

## Admission Articulation Agreement Between Quincy College AND Roxbury Community College

This admission agreement ("Agreement") dated February 20, 2023 is between Quincy College, an educational corporation formed under the laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts with its principal office located at 1250 Hancock Street, Quincy, MA 02169 (hereafter referred to as "QC"), and Roxbury Community College, a community college organized under the laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts with its principal office at 1234 Columbus Avenue, Roxbury Crossing, MA 02120 | (hereafter referred to as "Roxbury").

It is agreed by and between QC and Roxbury, for the mutual consideration and covenants herein contained, as follows:

- QC and Roxbury hereby agree to an admissions arrangement as set forth in this
  Agreement, whereby students from Roxbury may be eligible to complete a Bachelor of
  Science in Computer Science at QC. This arrangement is referred to as the Partner
  Community College Transfer Pathway to the QC Bachelor of Science in Computer
  Science ("Transfer Pathway").
- 2. The terms and conditions of the Transfer Pathway are set forth in detail in Appendix A of this Agreement, ("Transfer Pathway Terms"). The Transfer Pathway Terms, as updated and amended are incorporated in this Agreement by reference. All courses must be completed in accordance with each institution's academic standards and requirements, as published in the respective current catalog of each institution and set forth in any other applicable materials published by each institution, including the Transfer Pathway Terms.
- 3. To be eligible for the Transfer Pathway, students must successfully complete an Associate degree program at Roxbury with at least a 2.0 GPA the AS in Information Systems Technology (Exhibit A).
- 4. QC will accept at least 62 and up to 90 credits from graduates of these programs. A 'C' or better is required to transfer any of the 67 credits of program requirements, and a 'D' or better is required to transfer any of the 41 credits of general education core and 12 credits of general elective requirements.

- 5. Non-credit or remedial courses below college level may not be accepted for transfer. ESL courses are not accepted for credit.
- 6. QC will also adhere to these additional transfer policies:
  - Accept previous credits earned from Advanced Placement (AP) Exams that have been applied to the completed associate degree at Roxbury.
  - Accept previous credits earned from College Level Examination Program (CLEP) that have been applied to the completed associate degree at Roxbury.
  - Accept previous credits earned from other exam sources that have been applied to the completed associate degree at Roxbury.
  - Accept academic credits earned through the evaluation of military, occupation, training, experience and coursework that have been applied to the completed associate degree at Roxbury.
- QC reserves the right to rescind an offer of acceptance if the student is no longer considered in good academic or disciplinary standing between the time of acceptance and matriculation.
- 8. Roxbury graduates accepted into QC's Bachelor of Science in Computer Science are subject to the graduation requirements of the QC catalog and other published standards issued by QC in the year of matriculation. In addition, Roxbury graduates are subject to changes that may be required to meet accreditation standards, including, but not limited to, those established by the New England Commission of Higher Education (NECHE) or those determined by QC faculty as warranted to ensure a quality educational program.

Each party agrees that it will notify the other party as soon as possible of any changes to its programs that will impact this Agreement. Both institutions agree that they will communicate at the beginning of each fall term to discuss recruiting, entrance requirements, and any other concerns that either may have about the affiliation. Other communications between them may be scheduled as needs arise.

- 9. Both QC and Roxbury agree to make information about the Transfer Pathway available to prospective students on the admissions or articulations pages of their website. Either party may advertise the arrangement described in this Agreement to its students, prospective students, and alumni through print, online, and interactive marketing materials such as fliers, websites, and other advertisements, subject to the guidelines and restrictions further described in this section.
  - a. Each party shall provide the other with a high-resolution logo file and hereby grants the other license to use the name and/or logo as set forth above.
  - b. Use of the QC name shall be "Quincy College" in all communications.
  - c. Use of the Roxbury name shall be "Roxbury Community College" in all communications.

- 10. Roxbury agrees to provide QC with at least four on-site recruitment opportunities per year.
- 11. Neither Institution shall use the name, logo, likeness, trademark, image or other intellectual property of the other for advertising, marketing, endorsement or any other purpose without the specific prior written consent of an authorized representative of the other Institution with respect to each such use.
- 12. A scholarship award of up to \$2,000 is available for Roxbury Community College graduates who have been accepted into the third year of the Bachelor of Science in Computer Science at Quincy College for spring 2023. To be considered third-year, a student must have 60 transferrable and applicable college credits with a GPA of 2.0 or higher, and must register for at least one 300-level course required for the BS in Computer Science.

The amount of the scholarship will be based on incoming GPA, and will be awarded by applicable course until the program is completed. QC has final determination on qualifications, award amount and application of award.

Spring 2023	GPA 2.0-2.49	GPA 2.5-3.49	GPA 3.5+
Award	\$1,000	\$1,500	\$2,000

Information on the scholarship will be made available to prospective students on Quincy College's website. QC will communicate the scholarship changes by June 30 of every year. Roxbury will share information on this scholarship on its website.

- 13. This agreement is effective on the date signed and will remain in effect until terminated by either party. Either institution may terminate this Agreement at any time, with or without cause, provided that the terminating institution has given the other institution written notice at least 90 days prior to the effective date of such termination and further, both parties agree that no such termination shall adversely affect any student then attending or accepted by QC pursuant to the terms of this Agreement.
- 14. The parties agree that this Agreement embodies all of the agreements made by and between them, and supersedes any prior agreements and understandings, with regard to the acceptance of Roxbury students into QC. Any modifications or amendments to this Agreement must be in writing and executed by both parties in order to be effective.

