

Appendix B: Articulation Agreement for Undergraduate Degree

Degree Programs (CC & University): AAS Accounting – Gaston College
 BSBA Accounting - Western Carolina University

This articulation agreement between Gaston College and Western Carolina University (WCU) allows graduates of the Associates in Applied Science degree in Accounting program at Gaston College to transfer credit towards a BSBA in Accounting program at WCU. Upon transfer to WCU, students from Gaston College must comply with all applicable Academic Regulations as listed in *The Record*, The WCU Undergraduate Catalog.

Partner Institutions and Contact Information

| Institution | Contact Person | Email or phone |
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Notes:

1. If 15.1 or more hours are transferred to WCU the first semester, WCU's First Year Seminar is waived.
2. Students who complete an Associate of Applied Science degree will have remaining Liberal Studies courses to take at Western Carolina University.
3. Total hours required for a BSBA in Accounting at Western Carolina University is 120 hours.

Liberal Studies/General Education Requirements:

| WCU Requirement | Partner Institution Equivalent |
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| First Year Seminar (see note #1 above) | Waived |
| C1 ENGL 101 (3 hrs.) | ENG 111 |
| C1 ENGL 202 (3 hrs.) | ENG 112 or 113 or 114 |
| C2 Mathematics (3 hrs.) | MAT 151 |
| C3 Oral Communication (3 hrs.) | |
| C4 Wellness (3 hrs.) | |
| C5 Physical & Biological Sciences (3 hrs.) | * |
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| P1 Social Sciences (3 hrs.) | BUS 110 |
| P1 Social Sciences (3 hrs.) | ECO 251 |
| P3 History (3 hrs.) | Humanities course that can transfer to WCU as a perspectives (P3 through P6). (See list at http://www.wcu.edu/24847.asp)** |
| P4 Humanities (3 hrs.) | |
| P5 Fine and Performing Arts (3 hrs.) | |
| P6 World Cultures (3 hrs.) | |
| C=Core category of Liberal Studies Program P= Perspectives category of Liberal Studies Program *sciences must be from two different disciplines ** one perspective must be at the 300 or 400 level | |

Major Requirements (courses)

| WCU Requirement | Partner Institution Equivalent |
|-------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| MATH 170 (satisfies C2) | MAT 151 |
| ACCT 251 | ACC 120 |
| ACCT 252 | ACC 121 |
| ECON 231 (satisfies P1) | ECO 251 |
| ECON 232 | ECO 252 |
| CIS 251 | |
| LAW 230 | BUS 115 |
| MKT 201 | |
| FIN 305 | |
| MGT 300 | |
| QA 305 | |
| MGT 404 | |
| ACCT 275 | ACC 220 |
| ACCT 352 | |
| ACCT 355 | |
| ACCT 356 | |
| ACCT 365 | |
| ACCT 454 | |
| ACCT 495 | |

Other requirements needed to complete the degree program.

30 hours of general electives

Semester Plan for Degree Program

Please indicate which courses are to be taken at the relative institutions.

| FALL | SPRING | SUMMER |
|--|--|---|
| 1 st Semester (Gaston) ACC 120 BUS 115 CIS 110* ENG 111 Humanities Elective*** | 2 nd Semester (Gaston) ACC 121 ACC 129* ACC 149* ENG 112 or 113 or 114 MAT 151 | 3 rd Semester (Gaston) ACC 122* ACC 140* |
| 4 th Semester (Gaston) ACC 130* ACC 150* ACC 220 ACC 225* ECO 251 | 5 th Semester (Gaston) ACC 221** ACC 269* Social Science Elective(ECO 252) Business/COE Elective(BUS 110) Business/COE Elective* | |
| 6 th Semester (WCU) ACCT 356 CIS 251 COMM 201 FIN 305 MKT 201 | 7 th Semester (WCU) ACCT 352 ACCT 365 MGT 300 Wellness (C4) Perspectives (P3,P4,P5 or P6)*** | |
| 8 th Semester (WCU) ACCT 454 ACCT 355 QA 305 Science (C5) Perspectives (P3,P4,P5 or P6)*** | 9 th Semester (WCU) ACCT 495 MGT 404 Science (C5) Perspectives (P3,P4,P5 or P6)*** | |

* Count as general electives (30 hours) at WCU.

**Although this course counts towards the Gaston College degree, these 4 hours will be extra hours at WCU

*** Must take one class per perspective (P3, P4, P5, and P6). One of these classes must be an upper level course taken at WCU.