

## ARTICULATION AGREEMENT

THIS AGREEMENT is made the 2 day of March, 2011.

BETWEEN:

THOMPSON RIVERS UNIVERSITY

Represented by its international education division, TRU World,  
With a mailing address of P. O. Box 3010  
900 McGill Road, Kamloops, BC, CANADA V2C 5N3

(hereinafter called "TRU")

AND

EDMONDS COMMUNITY COLLEGE

With a mailing address of 20000 68<sup>th</sup> Avenue West  
Lynnwood, Washington 98036 USA

(hereinafter called "ECC")

### **A BACKGROUND**

- A.1 TRU is an accredited and degree granting university operating in Kamloops, BC, Canada.
- A.2 ECC is an accredited college operating in Lynnwood, Washington, USA
- A.3 ECC offers to its students the following program:
  - Associate of Arts Degree  
(hereinafter called "ECC Program")
- A.4 TRU offers to its students the following programs:
  - Bachelor of Arts Degree  
(hereinafter called "TRU Programs")

### **B OBJECTIVES**

The objectives of this Agreement include, but are not limited to:

- B.1 Ensuring access by eligible students of ECC Program to TRU Programs.
- B.2 Establishing criteria to determine eligibility of ECC students to TRU Programs.
- B.3 Determining the transferability and applicability of certain courses offered by ECC to TRU Programs.

- B.4 Establishing processes to encourage, review and expand, as appropriate, this Agreement between TRU and ECC.

## **C AGREEMENT**

- C.1 TRU agrees to accept ECC students who meet the criteria set out in Schedule A of this Agreement. Such acceptance is subject to there being seats available in the TRU Programs when ECC students apply.
- C.2 Both ECC and TRU agree to encourage ECC students to participate in this articulation program by providing information and assistance to prospective transfer students. Appendices A and B to this Agreement provide information on the TRU Program requirements, and on selected ECC courses and their transferability to the TRU Programs.
- C.3 Both ECC and TRU will designate a program representative at its respective campus to facilitate coordination of this Agreement.

## **D TERM OF AGREEMENT**

- D.1 This Agreement will become effective on the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of March 2011 and shall have a term of **five** years, and will automatically renew thereafter on a year-to-year basis unless at least twelve (12) months notice of termination in writing is provided by either party to the other.
- D.2 In the event of the termination of this Agreement under Section D.1, both parties acknowledge and agree that, subject to Section C.1 above, all students enrolled in the ECC Programs as at the date of the written notice of such termination shall be entitled to admission to the TRU Program under this Agreement despite its termination upon their graduation from ECC so as to ensure the fulfillment of the reasonable expectations of such students.
- D.3 Each institution must notify the other as early as possible as to material changes to curriculum of the ECC Programs or the TRU Programs as the case may be. Depending on the nature of the curriculum change, adjustments to Schedule A of this Agreement may be necessary.

**E GENERAL**

E.1 Any notice or other communication between the parties may be delivered by courier, mail, facsimile or electronic mail to the respective addresses of the parties set out below:

If to TRU:

TRU World  
900 McGill Road, P.O. Box 3010, Kamloops, BC, Canada V2C 5N3

Attention: Baihua Chadwick, Director, TRU World  
Facsimile: 250-828-5140  
E-mail: bchadwic@tru.ca

If to ECC:

Edmonds Community College  
International Student Services  
20000 68<sup>th</sup> Avenue West, Lynnwood, Washington 98036 USA


Attention: Mandy Mino-Cuasay, Associate Director  
Facsimile: 425-774-0455  
E-mail: mandy.mino-cuasay@email.edcc.edu

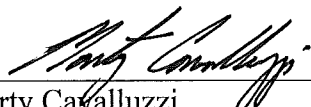
- E.2 This Agreement shall be construed in accordance with the laws of the Province of British Columbia.
- E.3 This Agreement constitutes the entire agreement of the parties with respect to the subject matter set out herein and may only be amended in writing signed by the parties.

