

Articulation Agreement

Institution: Bristol Community College

Date: updated Fall 07

Transfer Institution: FINE Mortuary College, LLC:

A Private Two-Year College (FINE)

Summary of Benefits

- Guaranteed transfer of Thanatology credits

BCC: Thanatology Certificate	CR	FINE: Funeral Service	CR
Program Courses			
ENG 11 College Writing	3	Waives English Basic Skills Assessment	
Elective Students transferring to Fine should take BIO 11 General Biology I or BIO 21 Fundamentals of Biological Science	3	PS 101 Principles of Science	3
Elective Students transferring to FINE should take ACC 11 Principles of Accounting I	3/4	EB 221 Essentials of Business	3/4
PSY 51 General Psychology	3	SS 101 Introduction to Social Sciences	3
PSY 62 Introduction to Thanatology	3	FP 212 The Funeral Procession	3
PSY 64 Psychology of Grief	3	PS 212 Grief Psychology	3
PSY 66 Introduction to Grief Counseling	3	RF 301 Reflections	3
SOC 57 Social Issues in Loss	3	SE 101 Issues and Concerns- Modern Professionals	3
Other transferable courses accepted and required by Fine Mortuary College;			
MAN 54 Small Business Management	3	BB 101 Business Basics	3
BIO 33 and 34 Human Anatomy I & II	8	NS 201 Understanding the Human Body	8

- **Students who complete the course work listed above will need to take the following courses at Fine Mortuary College, LLC: A Private Two-Year College (FINE) in order to earn their Associate Degree in Applied Science in Funeral Service from FINE and be eligible to take the Funeral Service National Board Exam;**

CM 101 Introductions to Microbiology and Chemistry

EC 212 Embalming Chemistry

FD 221	Funeral Directing
EM 221	Embalming
SP 221	Sanitation, Microbiology and Public Health
CT 230	Current Topics in Funeral Service
RA 230	Restorative Art
MM 230	Marketing and Merchandising
PA 230	Human Pathology
CC 302	Clinical Cooperative I
CC 303	Clinical Cooperative II
RV 231	Comprehensive Studies

**ARTICULATION OF ACADEMIC PROGRAMS
Between
BRISTOL COMMUNITY COLLEGE
And
FINE MORTUARY COLLEGE, LLC: A Private Two-Year College
Spring 06**

OBJECTIVES OF THIS AGREEMENT

1. To attract qualified students to Bristol Community College and FINE Mortuary College, LLC: A Private Two-Year College (FINE).
2. To promote and facilitate an efficient transition of students from Bristol Community College into the Associates of Applied Science in the Funeral Service degree program at FINE.
3. To provide specific information and guidelines for transfer students.
4. To encourage academic coordination and cooperation, including curricular reviews, on-site visitation and joint academic advising for students attending Bristol Community College.
5. To provide a framework for the exchange of information to monitor the success of this agreement.

STIPULATIONS OF THIS AGREEMENT:

1. This agreement will apply to Bristol Community College students who have completed the requirements for the Thanatology certificate at Bristol Community College while following the attached prescribed outline of courses for transfer credit.
2. FINE guarantees acceptance of Bristol Community College students who complete the Thanatology Certificate outlined in this document with an overall GPA of 2.0.

MUTUAL RESPONSIBILITIES:

1. Both institutions agree to maintain current listings of the course equivalencies.
2. The Bristol Community College Director of Transfer Affairs will be responsible for assisting the transfer applicant in compiling the required credentials for application.

ASSISTANCE PROVISIONS

1. Bristol Community College will incorporate a summary of this agreement into official publications and web sites.
2. Bristol Community College and FINE both agree to encourage qualified students to participate in this program by providing advising, information, and such other assistance required to assure an easy transition.

REVIEW/REVISION PROVISIONS:

1. Review of the contents or implementation of this agreement will occur whenever requested by either party through the designated representatives. Substantive changes in the courses or program of either institution will evoke review processes. Revisions must be mutually agreed upon, with one year notice prior to termination of the agreement unless substantial changes are made within one institution without notification to the other institution. In the latter case this agreement may terminate immediately with notification to the other institute.

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The above institutions hereby enter into an agreement to facilitate the transfer of students enrolled in the Thanatology Certificate Program at Bristol Community College into the Associate in Applied Science in Funeral Service degree program at FINE Mortuary College, LLC: A Private Two-Year College (FINE).

FINE MORTUARY COLLEGE
APPROVAL

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