ARTICULATION AGREEMENT

Blinn College
Division of Mathematics, Business, Engineering, and Technology (MBET)

Texas A&M University–Kingsville (TAMUK)
Frank H. Dotterweich College of Engineering

Associate of Science in Engineering (Blinn)
and
Bachelor of Science Degrees in Engineering (TAMUK)

Architectural Engineering
Chemical Engineering
Civil Engineering
Electrical Engineering
Environmental Engineering
Mechanical Engineering
Natural Gas Engineering

This articulation agreement is designed to facilitate the transfer of students from the Associate of Science in Engineering (ASE) program at Blinn College (Blinn) to the Bachelor of Science programs in Architectural Engineering (BSAE), Chemical Engineering (BSChE), Civil Engineering (BSCE), Electrical Engineering (BSEE), Environmental Engineering (BSEnvE), Mechanical Engineering (BSME), and Natural Gas Engineering (BSNGE) programs at Texas A&M University Kingsville (TAMUK). The Division of Mathematics, Business, Engineering, and Technology at Blinn College and TAMUK, on behalf of its Frank H. Dotterweich College of Engineering enter into this agreement under the following provisions:

1. Articulation for the purpose of student transfer between the above departments refers specifically to this written agreement that identifies courses, or sequence of courses, from Blinn that are comparable to, or acceptable in lieu of, specific course requirements at TAMUK and enable the student's progression to the next level of course sequence or requirements at TAMUK.

2. All Blinn courses listed in the Blinn-TAMUK Course Map are transferable to TAMUK and satisfy the indicated courses in the various TAMUK BS engineering degree programs.

3. Both parties to this agreement acknowledge that, in accordance with Sec. 61.822 of the Texas Education Code, completion of all requirements of the Blinn Core Curriculum will satisfy all TAMUK General Education requirements. However, a Blinn student transferring to TAMUK before completion of the Blinn Core Curriculum is subject to a course-by-course evaluation of
his/her transcript for acceptance by TAMUK and fulfillment of the TAMUK General Education requirements.

4. The maximum number of hours for which a Blinn student may receive transfer credit at TAMUK is 72 hours.

5. All articulated mathematics, science, and engineering courses must be completed with a "C" or better for acceptance into any BS engineering program at TAMUK.

6. Blinn students wishing to transfer must apply for admission to TAMUK and meet all University and College of Engineering admission requirements.

7. All students, including students intending to transfer from Blinn, are strongly encouraged to work closely with a TAMUK College of Engineering Academic Advisor to ensure timely completion of all BS degree requirements and adherence to the provisions of this articulation agreement.

8. It is the responsibility of the student to be knowledgeable of all degree requirements and the provisions of this agreement.

9. The articulation agreement may be published and provided to Blinn students as a transfer guide during academic advisement. This articulation agreement will be reviewed every two years by the Blinn Division of Mathematics, Business, Engineering, and Technology and the TAMUK College of Engineering and adjusted, if necessary, to ensure the ease of transfer of students from Blinn to TAMUK.

10. Change(s) to this agreement must be agreed upon in writing by both parties.

11. Each party shall comply with all federal, state, and local laws, ordinances, and regulations in relation to this agreement.

12. Each provision of this agreement is severable. If any provision is rendered invalid or unenforceable by statute or regulations or declared null and void by any court of competent jurisdiction, the remaining provisions will remain in full force and effect if the essential terms of this agreement remain valid, legal, and enforceable.

13. This agreement commences on the date indicated below and remains in effect unless terminated as provided in this agreement. The parties will review the agreement every two years.

14. Either party may terminate this agreement by providing written notice to the other party. Such termination will be effective 30 days from the other party's receipt of the notice.

15. This agreement, including the Course Map, contains the entire understanding of the parties as to its subject matter and supersedes all other written and oral agreements between the parties as to that subject matter.

Executed by the undersigned representatives of the two institutions on March 7, 2016.

Blinn College

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