PROGRAM ARTICULATION AGREEMENT

BETWEEN

COLLEGE OF LAKE COUNTY
GRAYSLAKE, IL

AND

SOUTHERN ILLINOIS UNIVERSITY CARBONDALE
CARBONDALE, IL

In an effort to provide a continued, articulated higher education baccalaureate degree program that will build on community college and university learning experiences, and also eliminate duplication of instruction, this agreement is entered into this 1st day of July, 2018 (Effective Date) by and between College of Lake County and the Board of Trustees of Southern Illinois University on behalf of Southern Illinois University Carbondale.

I. TERM AND TERMINATION

A. Term. This Agreement shall commence as of the Effective Date (or if no Effective Date is indicated upon the date the Agreement is fully executed by the Parties) and shall remain in effect for a period of five (5) years thereafter. The Parties may renew or extend this Agreement only by written instrument signed by the authorized representatives of each Party.

B. Termination. This Agreement may be terminated by either Party, with or without cause, upon 60 days advance written notice. The Parties agree that no additional students shall be accepted into the program after a Party’s receipt of any written notice of termination. No qualified student then-enrolled in the program shall be deprived the opportunity to complete the program requirements solely due to termination.

II. TRANSFER REQUIREMENTS

A. All graduates of College of Lake County with an Associate in Applied Science (A.A.S.) degree in Mechanical Engineering Technology and meeting SIU Carbondale admission requirements will be considered for admission into SIU Carbondale’s Bachelor of Science (B.S.) degree in Industrial Management and
• MET 215-5, *Machine Design*
• MET 216-3, *Applied Finite Element Analysis*
• MTH 123-3, *Trigonometry*
• MTT 111-3, *Machine Shop I* -or- MTT 112-3, *Machining Principles*
• PHY 121-5, *General Physics I*
• IAI HUMANITIES or FINE ARTS - 3 hours

C. Acceptance into the Capstone Option reduces the University Core Curriculum for the A.A.S. degree recipient in Mechanical Engineering Technology at College of Lake County pursuing the B.S. in Industrial Management and Applied Engineering (IMAE) at SIU Carbondale to 30 semester hours. This, along with taking the courses listed above as part of the A.A.S. degree makes it possible for the student to complete the B.S. in Industrial Management and Applied Engineering (IMAE) at SIU Carbondale in approximately 61 additional semester hours beyond the A.A.S. degree.

D. College of Lake County students transferring to the Industrial Management and Applied Engineering (IMAE) baccalaureate degree program at SIU Carbondale who have not completed all of his or her Associate in Applied Science degree requirements at College of Lake County will have their related coursework evaluated on a course-by-course basis by the appropriate SIU Carbondale department. These students will also not be eligible to receive the Capstone Option benefits and will be considered based upon the Department’s enrollment criteria and space availability.

E. Students will be required to complete a minimum of 42 senior institution hours at the 300-400 course level, with the last 30 such senior institution hours being at SIU Carbondale for residency purposes. Those students enrolled in an approved program delivered by SIU Carbondale Extended Campus will have completed the residency requirement for the University upon completion of all courses required by the program. All students will be required to complete at least 120 hours with an overall GPA of 2.0 on a 4.0 scale to receive a Bachelor of Science degree in Industrial Management and Applied Engineering (IMAE). Coursework may include University Core Curriculum as well as Industrial Management and Applied Engineering major courses.
D. Permit students to enroll concurrently at SIU Carbondale and College of Lake County to complete a degree.

V. PROGRAM ARTICULATION COMMUNICATION

A. An SIU Carbondale College of Engineering, Industrial Management and Applied Engineering representative will communicate periodically with College of Lake County personnel in Mechanical Engineering Technology for general advisement and degree planning purposes.

B. Upon successful completion of all degree requirements, and following all policies and regulations stated in the program and SIU Carbondale guidelines, College of Lake County students will be eligible to receive the Bachelor of Science degree in Industrial Management and Applied Engineering (IMAE), College of Engineering, Southern Illinois University Carbondale.

C. Should changes occur in course or program content, the institution making the change agrees to notify the other institution in writing so that this agreement can be re-evaluated. Notice of changes shall be given at least 45 days prior to the beginning of the semester when the change is implemented.

D. The parties acknowledge that many student educational records are protected by the Family Education Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA) and that the written authorization of student(s) must be obtained before student data can be released to anyone. The parties agree that access to and release of student records shall be in accordance with FERPA.

E. Indemnification:
   1. To the extent permitted by law and not inconsistent with the doctrine of sovereign immunity, SIU Carbondale shall indemnify and hold harmless College of Lake County, its agents and employees, from any claims, demands, or causes of action arising out of the negligent acts or omissions of SIU Carbondale, its agents or employees, in the performance of SIU Carbondale’s obligations under this Agreement.
   2. To the extent permitted by law, College of Lake County shall indemnify and hold harmless SIU Carbondale, its agents and employees, from any claims, demands, or causes of action arising out of negligent acts or omissions of the College, its agents or employees, in the performance of the College’s obligations under this Agreement.
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have executed this Agreement by their duly authorized, respective officers, and by doing so, hereby affirm that the Agreement is enforceable on behalf of and against each party as of the date written herein.

COLLEGE OF LAKE COUNTY

Karen Havin, Vice President of Student Development
College of Lake County

Date

Christian Roldan-Johnson, Associate Dean of Engineering, Math and Physical Sciences Division
College of Lake County

Date

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Dr. Meera Komaraju, Interim Provost and Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs
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Southern Illinois University Carbondale

Date