South University
Articulation Agreement with Hillsborough Community College

Established in 1899, South University is a private nonprofit academic institution dedicated to providing educational opportunities for the intellectual, social and professional development of a diverse student population. South University offers personalized student attention and high-quality undergraduate and graduate programs in arts and sciences, business, health professions, nursing, and pharmacy across its campuses and online. South University and Hillsborough Community College will develop a transfer guide that identifies how transfer of an associate degree applies to requirements of existing bachelor degree programs.

Articulation Agreement

This Articulation Agreement is entered into between Dream Center Education Holdings' South University Florida, LLC, d/b/a South University Tampa (hereinafter referred to as "School") located at 4401 N Himes Avenue, Tampa, Florida 33614 and Hillsborough Community College hereby enter into the following agreement:

- The School and Hillsborough Community College will draft Course Transfer Guides, as addendums to this agreement, which identifies the Hillsborough Community College courses, which satisfy specific course, general education or unrestricted elective requirements at South University.
- These Course Transfer Guides need periodic modification as both Institutions routinely add to and update curriculum.
- Students must meet the admission and bachelor degree requirements for the academic year in which they are admitted. Please refer to the School academic catalog [www.southuniversity.edu](http://www.southuniversity.edu) for complete admissions and program requirements.
- Interested students are invited to contact the Admissions Department at the School for assistance.
- Due to Accreditation Regulations that require at least 25% of any program be earned at the institution awarding the credential, a cap may be placed on the total number of credits that can be transferred toward the completion of the second degree.

Marketing Responsibilities

Hillsborough Community College and the School will work together to specify the appropriate venues for which School personnel can communicate information related to the School. Such communication may include information meetings, updates, announcements and information to schedule in-person meetings with prospective students. Each party is responsible for its own costs regarding its marketing responsibility. Hillsborough Community College will coordinate with the School to assure that up-to-date program information is available to students and agrees that each party may publish the Course Transfer Guides.

Intellectual Property

The School and Hillsborough Community College remain the sole owners of all rights to its respective name, trade names, trademarks, service marks, trade secrets, patents, copyrights, logos, and other intellectual property rights, as they now exist or as they may be modified in the future by either party (collectively, the "Intellectual Property Rights"). Either party has only the right to use intellectual property in connection with the performance of this Agreement.

Material or content, regardless of medium, which is used by the other party, jointly developed between the parties, or developed by one party on behalf of the other may be used only for advancing the purposes of this Agreement while it is in effect and only with both parties' consent. The parties must notify the other of their process for obtaining consent and approvals of marketing materials. Unless otherwise specifically
stated in this Agreement, any Intellectual Property Rights shared between the parties for advancing the purposes of this Agreement are treated as confidential and proprietary information by the receiving party.

Each party acknowledges that the unauthorized use of the other party's Intellectual Property Rights would cause irreparable harm to the other party. This provision shall survive termination of the Agreement.

Termination and Modification
The initial term of this Agreement shall be for a period of two (2) years commencing July 1, 2018 ("Effective Date"). This Agreement may automatically renew for period(s) of one (1) year. Additionally, either party may terminate this Agreement with or without cause by providing thirty (30) days written notice to the other party. During any renewal term, the provisions of this Agreement shall remain the same.

Non-Discrimination
The School and Hillsborough Community College share mutual responsibilities to comply with federal, state, and local laws, including, but not limited to, the Civil Rights Act of 1974, as amended, that are applicable to activities carried out under this agreement. The parties agree not to engage in unlawful discrimination on the grounds of race, color, national or ethnic origin, gender, marital status, religion, handicap, political affiliation, age, or any other basis as prescribed by law.

Notice, Demande, and Requests
All notices, demands, requests, and communications required shall be in writing and shall be deemed to have been given when delivered or mailed to the designated contact officers.

Signatures of Responsible Authorities
The undersigned hereby agree to all provisions of this agreement. This agreement is understood to be complete. Other cooperative agreements between the parties require separate negotiation and acceptance.

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