In witness whereof, this Agreement is signed at the respective institutions:

**THOMPSON RIVERS UNIVERSITY**

**EDMONDS COMMUNITY COLLEGE**

Per:   
Dr. Alan Shaver  
President and Vice-Chancellor

Per:   
Dr. Marty Cavalluzzi  
Vice-President for Instruction

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: 4/11/11

Schedule A:

**TRU Admission Requirements for Academic Study\***

**English Language Admission Requirement for TRU academic programs**

If a student has a IELTS or other test score they may elect to enter ESL or academic courses without taking the TRU English Placement Test for the following scores:

TRU Placement	TOEFL			IELTS	MELAB	CanTEST	CAEL
	iBT	Paper-Based	Computer-Based				
Direct entry to academic programs	88+ with no section below 20	570+ TWE 4.5+	230+ Essay 4.5+	6.5+ with no bands below 6.0	81+	4.5+ with no component score below 4.0	Overall 70+ No subtest below 60
Direct entry into Level 5 ESL	80+	550-569 TWE 4.0+	213-229 Essay 4.0+	6.0+ with no band below 5.5	77+	4.0+ with no component score below 4.0	Overall 60+ No subtest below 50
Direct entry into Level 4 ESL	71+	530-549	197-212	5.5+ with no band below 5.0	74+	4.0+ with no component score below 3.5	Overall 50+ No subtest below 40
Direct entry into Level 3 ESL	61+	500-529	173-196	5.0+	69+	3.5+	Overall 40+

**Academic Requirements**

All TRU programs require secondary school completion for academic admission. Program specific requirements vary and are stated in TRU publications.

**Minimum Age**

Students must be at least 17 years old.

\*Please note, these requirements may be subject to change.

## Appendix A

Upon completion of the Associate of Arts degree (A.A.) degree at Edmonds Community College, students will be accepted by TRU with 60 transfer credits.

Transferring students must have a minimum cumulative grade point average (GPA) of 2.0 or C. Courses numbered lower than 100-level are not included in this transfer agreement.

To be eligible for graduation, students will have to complete all program requirements.

## Appendix B

### TRU Bachelor of Arts First and Second Year Requirements

#### **BA Degree Basic Requirements:**

1. **120 credits total** (with a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.0 required for graduation)  
**MAXIMUM of 42 credits at the 1000 level**  
**MINIMUM of 48 credits at 3000-4000 level**  
**MAXIMUM of 12 credits may be outside Arts, Science and Business Courses** (maximum 24 credits for Management Minor). Students registered in their second 30 credits (31 – 60 cr) may take up to 6 credits in 3000 - 4000 level courses.
  
2. **First year English Requirement:** A minimum of 6 first year English credits.  
 Any 2 of English 1100, 1110, 1120, 1140, or 1210 \_\_\_\_\_
  
3. **Scientific and Formal Reasoning Requirement:**  
 A minimum of 9 academic course credits in any combination of courses in: \_\_\_\_\_  
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<b>Anthropology:</b>	ANTH 1110, 1190
<b>Computing Science:</b>	COMP, CPSC (BBUS 1370, 2370 or 2380 will not satisfy this requirement)
<b>Mathematics:</b>	MATH
<b>Philosophy:</b>	PHIL 2220, 2400
<b>Physical Geography:</b>	GEOG 1120, 1220
<b>Science:</b>	ASTR, BIOL, CHEM, FRST, GEOL NRSC, PHYS
<b>Statistics:</b>	STAT or any one of BIOL 3000; BUEC 2320; PSYC 2100, SOCI 2710
  
4. **Breadth Requirement:** A minimum of one 1000-2000 level course in at least four separate Arts disciplines (excluding courses used to satisfy first-year English requirement and Scientific and Formal Reasoning requirement) Anthropology, Canadian Studies, Chinese, Economics, English, Film, French, Geography, German, History, Japanese, Mathematics, Music, Philosophy, Political Studies, Psychology, Sociology, Spanish, Speech, Theatre, Visual Arts \_\_\_\_\_  
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5. **Distribution Requirement:** A minimum of one 1000-2000 level course in at least two of the following categories (excluding courses used to satisfy first-year English requirement and Scientific and Formal Reasoning requirement)  
**Humanities:** English Literature, History, Modern Languages, Philosophy, Speech  
**Social Sciences:** Anthropology, Canadian Studies, Economics, Geography, Political Studies, Psychology, Sociology  
**Creative & Performing Arts:** Creative Writing, Film, Visual Arts, Music, Theatre \_\_\_\_\_  
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6. **Second Language Requirement:** A second language to Grade 12 or six credits at the Post-Secondary level \_\_\_\_\_
  
