

**PUBLIC SAFETY ADMINISTRATION ARTICULATION AGREEMENT GUIDE**

Washtenaw Community College – **AA in Criminal Justice (AACJ)**  
 Eastern Michigan University – **B.S. in Public Safety Administration**

<b>Washtenaw Community College Courses:</b>	<b>Transfer to Eastern Michigan University as:</b>
<b>Michigan Transfer Agreement (MTA) Requirements (30 credits)</b>	
Students with an MTA endorsement on their community college transcript have satisfied EMU's General Education Core Requirements and will be required to complete only the General Education Application Requirements of one Perspectives on a Diverse World course, one Learning beyond the Classroom experience, and a writing intensive course in the major. <u>Courses listed below for the MTA also satisfy major requirements at WCC and/or EMU.</u> Students who started college before fall 2014 may continue to follow the MACRAO Agreement until the end of summer 2019. A MACRAO version of this articulation guide is available at <a href="http://www.emich.edu/ccr/archartguide_macrao.php">http://www.emich.edu/ccr/archartguide_macrao.php</a> . For courses approved by WCC to satisfy the MTA go to: <a href="http://www.wccnet.edu/services/transferreresources/mta/">http://www.wccnet.edu/services/transferreresources/mta/</a> .	
<b>1. A Course in English Composition</b>	
ENG 111 Composition I .....	4 University Elective ..... 4
<b>2. A Second Course in English Composition or in Communication</b>	
ENG 226 Composition II .....	3 University Elective ..... 3
<b>3. A Course in Mathematics</b>	
MTH 160 Basic Statistics .....	4 University Elective ..... 4
<b>4. Two Courses in Natural Sciences from different disciplines (one lab required)</b>	
Choose from the approved MTA list.....	7-8 University Elective ..... 7-8
<b>5. Two Courses in Humanities from different disciplines</b>	
<sup>1</sup> COM 101 Fund of Speaking.....	3 CTAC 124 Fundamentals of Speech..... 3
Choose from the approved MTA list.....	3 University Elective ..... 3
<b>6. Two Courses in Social Sciences from different disciplines</b>	
PSY 100 Introduction to Psychology .....	3 University Elective ..... 3
<sup>2</sup> Choose a PLS course from the approved MTA list.....	3 University Elective ..... 3
<b>7. If needed, complete additional courses in any category above to satisfy the 30 credit minimum for the MTA.</b>	
<b>WCC Criminal Justice Program Requirements (39 credits)</b>	
<sup>3</sup> CJT 100 Introduction to Criminal Justice.....	3 CRM 300 Criminal Justice (concentration course)..... 3
* CJT 111 Police Community Relations.....	3 CRM 431 Policing in Society ..... 3
Computer & Information Literacy Requirement .....	3 University Elective ..... 3
Arts & Humanities Requirement .....	3 University Elective ..... 3
Criminal Justice Required Courses .....	27 University Electives ..... 27
CJT 120, CJT 160, CJT 208, CJT 209, CJT 223, CJT 224, (CJT 170 or 225); SOC 100; ANT 201	15 credit hours will apply as the Area Concentration 12 credit hours will apply as University Electives
<b>EMU requirements that may be taken at WCC or EMU (22-25 credits)</b>	
<sup>*2</sup> PLS 155 State and Local Government.....	3 PLSC 202 State and Local Government..... 3
<sup>*4</sup> SOC 205 Race and Ethnic Relations .....	3 SOCL 214 US Racial and Cultural Minorities ..... 3
Open Electives .....	16-19 University Electives ..... 16-19
The number of elective credits will vary depending on the courses completed for the MTA, and whether PLSC 488 or another LBC course is taken at EMU. See the Public Safety Administration Program Coordinator to determine how many elective credits may be applied to the program at EMU. Although a minor is not required for the Public Safety Administration program, students may consult with the program advisor about the possibility of completing a minor by combining elective credits from WCC and EMU. Possible minors include Political Science, Public Law & Government, Health Administration, Urban & Regional Planning, Communications, Nonprofit Administration, or African American Studies.	
<b>Credits at WCC: .....</b>	<b>91-94 Credits that apply to EMU's program .... 91-94</b>

