

# **ARTICULATION AGREEMENT**

## **BETWEEN**

**PAUL SMITH'S COLLEGE**  
**Fisheries and Wildlife Sciences, B.S.**

**AND**  
**SUNY CANTON**

**Liberal Arts: General Studies A.A., *or* A.S.**

### **I. Introduction**

This agreement establishes procedures to ensure admission of qualified transfer students from SUNY Canton into Paul Smith's College. Students are expected to follow application procedures as outlined in the current catalog of Paul Smith's College.

### **II. Objectives of the Agreement**

1. To attract qualified students to Paul Smith's College and to SUNY Canton.
2. To promote efficient transfer of qualified graduates from SUNY Canton to Paul Smith's College.
3. To provide specific information to students who wish to pursue a baccalaureate degree in Fisheries and Wildlife Sciences.
4. To facilitate communication and academic coordination between faculty, students, and administrators at each institution.

### **III. Terms of the Agreement**

1. Students from SUNY Canton completing one of the degrees listed above who
  - a. meet a minimum cumulative grade point average of 2.0 on a 4.0 scale for all completed college level courses at SUNY Canton
  - b. fulfill requirements as indicated on the attached plan sheet
  - c. receive a 2.0 ( C ) or above grade in all required courses transferred into the program will be accepted into the B.S. program in Fisheries and Wildlife Sciences.
2. Students who do not meet the requirements of this agreement will also be considered for admission. They will be evaluated on an individual basis.

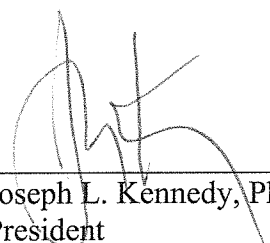
3. Both Paul Smith's College and SUNY Canton agree to encourage qualified students to participate by providing information and assistance to prospective transfer students.

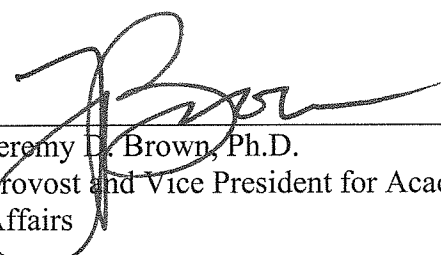
IV. Period of Agreement

This agreement will become effective immediately and shall be reviewed every two years, or when substantive changes are made in the curriculum on either campus. Both Paul Smith's College and SUNY Canton reserve the right to withdraw from the agreement by submitting written notice of intent at least four (4) months prior to the start of the academic year.

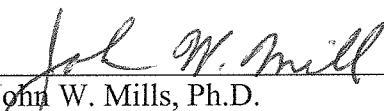
V. Signatures to this Agreement

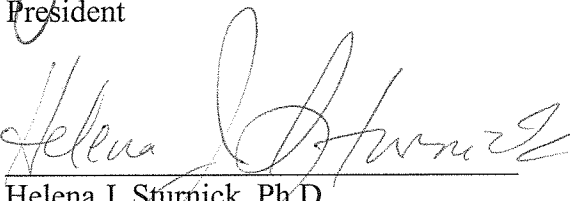
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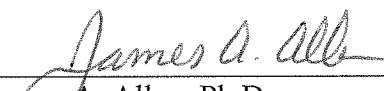
  
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Joseph L. Kennedy, Ph.D.  
President

  
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Jeremy D. Brown, Ph.D.  
Provost and Vice President for Academic  
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For Paul Smith's College

  
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Helena J. Sturnick, Ph.D.  
Interim Provost

  
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James A. Allen, Ph.D.  
Dean of Forestry, Natural Resources, and  
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Date 12-3-04

Date 11/15/2004

## FISHERIES AND WILDLIFE SCIENCES

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English Composition 132	3 credits	English/Humanities: ENGL 201 Writing in the Arts and Sciences	3 credits
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Statistics 235	3 credits	General Elective: MATH 141 Statistics	3 credits
(credit for Statistics 235 prevents enrollment in Statistics 245.)			
Mircoeconomics 231 <i>or</i> Macroeconomics 232	3 credits	Social Science Elective: ECON 101 Principles of Macroeconomics <i>or</i> ECON 103 Principles of Microeconomics	3 credits
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Physics 241 (or Technical Physics 142)	4 credits	General Elective: PHYS 103 College Physics I	4 credits
Speech 132	3 credits	English/Humanities: SPCH 104 Introduction to Speech	3 credits
Technical Communications 231	3 credits		
<u>General Electives</u>	15-17 credits	<u>Courses transferred as general electives:</u>	
		English/Humanities: Literature course	3 credits
		Social Science Electives	6 credits
		General Electives	6 credits
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To obtain the Fisheries and Wildlife Sciences B.S. degree, a student must complete at least 120 credits.

The Paul Smith's College requirements for the Fisheries and Wildlife Sciences, B.S. degree include, (credits completed at SUNY Canton in parentheses):

26-27 credits in the college core courses (completed: 27 credits).  
47 credits in program requirement courses (15 credits completed).  
18-21 credits in concentration requirements (0 credits completed).  
12-18 credits in concentration electives (0 credits completed).  
15-17 credits in general electives (completed: 18-19 credits).

All 100-200 level requirements have been satisfied, except for: a forest soils course, an introductory fisheries and wildlife course, an ecology course, an organic chemistry course, and a technical communications course. The SUNY Canton Liberal Arts: General Studies A.A., A.S. student can complete these requirements at Paul Smith's College and still begin his/her Paul Smith's College career at full junior status.

During the student's junior and senior years at Paul Smith's College, the student can expect to take 32 credits in program requirements, (including Introduction to Fisheries and Wildlife 131, Forest Soils 231, and a technical communications course, Organic Chemistry 241, and Ecology 231) 18-21 credits in concentration requirements, and 12-18 credits in concentration electives, with a minimum of 62 credits total.

Furthermore, a minimum of 60 credits shall be in the liberal arts and sciences, and 45 credits must be at the 300-400 upper division level. The SUNY Canton ***Liberal Arts: General Studies A.A.*** student enters Paul Smith's College with ***55-61*** credits toward the liberal arts and science requirement, depending on his/her choices for the 6 credits of general electives listed under "Courses Transferred As Electives" on the appropriate table above. The SUNY Canton ***Liberal Arts: General Studies A.S.*** student enters Paul Smith's College with ***49-61*** credits toward the liberal arts and science requirement, depending on his/her choices for the 12 credits of general electives listed under "Courses Transferred As Electives" on the appropriate table above.