7. **1000- 2000 Level Writing Intensive Requirement:** A minimum of 6 credits in 1000-2000 level courses selected from a list of designated courses that are writing intensive. Refer to TRU calendar for list of courses. (View calendar online at [www.tru.ca](http://www.tru.ca)) \_\_\_\_\_
  
8. **3000- 4000 Level Writing Intensive Requirement:** a minimum of 6 credits in 3000-4000 level. Courses are selected from a list of designated courses that are writing intensive. Refer to TRU calendar for list of courses. (View calendar online at [www.tru.ca](http://www.tru.ca)) \_\_\_\_\_

#### **GENERAL BA DEGREE PROGRAM:**

Students not wishing to complete a Major program may choose to do a General BA degree with either a concentration in a major subject area or a General BA degree with a Thematic Option in Canadian Studies. Please refer to the TRU calendar at [www.tru.ca](http://www.tru.ca) for the requirements on these programs.

**MAJOR PROGRAM – Lower Level Requirements** – refer to calendar for required upper level courses

In addition to the Basic Requirements, there are specific requirements and courses which are strongly recommended for most majors, minors, or concentrations. Check TRU calendar for specific information available online at [www.tru.ca](http://www.tru.ca)

**Economics:**

BUEC 2320  
ECON 1900, 1950, 2900, 2950  
MATH 1140 or 1170  
1 Arts elective chosen from any subject listed below:  
Anthropology, Canadian Studies, Chinese, English,  
Film French, Geography, German, History, Japanese,  
Music, Philosophy, Political Studies, Psychology,  
Sociology, Spanish, Speech, Theatre, or Visual Arts

**Economics and Mathematics:**

ECON 1900, 1950, 2900, 2950  
MATH 1130/1230 or 1140/1240, 1700  
MATH 2110, 2120, 2700, 2740  
BUEC 2320 or STAT 2000

**Economics and Political Studies:**

BUEC 2320  
ECON 1900, 1950, and 2430 or 2950  
POLI 1100, 1210  
2 of POLI 2140, 2150, 2220, 2230, 2250, 2600

**English**

2 of ENGL 1100, 1110, 1120, 1140, 1210  
Second Language (recommended)  
• **Literature Option:** ENGL 2110, plus 2 of second year literature, chosen from: ENGL 2040, 2120, 2140, 2150, 2180, 2170, 2180, 2190, 2200, 2210, 2240, 2250, 2260, 2270, 2400 and 2410.  
• **Rhetoric and Professional Writing Option:**  
1 of British (2110/2210), Canadian (2170/2270), or American (2180/2280) literature.  
1 of ENGL 2290, 2300, 2010, 2020

**Geography:**

GEOG 1190, 1200  
GEOG 1120, 1220, 2700  
2 of GEOG 2100, 2110, 2120, 2220, 2230, 2750

**History:**

2 of HIST 1000 level  
2 of HIST 2000 level  
2 of Canadian History by degree completion

**Mathematics:**

MATH 1130/1230 or 1140/1240, 1700  
MATH 2110, 2120, 2200, 2700  
COMP 1130, 1230 (recommended)  
ENGL 2000 level  
STAT 2000

**Philosophy:**

1 of PHIL 1010, 1020, or 1100  
1 of PHIL 2010, or 2210  
1 of PHIL 2140 or 2150  
PHIL 2220  
PHIL 2100

**Psychology:**

PSYC 1110/1210  
PSYC 2103, 2110

**Sociology:**

SOCI 1110/1210  
SOCI 2710 (preferred) or PSYC 2100 or MATH 1200  
SOCI 2720  
1 of SOCI 2010, 2100, 2130, 2160, 2170, 2230, 2260, 2270, 2500, 2590, 2620

**Theatre Arts:**

THTR 1100/1200, 1110/1210  
THTR 2110/2210, 2120/2220

**MINOR PROGRAM – Lower Level Requirements** – refer to calendar for required upper level courses

In conjunction with a Major program, a Minor may be taken in any TRU Academic discipline. Listed below are the special requirements for individual Minor programs in Arts disciplines at TRU. All Minors at TRU require a minimum of 12 credits at the 100/200 level.

