



# Southern Arkansas University Tech/Oklahoma State University Institute of Technology APPLIED TECHNICAL LEADERSHIP PATHWAY PARTNERSHIP Memorandum of Understanding

Whereas, Southern Arkansas University Tech, hereinafter referred to as SAU Tech, and Oklahoma State University Institute of Technology, hereinafter referred to as OSUIT, both regionally accredited postsecondary institutions, express a shared commitment to increasing opportunities for student access to and success in higher education;

Whereas, SAU Tech and OSUIT share a common bond in workforce education and economic development; and

Whereas, the governing boards of SAU Tech and OSUIT are committed to the creation and facilitation of robust career and educational pathways;

Now, therefore, be it resolved that both parties understand this Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) is specific to the OSUIT and SAU Tech programs identified in the Applied Technical Leadership Articulation Agreement. To this end, the MOU contains the following provisions:

- 1. SAU Tech and OSUIT may jointly and independently publicize and promote this MOU and the Applied Technical Leadership Articulation Agreement;
- 2. OSUIT and SAU Tech will partner in providing high-quality advisement to past, present and future SAU Tech students:
- 3. SAU Tech students are eligible to apply the course credits delineated in the corresponding Articulation Agreement to the OSUIT Applied Technical Leadership program;
- 4. OSUIT and SAU Tech representatives will encourage SAU Tech students to complete their Associate in Applied Science degrees prior to matriculation to OSUIT;
- Upon request of SAU Tech, and as permitted under the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act, OSUIT will provide SAU Tech with information regarding its alumni who matriculate to OSUIT;
- Upon request of OSUIT, and as permitted under the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act, SAU Tech will provide OSUIT with information on the graduates of programs pertinent to the Applied Technical Leadership Articulation Agreement;
- 7. Representatives of SAU Tech and OSUIT will annually review the Applied Technical Leadership Articulation Agreement and, upon mutual consent, revise and submit any updated documentation to the SAU Tech and OSUIT Academic Affairs Offices;
- 8. This MOU and the corresponding Applied Technical Leadership Articulation Agreement are subject to change as required by policy and/or regulatory requirements, and may be modified at any time by mutual written consent;



and



### Southern Arkansas University Tech/Oklahoma State University Institute of Technology ARTICULATION AGREEMENT

Applied Technical Leadership

The purpose of this Articulation Agreement is to facilitate the smoothest possible transfer of coursework between all Southern Arkansas University Tech (SAU Tech) Associate in Applied Science degrees and the Bachelor Technology (BT) in Applied Technical Leadership (ATL) at the Oklahoma State University Institute of Technology (OSUIT). Under this Agreement, any SAU Tech student may transfer and apply up to sixty (60) of the following course credit hours toward the OSUIT BT in ATL degree.

Southern Arkansas University Tech

**Oklahoma State University Institute of Technology** 

#### Up to 60 Hours of the Coursework Listed Below

English & Language Arts – Up to 9 Hours

ENGL 1113 Freshman Composition I ENGL 1113 Composition I

**ENGL 1033 Technical Writing I** 

and

\*ENGL 1213 Freshman Composition II \*ENGL 1123 Composition II

\*ENGL 2033 Technical Writing II CO 2213 Technical Writing

SPCH 1113 Introduction to Speech SPCH 1113 Principles of Speech

SPCH 2313 Small Group Communication

## American History & Government - Up to 6 Hours

HIST 1483 US History to 1865 HIST 2013 United States History I

HIST 1493 US History since 1865 HIST 2023 United States History II

and

POLS 1113 US Government PSCI 2003 American Government: National

Mathematics & Statistics – Up to 6 Hours

Up to six hours of math and/or statistics Up to six hours of math and/or statistics

coursework coursework

Humanities - Up to 6 Hours

Up to six hours of humanities coursework Up to six hours of humanities coursework

## Social & Behavioral Sciences - Up to 3 Hours

ECON1003 American Enterprise System

**BADM 1113 Introduction to Business** 

Science – Up to 7 Hours

\*\*Up to seven hours of science coursework

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Computer Literacy - Up to 3 Hours

MIS 1003 Introduction to Computers

CS 1013 Computer Literacy & Applications

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or

MIS 2053 Business Information Systems

CS 2103 Computer Concepts & Applications for

**Business** 

Technical Specialty Coursework - 30 Hours

Up to 30 hours of major coursework

Up to 30 hours of major coursework

<sup>\*</sup> Course has a prerequisite

<sup>\*\*</sup> At least one course taken must be a lab science

- 9. This MOU will be in effect for a period of five (5) years from the date of signature, and be renewed after that period upon mutual agreement;
- Either party may terminate the MOU with six (6) months written notice. If the MOU is terminated, SAU Tech and OSUIT shall work together to assist affected students;
- 11. The activities of this MOU and the Applied Technical Leadership Articulation Agreement will be carried out in accordance with the policies and procedures of SAU Tech and OSUIT and their governing bodies;
- 12. SAU Tech and OSUIT commit to exploring additional opportunities for collaboration; and
- 13. This MOU does not obligate OSUIT or SAU Tech to commit or transfer any assets or resources.

Dr. Jason Morrison, Chancellor	Dr. Bill R. Path, President
1/2/2020	12-16-19
Date	Date
Dr. Valerie Wilson, Vice Chancellor for Academics	Dr. Scott Newman, Vice President of Academic Affairs
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