

**ARTICULATION AGREEMENT  
BETWEEN  
DISTRICT BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF BROWARD COLLEGE, FL  
AND  
ALBIZU UNIVERSITY**

**I. Parties**

This Articulation Agreement (“Agreement”) is made by and between The District Board of Trustees of Broward College, Florida, (“BC”), located at 111 East Las Olas Boulevard, Fort Lauderdale, Florida 33301 and Albizu University (“AU”) Miami Campus, located at 2173 NW 99<sup>th</sup> Avenue, Doral, Florida 33172. Collectively, both Broward College and Albizu University shall be referred to as the “Parties.”

**II. Purpose**

The purpose of this Agreement is to establish a partnership that will facilitate the transfer of Broward College students graduating with an Associate in Science (AS) degree to the AU Bachelor of Science in Psychology or Criminal Justice and/or to the Bachelor of Arts in Education programs. Additionally, those students graduating with a Bachelor's degree in Education may transfer to the MS in Exceptional Student Education or TESOL (Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages) programs. The AU undergraduate psychology or criminal justice curricula will prepare students for entry into a graduate program or the workplace by emphasizing ethics, advanced research, critical thinking, applied best practices, and other significant areas of the fields.

**III. Provisions**

- A. AU guarantees the acceptance of students who complete the Broward College AS degree in psychology or Criminal Justice programs of study, with an overall GPA of 2.0 or better to the Bachelor of Science in Psychology or Criminal Justice programs at AU, provided such students timely and satisfactorily complete the AU application process.
- B. AU guarantees the transfer of credit for classes taken at Broward College, as long as the students passed each class with a grade of C or higher. Students must complete the AS degree to be eligible to transfer to AU under the terms of this Agreement.
- C. AU will accept up to 60 credits in transfer from Broward College, and students will enter the baccalaureate program with junior standing, provided they meet the requirements specified above.
- D. AU will accept the Bachelor's Degree from Broward College as a pre-requisite for admission in either of the Master of Science in Education (ESE or TESOL) degree programs.
- E. Broward College students successfully transferring to AU under the terms of this Agreement will receive a 20 percent (20%) tuition discount.
- F. Broward College students will have the opportunity to participate in research activities and to enroll in advanced topics in psychology or criminal justice during their last two semesters at Albizu University.

**IV. Collaboration and Coordination**

- A. During the period of this Agreement, Broward College will:
  - i. Publicize the established Agreement among its faculty and students.



- ii. Make available to students a description of the Albizu University Psychology, Criminal Justice, and Education programs.
- B. During the period of this Agreement, the Parties will:
  - i. Develop activities and strategies to make this Agreement more productive for each institution and their respective student populations.
  - ii. Notify each other concerning any curricular changes which would affect this Agreement, including changes to the content of classes offered by Broward College and Albizu University.

**V. Term, Termination, and Other Provisions**

- A. This Agreement is made effective on the date that both parties have fully executed the Agreement. The term of this Agreement shall be for three (3) years.
- B. Either party may send written notice of terminating the Agreement a minimum of ninety (90) days prior to the effective date of the termination.
- C. Any modification to this Agreement must be made in writing and signed by both parties.

This Agreement between The District Board of Trustees of Broward College, Florida, and Albizu University Miami Campus was executed by the duly authorized representatives of the Parties on this 25th day of August, 2020.

**Authorized Signatures**

**CARLOS ALBIZU UNIVERSITY**

**DISTRICT BOARD OF TRUSTEES  
BROWARD COLLEGE, FLORIDA**

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 Jose Pons Madera, Ph.D.                      Date  
 President

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 Dr. Marielena DeSanctis                      Date  
 Provost and Senior VP of Academic Affairs and  
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