

ARTICULATION AGREEMENT

between

Southern Regional Technical College

Associate of Applied Science Degree in Medical Laboratory Technology

and

Thomas University

Bachelor of Science in Medical Laboratory Science

Article I: Agreement on Principle

Thomas University (TU) and Southern Regional Technical College (SRTC) agree that students who choose to transfer from a community college to a senior college or university to earn a bachelor's degree should be provided with a smooth curriculum transition that minimizes loss of credit and duplication of coursework. Thomas University and Southern Regional Technical College, therefore, agree to enter into this curriculum articulation agreement for students who complete the Associate of Applied Science Degree in Medical Laboratory Technology at Southern Regional Technical College and transfer to TU to complete the Bachelors of Science in Medical Laboratory Science.

Both institutions enter into this agreement as cooperating, equal partners who shall maintain the integrity of their separate programs.

Article II: Agreement on Program Specifics

Thomas University and Southern Regional Technical College agree that any student who has successfully completed the minimum requirements of courses outlined in the corresponding articulation tables may transfer the course credits indicated toward a Bachelor of Science in Medical Laboratory Science at Thomas University. Students who follow this articulated program agreement must apply and be admitted to Thomas University. Southern Regional Technical College students will receive equal consideration as other students seeking admission and financial aid. The bachelor's degree graduation requirements for students who follow this articulated program agreement are listed in the applicable Thomas University Catalog. Courses approved for transfer are listed in the attached articulation guide tables.

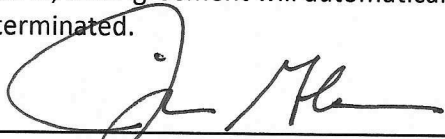
Agreement Requirements

1. Students must complete the specified Associate degree program at Southern Regional Technical College and the program of study for a Bachelor of Science Degree in Medical Laboratory Science at Thomas University as indicated in the articulation guide. Any course substitutions should be made with the guidance of an advisor or counselor to assure that all requirements are met.
2. Transfer students will be required to complete all Thomas University's general education (core) requirements that have not been satisfied in the Articulation Agreement.
3. Only courses with a grade of "C" or better will be accepted for transfer to Thomas University. A course completed with a grade of less than a "C", if counted toward graduation

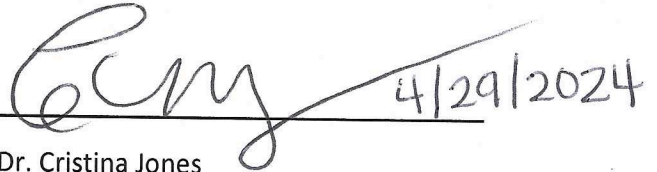
- at Southern Regional Technical College, will not transfer to TU for academic credit and must be repeated if it is a requirement for the Thomas University Bachelor of Science program.
4. Courses accepted for transfer by Thomas University under this agreement shall include all courses listed in Table I: Core Curriculum Transfer Course Equivalents, including courses at the 100 level or higher and BIO101, CHM101, and CHM107 as Core Curriculum Science requirements. These specific courses are guaranteed for transfer; other courses will be considered for transfer toward the degree if they are applicable.
 5. To receive a Thomas University bachelor's degree, students must take 38 hours of major program upper division course work at Thomas University.
 6. Students must present a current valid Medical Laboratory Technology certification before enrollment in a practicum course (MLS 495).
 7. A cumulative college grade point average of 2.75 on a scale of 4.0 is required for acceptance.

Upon completion of these requirements, the student will be awarded the 24 hours of articulated MLT credit.

Term. Both parties understand and agree that this Agreement shall commence on the date signed below, and that the term of this Agreement shall be for one (1) year initially. Following the initial term, this Agreement will automatically renew for additional one (1) year terms unless otherwise terminated.



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President
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Articulation Guide

TU courses in shaded **BLUE are the remaining courses required for degree at TU**

Table I. Core Curriculum Transfer Course Equivalents

Medical Laboratory Science, BS	Course Transfer from SRTC	Articulated Credit	Credits taken at TU
English Composition (6 hours)			
ENG 101 Composition I (WI)	ENGL 1101	3	
ENG 102 Composition II (WI)			3
Mathematics (6 hours)			
MTH 120 Mathematical modeling or higher	MATH 1111	3	
MTH 250 Introduction to Statistics			3
Creativity (3 hours)			
Choose ONE: ART 210, 212, 250, 270, MUS 291 or 390, THE250	Humanities Elective of choice	3	
Inquiry (3 hours)			
Choose ONE: BUS 205, 215, 290 CRJ 105, 150, 210, 230, 250, 255 EDU 200, PSY125, 201, 205, 230, 265, RHS 220, SOC201, SWK201 GEO201	PSYC1101 Psychology	3	
Required Sciences (20-22 hours)			
BIO 101 Principles of Biology I or equivalent			4
CHM 101 General Chemistry I	CHEM 1151/L	4	
CHM 107 Survey of Organic Chemistry			4
Choose TWO courses below:			
BIO 261 Anatomy and Physiology I	BIOL 2113/L	4	
BIO 262 Anatomy and Physiology II	BIOL 2114/L	4	
BIO 310 Medical Molecular Cell Biology		3	
BIO 312 Medical Genetics		3	
BIO 409 Pathophysiology		3	
CHM 201 Medical Biochemistry		4	
Open Electives (20-22 hours) *MLT Credits over the 24 articulated can be used towards Open Elective.			
CHM 102 General Chemistry II			4
BIOL 2117/L Intro Microbiology		4	
Open Elective	MLBT 1060 Immunohematology	4	

Open Elective	MLBT 1070 Clinical Chemistry	4		
Open Elective	MLBT 1030 Urinalysis/Body Fluids	4		
	Gen Ed Total Credits	40		
MLT Articulated Credit		24		
TU Upper Division Courses				
MLS 350 Orientation to Online MLS				1
MLS 405 Parasitology, Mycology and Virology				3
MLS 411 Clinical Urinalysis and Body Fluids II				3
MLS 414 Immunology and Molecular Diagnostics				3
MLS 421 Clinical Microbiology II				4
MLS 431 Clinical Hematology and Coagulation II				4
MLS 441 Clinical Immunohematology II				4
MLS 451 Clinical Chemistry II				4
MLS 452 Research Methods in Medical Laboratory Science				3
MLS 460 Senior Seminar				3
MLS 470 Medical Laboratory Management				3
MLS 495 Advanced Clinical Practicum OR MLS 496 Advanced Clinical Laboratory Concepts				3
			TU Total Credits	56
Total Credits Required	TU	MLT Artic	Transfer College	Total
	56	24	40	120