

**ADDENDUM TO THE PROGRAM TRANSFER AGREEMENT**  
**Between**  
**Cecil College and Towson University**

This Addendum to the Program Transfer Agreement (“Addendum”), effective on the last date of signature below (“Amendment Effective Date”), is hereby entered into by and between Cecil College, a community college located in North East, Maryland, and Towson University, a four-year public institution located in Towson, Maryland, each a “Party” and collectively the “Parties.”

WHEREAS the Parties previously entered into a Program Transfer Agreement dated August 21, 2023 (“Existing Agreement”); and

WHEREAS, both Parties desire to revise the courses outlined in the articulation (course equivalency) document, for completion of the requirements for Towson University’s Bachelor of Science degree in Sociology-Anthropology, Criminal Justice Concentration (Attachment A) under the terms of the Existing Agreement.

NOW, THEREFORE, both Parties agree to the changes in Attachment A (enclosed).

All other terms and conditions of the Existing Agreement shall remain unchanged and are in full force and effect.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the respective Parties hereto agree to the terms of and have executed this Addendum by their duly authorized officers on the date appearing below their signatures.

**CECIL COLLEGE AND TOWSON UNIVERSITY**



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**Dr. Christy Dryer**  
Vice President  
Academic Programs

Date:   3/1/2024  



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**Dr. Melanie Perreault**  
Provost and Executive Vice President for  
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Date:   3/7/24

## 2+2 Articulation Agreement for Cecil College and Towson University

**Associate's Degree:** A.A.S. in Criminal Justice

**Bachelor's Degree:** B.S. in Sociology-Anthropology, Criminal Justice Concentration

**Effective Term:** Spring 2024

### Section 1: Course Completion Plan for Cecil College

This section outlines the courses to satisfy Cecil College (Cecil) general education and program requirements in order to complete both Cecil and Towson University (TU) degrees within a total of four years and earn the minimum required 120 units/credits.<sup>1</sup> The following tables do not include any nontransferable or prerequisite coursework outside of the curriculum.

**Table 1: Cecil General Education Courses Applied to TU Core Curriculum**

Cecil Requirement	Cecil Course to Take	Credits	TU Equivalent Course
English Composition	EGL 101 College Composition (E)	3	ENGL 102 Writing for a Liberal Education
Mathematics	MAT 127 Introduction to Statistics (M)	4	MATH 231 Basic Statistics
Arts & Humanities	HST 202 United States History II (H)	3	HIST 146 History of the United States Since the Civil War
Arts & Humanities	SPH 141 Public Speaking (H)	3	COMM 131 Public Speaking
Social & Behavioral Sciences	PSY 101 Introduction to Psychology (SS)	3	PSYC 101 Introduction to Psychology
Social & Behavioral Sciences	SOC 101 Introduction to Sociology (SS)	3	SOCI 101 Introduction to Sociology
Biological & Physical Sciences	Any General Education BIO, CHM, or PHY course with a lab (S/SL)	4	Equivalency will vary by course
General Education Requirement	SPN 101 Introductory Spanish (H)	3	SPAN 101 Spanish Elements I

**Cecil general education credits: 26**

<sup>1</sup> Note that Cecil College awards academic “credit” for its courses, whereas Towson University uses the term “unit” in reference to the credit hour weighting assigned to its undergraduate courses. For the purposes of this articulation agreement, the terms “credit” and “unit” are interchangeable.

Table 2: Cecil Program Requirements and Electives Applied to TU Degree

Cecil Requirement	Cecil Course to Take	Credits	TU Equivalent Course
Program Requirement	CRJ 101 Introduction to the Criminal Justice System	3	CRMJ 254 Introduction to Criminal Justice
Program Requirement	CRJ 111 Police and Society	3	CRMJ TLL Criminal Justice Lower-Level Elective
Program Requirement	CRJ 133 Forensic Tech in Crime Scene Investigation	3	CRMJ TLL Criminal Justice Lower-Level Elective
Program Requirement	CRJ 201 Criminal Investigation	3	CRMJ TLL Criminal Justice Lower-Level Elective
Program Requirement	CRJ 205 Criminal Law	3	CRMJ TLL Criminal Justice Lower-Level Elective
Program Requirement	CRJ 208 Ethics in Criminal Justice	3	CRMJ TLL Criminal Justice Lower-Level Elective
Program Requirement	CRJ 214 Delinquency and Juvenile Justice	3	CRMJ T55 Delinquency & Juvenile Justice
Program Requirement	CRJ 221 Criminology	3	CRMJ 201 Introduction to Criminology
Program Requirement	CRJ 230 Professional Issues in Criminal Justice	3	CRMJ TLL Criminal Justice Lower-Level Elective
Program Requirement	CRJ 299 Cooperative Education Experience in Criminal Justice	3	CRMJ TLL Criminal Justice Lower-Level Elective
Program Requirement	EGL 211 Technical Writing	3	ENGL TLL English Lower-Level Elective
Program Elective	Choose one of the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ PED 196 Tennis I</li> <li>▪ PED 104 Introduction to Walking for Fitness</li> <li>▪ PED 106 Running for Fun and Fitness</li> <li>▪ PED 169 T'ai Chi Ch'uan</li> </ul>	1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ PHEA TLL Physical Education Lower-Level Elective</li> <li>▪ PHEA TLL Physical Education Lower-Level Elective</li> <li>▪ PHEA TLL Lower-Level Physical Education Elective</li> <li>▪ PHEA TLL Physical Education Lower-Level Elective</li> </ul>