**Anthropology:** ANTH 1110, 1190, 1210, 2160,  
(Pending) 1 of ANTH 2140, 2160, 2190, 2230, 2250, 2330, 2600

**Archeology and Geology:**  
1 of ANTH 1110, 1190, or 2190  
GEOL 1110 or GEOG 1120  
GEOL 2050 or BIOL 1210  
GEOL 2290

**Economics:** ECON 1900, 1950 and 2 of ECON 2000 level

**English:** 2 of ENGL 1100, 1110, 1120, 1140, 1210  
English 2110 and one course from the following:  
ENGL 2040, 2060, 2080, 2120, 2140, 2150, 2180,  
2170, 2180, 2190, 2200, 2210, 2240, 2250, 2260,  
2270, 2400, 2410

**Environmental Economics & Sustainable Development:**  
Econ 1900, 1950  
2 of ANTH 1110, 1190, 1210; Econ 2900, 2950; GEOG 1120,  
1220, 2100; PHIL 2010, 2210; SOCI 1110, 1210, 2620

**Geography:** 4 of GEOG 1000 – 2000 level, of which 2 must be  
selected from: GEOG 1120, 1190, 1200, 1220

**History:** 4 of HIST 1000 - 2000 level

**Management:** 1 of MATH 1070, 1100, 1140, 1170, 1360,  
1 of MATH 1200, BUEC 2320, PSYC 2100,  
SOCI 2710, STAT 2000, BIOL 3000,  
BBUS 2210 and BBUS 2720

**Mathematics:** 4 of MATH 1000 - 2000 level

**Philosophy:** 4 of PHIL 1000 - 2000 level  
(PHIL 2010 and PHIL 2220 are recommended)

**Political Studies:** POLI 1110, 1210 and 2 of POLI 2000 level

**Psychology:** PSYC 1110/1210, 2100, 2110

**Sociology:** SOCI 1110/1210 and 2 of SOCI 2000 level

**Theatre Arts:** THTR 1100/1200, 1110/1210, 2110/ 2210

**Visual Arts:** VISA 1010, 1020, 1030, 1110/1120, 1210

**HONOURS PROGRAMS** - provides an opportunity to academically successful and motivated students to develop their research, writing, and analytical skills. Completion of an Honours program will strengthen a student's application to graduate or professional schools. Honours programs are currently available in Psychology and Mathematics.