<sup>\*</sup> Required for EMU's Public Safety Administration program. If not transferred, must be completed at EMU.  
<sup>1</sup> Prerequisite for CTAC 352 or CTAC 354 at EMU. If not transferred, must be completed at EMU.  
<sup>2</sup> Six hours of Political Science courses, below the 300 level, is required as prerequisite for PLSC major courses at EMU.  
<sup>3</sup> Applies to the Public Safety Administration Area of Concentration and is prerequisite for CRM 431  
<sup>4</sup> Satisfies EMU's Perspectives on a Diverse World requirement

**Sign up with us: If you let us know you are using this articulation agreement we can stay in touch with you and provide information and advising to you while you are still at your community college. Sign up at: [www.emich.edu/ccr/trackingsystem/Enter.php](http://www.emich.edu/ccr/trackingsystem/Enter.php)**

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**Completion of the Public Safety Administration Program at EMU**

**Major Requirements (30-33 credits)**

**Foundation Courses: (6 credits)**

- PLSC 305 Law & Policy in a Constitutional Democracy ..... 3
- Choose one course: ..... 3
  - CTAC 352 Communication in Negotiation
  - CTAC 354 Organizational Communication

*The following Foundation courses must be transferred from HFC or completed at EMU: SOCL 214 (SOC 205 at WCC) and PLSC 202 (PLS 155 at WCC)*

**Administration Group: (21 credits)**

- PLSC 270 Public Administration ..... 3
- PLSC 332 Collaborations in the Public & Nonprofit Sect ..... 3
- PLSC 334 Public and Nonprofit Personnel Admin ..... 3
- PLSC 352 Politics of Public and Nonprofit Budgeting ..... 3
- PLSC 431W Theories of Public and Nonprofit Organization ..... 3
- PLSC 450 Managing Public Safety Agencies ..... 3
- PLSC 451 Seminar in Public Safety Admin ..... 3

**Area of Concentration:**

An 18 credit hour Area of Concentration is required. If not transferred from an approved WCC program, courses must be selected from the approved list of concentration courses at EMU.

**Academy or Internship/Co-op: (3-6 credits)**

- <sup>1</sup> PLSC 488L4 Internship in Political Sci/Public Admin ..... 3-6
- Students who have completed an academy may substitute their academy/internship experience for PLSC 488, but will have to complete an LBC course or experience or 3 credits to satisfy the 30 credit minimum at EMU.*

**Credits at EMU: ..... 30-33**

**Transfer Credits: ..... 91-94**

**Minimum Credits to Graduate: ..... 124**

<sup>1</sup> Satisfies the LBC graduation requirement.

*NOTE: If sufficient credits are not transferred, additional credits must be completed at EMU to satisfy the minimum total of 124 credits for a bachelor's degree.*

**Sample Sequence for completing the program:**

*Courses are not offered every semester, consult the program advisor to develop a program of study.*

*The following prerequisite courses must be transferred or completed at EMU before beginning the sequence:*

*CTAC24 (COM 101 at WCC) is prerequisite to CTAC 352 & 354)*

*Six hours of PLSC courses below 300 (PLS at WCC) is prerequisite for the administrative group courses.*

**Fall Start**

**Fall Semester (12 credits)**

- CTAC 352 or CTAC 354 ..... 3
- PLSC 270 Public Administration ..... 3
- PLSC 305 Law & Policy in a Constitutional Democracy ..... 3
- PLSC 332 Collaborations in the Public & Nonprofit Sect ..... 3