- Cecil program requirements and elective credits applied to the TU degree: 34 credits

- **Total Cecil credits applied to the TU Core Curriculum to fulfill TU general education requirements: 26 credits (includes courses taken at Cecil to meet general education requirements [see Table 1] and program requirements [see Table 2] for the A.A.S. degree)**
- **Total Cecil credits transferred to TU: 60-64**

While Cecil's A.A.S. degree in Criminal Justice is 60 credits, Cecil students may transfer a maximum of 64 credits toward TU's B.S. degree in Sociology-Anthropology, Criminal Justice Concentration. The application of these additional credits beyond the 60-credit standard will be determined by TU on an individual case-by-case basis. If students do not adhere to the courses outlined above in Tables 1 and 2, they are not guaranteed completion of the bachelor's degree in two years. Refer to section 2 for specific course details and transfer planning information.

## **Section 2: Cecil Course Selection & Transfer Details**

This section explains any specific course selections made in section 1 and provides transfer planning guidance specific to this degree plan. Students must follow the course selections outlined in this document. If students do not complete all of the courses outlined in this agreement, they will be required to complete the outstanding requirements at TU.

### **GENERAL EDUCATION**

The following information explains the transfer of students' general education courses:

- Students entering into this agreement will need to complete five Core Curriculum requirements at TU: Biological and Physical Sciences with or without Lab (Core 8), Advanced Writing Seminar (Core 9), Global Perspectives (Core 12), Diversity and Difference (Core 13), and Ethical Perspectives (Core 14).

### **LOWER-LEVEL EQUIVALENTS OF UPPER-LEVEL COURSES**

A course number beginning with T or F indicates that it is a lower-level equivalent of an upper-level TU course. **CRMJ T55 Delinquency and Juvenile Justice** will satisfy a major requirement but will not count toward the TU degree requirement for 32 upper-level units.

## **Section 3: Degree Requirements to be Completed at TU**

This section outlines the degree requirements for students transferring into the B.S. in Sociology-Anthropology, Criminal Justice Concentration. Refer to section 4 for additional major requirements, recommendations, and university-wide degree requirements.

### **CORE CURRICULUM REQUIREMENTS: 15-16 UNITS**

Core 8 Biological and Physical Sciences (3-4 units)

Core 9 Advanced Writing Seminar (3 units) (this may be satisfied by selecting SOCI 300 Sociological Analysis in the major)

Core 12 Global Perspectives (3 units)

Core 13 Diversity & Difference (3 units)

Core 14 Ethical Perspectives (3 units)

**PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS: 6 UNITS**

CRMJ 353 Theories of Crime (3 units)

Select one of the following for 3 units:

- ANTH 380 Ethnographic Field Methods
- ANTH 382 Visual Anthropology
- CRMJ 368 Research Methods in Criminal Justice
- SOCI 300 Sociological Analysis (this may be counted above in the Core Curriculum requirements)
- SOCI 391 Research Methods

**UPPER-LEVEL REQUIRED AREAS: 18-21 UNITS**

Select six courses in total, with at least one in each area:

Social Control: Reactions to Crime (Choose at least one course in this topic)

- CRMJ 307 Issues in Domestic Violence (3 units)
- CRMJ 311 Crime and Punishment Cross-Nationally (3 units)
- CRMJ 313 Biocrime and Security (3 units)
- CRMJ 315 Mental Health, Crime, and Criminal Justice (3 units)
- CRMJ 317 Justice and Crime (3 units)
- CRMJ 331 Criminal Justice and Media (3 units)
- CRMJ 337 Controversies in Criminal Justice (3 units)
- CRMJ 352 Community Corrections (3 units)
- CRMJ 365 Prisons in America (3 units)
- CRMJ 369 Queer Issues in Crime and Justice (3 units)
- CRMJ 375 Topics in Criminal Justice (3 units)
- CRMJ 385 Police Administration (3 units)
- CRMJ 387 Issues in Policing (3 units)
- CRMJ 498 Honors Readings in Criminal Justice (4 units)
- SOCI 383 Sociology of Law (3 units)

Criminal Justice Practice (Choose at least one course in this topic)

- ANTH 357 Introduction to Forensic Crime Analysis (3 units)
- CRMJ 332 Conflict Resolution and Criminal Justice (3 units)
- CRMJ 333 Restorative Justice (3 units)
- CRMJ 370 Topics in Criminology (3 units)
- CRMJ 375 Topics in Criminal Justice (3 units)

