wisconsin Oshkosh	
Associate of Applied Science: Fire Protection Technician		Online Bachelor of Applied Studies: Fire and Emergency Response Management	
USP Credits Transferred	Credits Earned	General Education Requirements (USP)	Credits Needed
801-195 Written Communication or 801-136 English Composition 1	3	Quest Writing	0
801-196 Oral & Interpersonal Communication	3	Quest Speaking	0
		Explore Nature: Math(XM)	3
		Explore Nature: Laboratory Science (XL)	8
		Explore Nature: Laboratory Science (XL)	
		Explore Culture (XC)	9
		Explore Culture (XC)	
		Explore Culture (XC)	
809-172 Intro to Diversity Studies	6	Explore Society (XS)	3
809-198 Intro to Psychology or 809-199 Psychology of Human Relations		Explore Society (XS)	
		Explore Society (XS)	
801-197 Technical Report Writing	3	Connect Advanced Writing (XK)	0
809-172 Intro to Diversity Studies		Ethnic Studies (ES)*	0
		Non-Western Culture (NW)	3
<b>Total USP Credits Transferred</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>Total USP Credits Needed</b>	<b>26</b>
Other Transferred Courses		Major Requirements	
806-189 Basic Anatomy	3	Introduction to Liberal Studies	3
		Introduction to Leadership	3
		Intercultural Communication (ES)*	3
		Fire & Emergency Services Leadership	3
		Conflict Resolution for the Emergency Services or Mentoring for Emergency Services Personnel	3
		Public Personnel Administration or Managing People at Work	3
		Occupational Safety & Health in Emergency Services	3
		Budgeting for Program Managers or Government & the Economy	3
		Politics of Emergency Management	3
		Emergency Planning & Administration	3
		Applied Research in Emergency Management	3
		Management of Emergency Medical Services	3
		Administrative Law & Procedure	3
		Fire Prevention Organization & Management	3
		Community Risk Reduction for the Fire & Emergency Services	3
<b>Credit Block for AAS Degree</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>Total Credits Needed for FERM Major</b>	<b>45</b>
Totals			
<b>Total Number of Transfer Credits</b>	<b>63</b>		<b>71</b>