**Winter Semester (12 credits)**

- PLSC 334 Public and Nonprofit Personnel Admin ..... 3
- PLSC 352 Politics of Public and Nonprofit Budgeting ..... 3
- PLSC 431W Theories of Public & Nonprofit Organization ..... 3
- PLSC 451 Seminar in Public Safety Admin ..... 3

**Fall Semester (6-9 credits)**

- PLSC 450 Managing Public Safety Agencies ..... 3
- PLSC 488L Internship (6) or LBC experience or elective ..... 3-6

**Winter Start**

**Winter Semester (9 credits)**

- CTAC 352 or CTAC 354 ..... 3
- PLSC 270 Public Administration ..... 3
- PLSC 334 Public and Nonprofit Personnel Admin ..... 3

**Fall Semester (9 credits)**

- PLSC 305 Law & Policy in a Constitutional Democracy ..... 3
- PLSC 332 Collaborations in the Public & Nonprofit Sect ..... 3
- PLSC 352 Politics of Public and Nonprofit Budgeting ..... 3

**Winter Semester (6 credits)**

- PLSC 431W Theories of Public & Nonprofit Organization ..... 3
- PLSC 451 Seminar in Public Safety Admin ..... 3

**Fall Semester (6-9 credits)**

- PLSC 450 Managing Public Safety Agencies ..... 3
- PLSC 488L Internship (6) or LBC experience or elective ..... 3-6

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### Additional Information:

1. Each institution will determine the satisfaction of their individual program and degree requirements. For the purpose of this articulation agreement, both institutions agree to accept transferrable courses from each other and from other regionally accredited institutions. WCC courses indicated with an \* are required for EMU's Public Safety Administration program. Substitutions for these courses must be approved by the EMU program coordinator.
2. Students with the MTA endorsement on their community college transcript have satisfied EMU's General Education Core Requirements and will be required to complete only the General Education Application Requirements of one Perspectives on a Diverse World course, one Learning beyond the Classroom experience, and a Writing Intensive course in the major. The Perspectives on a Diverse World requirement may be satisfied at the community college as part of the MTA requirements.  
*To use the Michigan Transfer Agreement (MTA), students must have an official community college transcript, with the "MTA Satisfied" endorsement sent to EMU's Admissions Office. Students who do not have "MTA Satisfied" on their community college transcript, will be required to satisfy EMU's general education requirements as listed in the Undergraduate Catalog. The MTA may be completed after admission to EMU, however, students should inform advisors or they may be advised to complete additional courses for the general education program. Students who enrolled in college prior to September 2014 have until the end of August 2019 to complete the MACRAO agreement. If already on the transcript, the MACRAO designation will be accepted at EMU after August 2019.*
3. Only courses with a grade of "C" or better (2.0 on a 4.0 scale) will be accepted for transfer to either institution.
4. Under this agreement, EMU will waive the 60-hour rule and require that a minimum of 30 credit hours must be completed in EMU courses, 15 hours of which must be in major/program requirements at the 300-level or above. Of the last 30 hours completed before graduation, a minimum of 10 hours must be in courses offered by EMU. A minimum of 124 credit hours, completed in-residence or accepted in transfer, is required for graduation.
5. Students must satisfy all admission requirements at the time of admission to EMU, including submitting transcripts from all previously attended colleges. WCC students will receive equal consideration with other students seeking admission and financial aid.
6. Students are encouraged to meet with the EMU Public Safety Administration Adviser before completing an admission application to EMU. To facilitate advising and the evaluation of transcripts, sign up for this articulation agreement using this link [www.emich.edu/ccr/trackingssystem/Enter.php](http://www.emich.edu/ccr/trackingssystem/Enter.php), and bring a copy of this articulation guide to all advising sessions.

### Effective Dates: January 1, 2017 until January 1, 2020.

If this agreement is not renewed at the end of the effective period, students will have an additional three years to be admitted to EMU under the terms of the agreement. Students who began the program prior to the effective period may use this agreement to the extent that courses completed are consistent with the agreement.

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