- CRMJ 383 Principles of Criminal Investigations (3 units)
- CRMJ 384 Advanced Criminal Law (3 units)
- CRMJ 393 Ethics in Criminal Justice (3 units)
- CRMJ 498 Honors Readings in Criminal Justice (4 units)

Criminology: Nature of Crime (Choose at least one course in this topic)

- CRMJ 301 Victims and Victim Services (3 units)
- CRMJ 309 Issues in Campus Violence (3 units)
- CRMJ 345 Race, Crime, and Justice (3 units)
- CRMJ 348 Women, Crime, and Justice (3 units)
- CRMJ 351 Communities and Crime (3 units)
- CRMJ 358 Interpersonal Violence (3 units)
- CRMJ 360 Critical Criminology (3 units)
- CRMJ 370 Topics in Criminology (3 units)
- CRMJ 498 Honors Readings in Criminal Justice (4 units)
- SOCI 331 Deviance and Organizations (3 units)
- SOCI 336 Sociology of Mental Illness (3 units)
- SOCI 351 Deviant Behavior (3 units)

### **SOCIOLOGY/ANTHROPOLOGY/OUTSIDE REQUIRED ELECTIVES: 9 UNITS**

Select any three courses from the following; at least two courses must be from Sociology (SOCl) or Anthropology (ANTH). Students have the option to replace one of the Sociology (SOCl) or Anthropology (ANTH) courses with an approved list of Optional Advanced Learning Experience courses.

- ANTH 209 Anthropology of American Culture
- ANTH 211 Honors Anthropology of American Culture
- ANTH 321 Anthropology of Gender
- ANTH 325 Moral Panics
- ANTH 351 Drugs in Global Perspective
- ANTH 368 Globalization in Cross-Cultural Perspective
- HLTH 405 Drugs in our Culture
- PHIL 253 Contemporary Ethical Problems
- PHIL 321 Philosophy of Law
- POSC 375 Public Administration
- POSC 384 Judicial System
- POSC 420 Constitutional Protections: Personal Liberty and The Rights of The Accused
- PSYC 361 Abnormal Psychology
- PSYC 404 Adolescent Psychology

- SOCI 241 Blacks in America: Myths and Reality
- SOCI 243 Sociology of Race, Class, and Gender
- SOCI 249 Social Problems
- SOCI 265 Status, Friendship, Intimacy
- SOCI 301 The Family
- SOCI 311 Individual and Society
- SOCI 312 Sociology of Gender
- SOCI 313 Introduction to Social Psychology
- SOCI 327 Urban Sociology
- SOCI 329 Demography
- SOCI 333 Political Sociology
- SOCI 341 Class, Status and Power
- SOCI 343 Sociology of Race and Ethnicity
- SOCI 362 Work and Occupations
- SOCI 365 Organizations and Society
- SOCI 440 Sociology of Immigration

**GENERAL ELECTIVES: 8-15 UNITS**

The total number of elective units required will be determined by the total units completed within the major. Electives can be additional major electives or courses for personal interests.

## Section 4: Additional Requirements & Recommendations for TU Degree Completion

### ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS FOR SOCIOLOGY-ANTHROPOLOGY, CRIMINAL JUSTICE CONCENTRATION

- Criminal Justice Concentration requires a minimum of 45 units, of which 24 must be upper (300-400) level.
- A minimum of 27 of the required total units in the Criminal Justice Concentration must be earned at TU.
- Students may replace a Sociology or Anthropology elective with an approved Optional Advanced Learning Experience Course. You may find a list of approved Optional Advanced Learning Experience courses in TU's most recent Course Catalog.

### BACHELOR'S DEGREE REQUIREMENTS FOR ALL STUDENTS

- A grade C (2.0 GPA) or higher is required in all major courses and prerequisites.
- A cumulative GPA of 2.0 is required.
- 32 units of the bachelor's degree must be completed at the upper level (courses numbered 300 or above).

### Degree Completion Summary

<b>Total Units Required for TU B.S. in Sociology-Anthropology, Criminal Justice Concentration</b>	<b>120 UNITS</b>
<b>Cecil A.A.S. Degree in Criminal Justice</b>	<b>60</b>
<b>Completion of Core Curriculum at TU</b>	<b>15-16*</b>
<b>Sociology-Anthropology, Criminal Justice Concentration Required Coursework at TU</b>	<b>30-36*</b>
<b>General Electives Taken at TU</b>	<b>8-15</b>

*\*Students may choose to fulfill three units of the Core Curriculum requirement for Core 9 by taking SOCI 300 Sociological Analysis, which could count towards the required coursework for the Sociology-Anthropology, Criminal Justice Concentration, but would not be counted in the unit total for the required coursework for the Criminal Justice Concentration in the above table. The Sociology-Anthropology, Criminal Justice Concentration at TU requires a minimum of 120 units for degree completion.*