[signature page immediately follows]

This Agreement has been executed by a duly authorized representative of each party as of the day and year first above written.

**Quincy College** 

**Roxbury Community College** 

PRINT: Richard DeCristofaro, Ed.D.

TITLE: President

DATE: 6823

PRINT: Servet Yatin, Ph.D.

6/8/2023 DATE:

BY: PRINT: Jackie Jenkins Scott

TITLE: Interim President 5/3/(23

DATE:

BY: PRINT: Joyce Taylor Gibson, Ph.D.

TITLE: Provost and Chief Academic Officer TITLE: Interim VP, Academic & Institutional Affairs

DATE:

## Appendix A

Terms and Conditions of the Transfer Pathway:

To be admitted Quincy College's Bachelor of Science in Computer Science, a student must submit:

- A completed online transfer application: Apply Now | Quincy College
- · The application fee will be waived.
- · Official college transcripts demonstrating completion of an AA/AS degree, or
  - o Official college transcripts showing that the student is registered and enrolled in their last academic term pending completion of their degree
- Transcripts reflecting a minimum cumulative GPA of at least 2.0/4.0

## EXHIBIT A. Roxbury to Quincy College AS in Information Systems Technology to BS in Computer Science

- This guide serves as a mapping tool for students. Individual student evaluations will vary.
- Please contact Advising 617-984-1720 or advising@quincycollege.edu with any course alignment questions.

Roxbury	Cr	Quincy College	Cr
RCC Classes		Quincy College Gen Ed Core Requirements	41
ENG 101 English Composition I		ENG 101-English Composition I	3
ENG 102 English Composition II		ENG 102-English Composition II	3
MAT 103 Pre-Calculus <sup>1</sup>		MAT 113 Precalculus	3
MAT 201 Calculus I <sup>2</sup>		MAT 204 Calculus I B	4
Social Science Elective		Social Science/Psychology Core	
Lab Science		Natural Science Core with Lab	
Humanities		Humanities Elective	
Humanities (History/Government Recommended for QC)		History/Government Core	3
ACS 102 The College Experience		IDS 167 First Year Seminar (or General Elective)	3
IST 210 Social Issues and Ethics		General Education Elective	3
IST 120 (CIS 141) Microcomputer Applications		CSI 101 Introduction to Computers	3
IST 298 (CIS 298) Internship		Open Elective (Applied Below)	X
		General Education Elective	3
		MAT 103 College Algebra <sup>3</sup>	3
RCC Classes		Quincy College Program Requirements	79
IST 110 (CIS 102) Introduction to Programming	3	CSI 116 Introduction to Programming	3
IST 130 Linux Operating Systems		CSI 226 Unix With Linux	3
IST 230 (CIS 281) Relational Databases		CSA 213 Database Management	3
IST 142 Network Fundamentals <sup>4</sup>	4	CSI 244 Networking I	3
IST 150 (CIS 155) Web Design Fluency		CSA 227 Website Design	3
IST 145 (CIS 122) Visual Basic		OPEN ELECTIVE	3
IST 170 (CIS 255) Java I		PROGRAM ELECTIVE	3
IST 270 (CIS 271) Java II		PROGRAM ELECTIVE	
		Open Elective Credits from IST 298 (CIS 298) Internship	3
		CSI 218 Data Structures and Algorithms	3
		MAT 210 Discrete Math	4
		CSI 235 Computer Architecture	3
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		CSI 242-Computer Systems Security	3
		CSI 313 Advanced Database Management	3
		CSA 229 Web and Mobile Development with JavaScript	3
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		CSI 318 Analysis of Algorithms	3
		CSI 340 Compiler Theory	3
		CSI 317 Operating Systems	3
		CSI 330 Graphics Programming/UI/UX	3
		CSI 480 Artificial Intelligence	3
		CSI 490 Software Engineering Capstone	3
		Program Electives Remaining of 6 required	0
		Open Electives Remaining of 12 required	6
Minimum # of Transferable Credits		Credits Required for BS Degree	120

The Bachelor of Science in Computer Science at Quincy College requires the completion of 120 credits including 1) a 41-credit General Education Core and 2) 79 credits of program requirements that include 67 credits in computer science (or related courses) and 12 open electives.

A student who graduates from Roxbury with an AS in Computer Science Transfer can transfer to QC a minimum 62 and up to 90 credits. A 'C' or better is required to transfer any of the 67 credits of program requirements, and a 'D' or better is required to transfer any of the 41 credits of general education core and 12 open elective credits.

<sup>4</sup> Note that IST 142 Network Fundamentals is a 4-credit class at RCC and a 3-credit class at QC.

Note that MAT 103 Pre-Calculus is a 4-credit class at RCC and a 3-credit class at QC.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> RCC requires "MAT 201 Calculus or an IST Elective". As MAT 204 Calculus I B is required for the BS in Computer Science, we recommend that RCC students take MAT 201 Calculus I.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> MAT 103 College Algebra can be waived, but another math or computer course must be substituted.