

**Articulation Agreement between  
Roxbury Community College and  
Fisk University (Undergraduate Admissions)**

This articulation agreement (this "Agreement") dated 01/11/2016 is between ROXBURY COMMUNITY COLLEGE a non-profit corporation organized under the laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts with its usual place of business in Boston, Suffolk County, Massachusetts, hereinafter called RCC, and FISK UNIVERSITY, a non-profit corporation in Nashville, Tennessee, hereinafter called FISK.

It is agreed by and between RCC and FISK for the mutual consideration and covenants herein contained as follows:

1. RCC and FISK hereby agree to an articulated program as stated in this Agreement whereby certain students from RCC may complete a Bachelor's of Art or Bachelor's of Science degree at FISK, as long as they fulfill the prerequisites for the chosen program.
2. Upon successful completion of the degree program at RCC, which completion shall be in accordance with all the standards applicable to RCC students, said students will be accepted FISK, in accordance with its published standards, subject to and in accordance with the limitations and procedures set forth in the Agreement. All reference to standards will be those published in the respective current catalog of each institution and other applicable materials published by each institution.
3. RCC students who have successfully completed a RCC Associate of Science (A.S.) or Associate of Arts (A.A.) degree program with an overall grade point average of 3.4 are eligible for admission to the FISK contingent on satisfactory completion of other FISK admissions requirements, and subject to availability of openings in the specific program to which the RCC students have applied. The FISK Admissions Committee retains the right to make the final decision on each student's application. (See attachment A for a list of programs/majors at FISK)
4. RCC students accepted into any of the FISK colleges are subject to the graduation requirements of the college catalog and other published standards issued by FISK in the year of their respective matriculation. RCC student is subject to changes that may be required to meet accreditation standards, including, but not limited to, those established by The Southern Association of

Colleges and Schools Commission on Colleges (SACSCOC) or those determined by FISK faculty as warranted to ensure a quality educational program.

5. The Admissions offices, or other appropriate offices or designees, of 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. Each party agrees that it will communicate as soon as possible to the other party of any changes to its programs that will impact the Agreement. Each institution shall provide the other with advance copies of any written materials that it publishes to describe the terms of this agreement.
6. This Agreement shall continue until terminated by either party. Either institution may terminate this Agreement in any year, 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 provided that no such termination shall adversely affect any student attending or accepted to FISK by virtue of the terms of this Agreement. In the event that the said Agreement is not terminated, it will automatically be extended year by year.
7. The parties agree that this Agreement embodies all of the agreements made by and between then supersedes any prior agreements and the understandings with regards to the acceptance of RCC students into FISK and that any modifications or amendments thereof must be in writing executed by both parties in order to be effective.
9. All notices or other communications made or given hereunder shall be in writing and shall be deemed made or given upon receipt, or three business days after deposits in the U.S. Mail, in an envelope, postage prepaid, registered or certified mail, and addressed as follows:

If to RCC:

Office of the VP for Academic Affairs  
Roxbury Community College  
1234 Columbus Avenue  
Roxbury Crossing, MA 02120

With copy to:

Office of General Counsel  
Roxbury Community College  
1234 Columbus Avenue  
Roxbury Crossing, MA 02120

If to FISK:

Office of Undergraduate Admissions  
1000 17<sup>th</sup> Avenue North  
Fisk University  
Nashville, TN 37208

With copy to:

Office of the Provost  
1000 17<sup>th</sup> Avenue North  
Fisk University  
Nashville, TN 37208

EXECUTED AS OF THE DAY AND YEAR FIRST ABOVE WRITTEN.

ROXBURY COMMUNITY COLLEGE

FISK UNIVERSITY

BY: Cecilia Ryan

BY: Ron. Van

TITLE: VP Academic & Student Affairs

TITLE: Provost & Vice President for Academic Affairs

DATE: 1/11/16

DATE: Feb. 22, 2016

ROXBURY COMMUNITY COLLEGE

BY: \_\_\_\_\_

TITLE: \_\_\_\_\_

DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

Attachment A

BA and BS Majors at FISK UNIVERSITY

Art  
Biology  
Business  
Chemistry  
Computer Science  
English  
History  
Mathematics  
Music/Music Education  
Physics  
Political Science  
Psychology  
Sociology  
Spanish  
Special Education  
Teacher Education  
Pre-Professional programs - (pre-med, pre-dental, pre-pharmacy, pre-engineering)

Also available on the following website:

<http://www.fisk.edu/academics/majors-and-minors>.