



**Lewis-Clark State College/North Idaho College
Associate of Applied Science to Bachelor of Applied Science Degree Articulation
Agreement**

North Idaho College (NIC) and Lewis-Clark State College (LCSC) enter into this articulation agreement to facilitate the transfer of the North Idaho College's Associate of Applied Science (AAS) degrees to Lewis-Clark State College. Under the provisions of this agreement, NIC students may be granted admission to LCSC, with third year (junior) standing, in either the Bachelor of Applied Science (BAS) or Bachelor of Applied Science in Applied Technology (BASAT) degree programs, depending upon the particular AAS degree being transferred.

Purpose

The purpose of this agreement is to articulate the North Idaho College Associate of Applied Science.

Upon completion of the AAS degree at North Idaho College, academic credit/courses taken at North Idaho College will be transferred to Lewis-Clark State College under the following conditions/restrictions:

- The student may not be General Education Core complete and, therefore, may be required to meet additional core requirements at LCSC.
- Up to fifty (50) technical credits from NIC may be applied toward the Bachelor of Applied Science (BAS) at LCSC in like programs or the Bachelor of Applied Science in Applied Technology (BASAT) in other programs.

For the purposes of this agreement, the student may select any edition of the Lewis-Clark State College catalog, provided that the catalog was published and was in force while the student was enrolled at Lewis-Clark State College and/or North Idaho College, and provided that the catalog is no older than six (6) academic years at the time of graduation from Lewis-Clark State College.

Process

- North Idaho College will provide current AAS degree requirements to Lewis-Clark State College and notify LC of any degree requirement changes that occur.

- North Idaho College will provide advisement to NIC students with Lewis-Clark State College available for questions and assistance related to transfer issues along with periodic training opportunities for North Idaho College advisors. Pre-transfer advising will be conducted by LCSC staff using either official or unofficial transcripts sent to LCSC by the student.
- Lewis-Clark State College will notify North Idaho College of any degree requirement changes that occur.
- Lewis-Clark State College will provide North Idaho College advisors and students with specific department/major pre-professional course requirements including course equivalency worksheets along with other, if applicable, department/major specific requirements.

Conditions

- Students must submit an official application to Lewis-Clark State College and provide LCSC with documentation (transcripts) proving successful completion of the AAS degree at North Idaho College.
- Non-completion of the North Idaho College AAS degree program will void the provisions of this agreement.
- Completion of the AAS degree provides a guarantee transfer of credit to the college but does not guarantee completion of all lower division degree requirements.
- If specific prerequisites have not been met at North Idaho College, those prerequisites will need to be met prior to being accepted into the program/major.
- Attendance at another institution after completion of their North Idaho College degree and prior to start at Lewis-Clark State College will void the provisions of this agreement but will not preclude NIC students from transferring to LCSC.
- Students must complete a minimum total 120 credits (many majors require more) to graduate from Lewis-Clark State College with a baccalaureate degree. A minimum of 36 credits must be at the upper division level and 32 credits earned prior to graduation must be completed at Lewis-Clark State College.

Scholarships

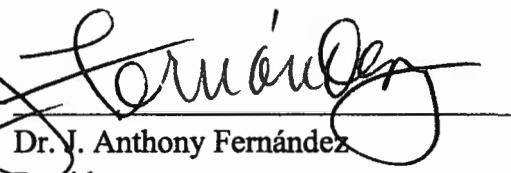
North Idaho College students who maintain eligibility for the NIC Presidential Scholarship through completion of their AA or AS programs will automatically qualify for the LCSC Transfer Scholarship regardless of the date by which they submit an admission application to LCSC as long as their full-time enrollment at LCSC commences within one year of the completion of their NIC degree.

Other students may qualify for the LCSC Transfer Scholarship and other LCSC scholarships if they complete the necessary admission and/or scholarship applications by March 1 prior to their initial fall term or by December 15 prior to their initial spring term and assuming their initial term of enrollment at LCSC is the semester immediately following completion of their NIC AA or AS degree.

Other financial aid is not guaranteed by this agreement. Students must meet the specific requirements for other financial aid resources, including application deadlines.

Renewal, Revision, Termination

This agreement is effective as of June 17, 2015, and will be reviewed for renewal every three (3) years. Either NIC or LCSC upon written notice to the other institution may request revision of this agreement. Either institution, at any time during its term, may terminate the agreement for reasons of noncompliance via written notice to the other institution. Termination notice shall not be given less than 60 days prior to the end of the current term of the agreement.


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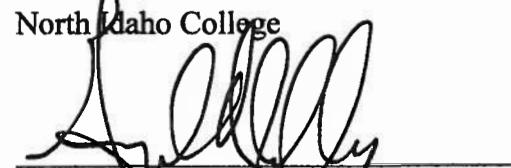

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