

**JOINT ADMISSION 2+2
ARTICULATION AGREEMENT
BETWEEN
HOFSTRA UNIVERSITY
AND
SUFFOLK COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE**



HOFSTRA UNIVERSITY



COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE

The agreement will be effective as of September 1, 2011 and renews automatically. It will be reviewed by both institutions every other year and updated or terminated as determined by either party on six months notice.

Joint Admission 2 + 2 Articulation Agreement
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The Joint Admission 2 + 2 Articulation Agreement is for Suffolk County Community College applicants who plan to complete a four-year degree at Hofstra University after completing an associate degree at Suffolk. Under the terms of the 2 + 2 agreement, students apply to Hofstra at the time they apply to Suffolk.

The agreement provides for careful guidance and a seamless transfer to give those students in the 2 + 2 program who remain in good academic standing and who have earned an AA or AS degree at Suffolk County Community College with a cumulative GPA of at least 2.3 automatic admission to Hofstra University with junior status and the opportunity to complete the baccalaureate degree in two additional years of full time study at Hofstra.

2 + 2 applicants should be academically able first time college students. Students with previous college credit will be considered on a case-by-case basis. Suffolk will provide the names and contact information of the applicants to Hofstra. Hofstra will establish early communication with the students to give them information and guidance. Students who choose joint admission through the 2 + 2 articulation agreement will be able to plan their course of study for an entire four-year program leading to a degree at Hofstra.

Hofstra advisers will provide academic advisement on Suffolk's campus each semester to jointly admitted students. The Hofstra advisers will work in cooperation with Suffolk advisers.

Suffolk County Community College students must complete an AA or AS degree, choosing courses which fulfill the requirements of the Suffolk degree and also satisfy many of Hofstra's general education requirements, as well as requirements applicable toward the Hofstra major. Students who have followed the advisement guidelines will transfer to Hofstra with junior standing and a full complement of credits. The Hofstra application fee will be waived. Students will be assigned a Hofstra support team consisting of a student financial services counselor, an admissions counselor, and an advisement dean.

Each semester Suffolk County Community College will provide Hofstra with current contact information and transcripts for jointly admitted students. Hofstra will evaluate transfer credit on an ongoing basis and maintain communication with the students.

For students who remain in continuous attendance and in good academic standing at Suffolk, the curricular requirements to be followed at Hofstra will be the same as those that were in effect during the first semester of attendance at Suffolk. (If Hofstra's curricular requirements change in a way that would be beneficial to the student, the student may choose to follow the later requirements.) In extenuating circumstances, exceptions to continuous attendance may be made, but a period of non-attendance should not exceed one semester and the student should plan to complete the Suffolk degree within six semesters of

first attending Suffolk. (Exceptions may be limited by accreditation, certification, licensure or special departmental requirements.)

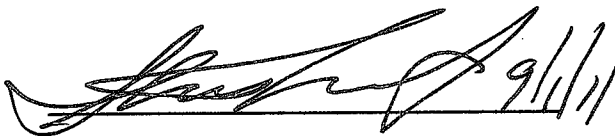
Hofstra's departments will periodically contact jointly admitted students to afford them opportunities to meet faculty and students, participate in departmental activities and, in general, become familiar with Hofstra. Suffolk students will be able to attend Hofstra events at Hofstra student rates.

Hofstra scholarships will be available based on the student's cumulative GPA at Suffolk. The minimum range of these scholarships will be provided. In addition, the Hofstra transfer scholarship will be enhanced by an additional annual award of \$1000.

Both Suffolk and Hofstra will advertise the availability, benefits and conditions of the joint admission 2 + 2 articulation agreement.

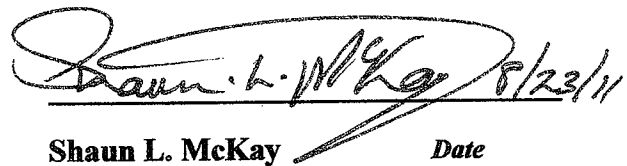
For Hofstra University:

For Suffolk County Community College:



Stuart Rabinowitz
President

Date



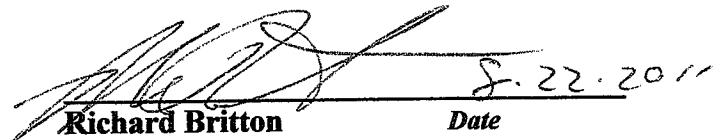
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