## TRU BA First and Second Year Electives

AGSC	2100, 2200
ANTHROPOLOGY	1110, 1190, 1210, 2140*, 2150*, 2160, 2190*, 2230*, 2250*, 2330*, 2600*
ASTRONOMY	1140, 1150
BIOLOGY	1040, 1050, 1110*, 1210*, 1250*, 1590*, 1690*
CANADIAN STUDIES	2000
CHEMISTRY	1310, 1500*, 1510*, 1520*
CHILD AND YOUTH CARE	2000, 2020, 2500, 2530, 2620 (Require permission of Chair to enroll)
CHINESE	1110, 1210*
COMPUTING SCIENCE	1000, 1010, 1020, 1030, 1040, 1050, 1060, 1070, 1080, 1090, 1130* or 1520*, 1230 or 2120*, 1380*/1390*, 1810, 2810*
ECONOMICS	1220, 1900*, 1950*, 2230*
ENGLISH	1100*, 1110*, 1120*, 1140*, 1150*, 1210*, 1290*, 1810
FILM	1120
FRENCH	1000, 1010*, 1100*, 1110*, 1200*, 1210*
GEOGRAPHY	1120, 1190, 1200, 1220, 2100, 2110, 2120, 2220, 2230
GEOLOGY	1110, 2050*
GERMAN	1110, 1210*
HISTORY	1030, 1120, 1160, 1220, 1260, 2020, 2160, 2170, 2180, 2250, 2260, 2270, 2280, 2700
HUMAN SERVICE	2000, 2010, 2020, 2030, 2040 (Require permission of chair to enroll)
JAPANESE	1110, 1210*, 2600, 2610
MATHEMATICS	1000*, 1070, 1100*, 1140*, 1150*, 1170, 1240*, 1250*, 1900, 1700*
MUSIC	1000, 1010*, 1150, 1250*, 1700, 1800*
NATURAL RESOURCE SCIENCE	1110, 1120*, 1220*
PHILOSOPHY	1010, 1020, 1100, 1110, 2140, 2150, 2220, 2240, 2310
PHYSICS	1010, 1100*, 1130*, 1150*, 1200*, 1250*
POLITICAL STUDIES	1110, 1210, 2230*
PSYCHOLOGY	1110, 1210*
SOCIOLOGY	1110, 1210*
SPANISH	1110, 1210*
SPEECH	1500, 2500*
STATISTICS	1200*, 2000*
THEATRE	1100, 1110, 1200*, 1210*, 1500, 2120, 2220
VISUAL ARTS	1010, 1020*, 1030, 1040, 1110, 1120, 1210*, 1220*, 1500

<b>Note:</b> A maximum of 12 credits may be taken from courses outside Arts and Science and Business	
Business Economics:	BUEC coursework except Econ Majors and Econ & Management Minors
Business Studies:	BBUS coursework where 24 outside credits are allowed
Cooperative Education:	Will receive a maximum of 3 credits of lower level elective credit for Coop term(s)
<b>3 credits maximum for PE Activity Courses:</b> PHED1100, 1120, 1140, 1160, 1190, 1240, 1280	
Physical Education	1000, 1230, 2000, 2110, 2120, 2130, 2140, 2150*, 2210, 2840*
Social Work	2060*, 2120*
TMGT	1110, 1140, 1150, and 1160



BIOLOGY	2100, 2110, 2130, 2150, 2200, 2210, 2250, 2270, 2340
CANADIAN STUDIES	2420
CHEMISTRY	2000, 2100, 2120, 2160, 2220, 2250
COMPUTING SCIENCE	2130, 2200, and 2230 (NOTE: COMP 2200 is the same as MATH 2220)
ECONOMICS	2430, 2600, 2900, 2950, 2990
ENGLISH	2010, 2020, 2040, 2060, 2070, 2080, 2110, 2120, 2140, 2150, 2160, 2170, 2180, 2190, 2200, 2210, 2240, 2250, 2260, 2270, 2290, 2300, 2400, 2410
FILM	2100, 2200
FRENCH	2050, 2060, 2110, 2120, 2210, 2220
GEOGRAPHY	2050, 2700, 2750
GEOLOGY	2100, 2150, 2290
JAPANESE	2110, 2150, 2210, 2250, 2500, 2510
JOURNALISM	2010
MATHEMATICS	2110, 2120, 2200, 2220, 2240, 2700 (NOTE: MATH 2220 is the same as COMP 2200)
PHILOSOPHY	2010, 2100, 2210, 2290, 2380, 2390, 2400
PHYSICS	2000, 2150, 2200, 2250
POLITICAL SCIENCE	2140, 2150, 2220, 2250, 2600
PSYCHOLOGY	2040, 2050, 2100, 2110, 2120, 2130, 2160, 2210, 2220, 2230, 2300
SOCIOLOGY	2010, 2100, 2130, 2160, 2170, 2230, 2260, 2270, 2500, 2590, 2620, 2710, 2720
SPANISH	2110, 2210, 2150, 2250, 2500, 2510
STATISTICS	2410
THEATRE	2110, 2150, 2210, 2250, 2500
VISUAL ARTS	2110, 2120, 2130, 2140, 2150
VISUAL ARTS (STUDIO)	2210, 2220, 2310, 2320, 2410, 2420, 2510, 2520, 2530, 2540, 2550, 2560, 2610, 2620, 2710, 2720, 2810