



County College of Morris – Rider University

Program to Program - Guaranteed Transfer Agreement between Communication Associate in Arts Degree from the County College of Morris and the Bachelor of Arts, Communication Studies at Rider University

In the interest of providing the County College of Morris students with improved opportunities to excel in higher education, Rider University (Rider) and the County College of Morris (CCM) agree to create a Program to Program **Guaranteed Transfer Agreement** between the **Communication**, Associate in Arts Program at CCM and the Bachelor of Arts in **Communication Studies** at Rider University.

1. Rider University will guarantee transfer admission, the waiver of application fee; acceptance of all credits earned with a grade of C or better that count toward the Associate degree in the **Communication** Program and meet Rider University equivalents; and full junior status to all graduates in good standing of the **Communication** Associate in Arts Degree at the County College of Morris.

Rider University admission will be granted to students who have fulfilled the following criteria:

- A. Declared their participation in this program while enrolled at CCM by completing the Intent to Enroll Form. Students are encouraged to submit their application to the program before they have completed 30 credits at CCM in order to maximize the efficiency of their transfer to Rider University. Rider further agrees that we will accept the County College of Morris student up to 45 credits; but prior to completion of the last semester at CCM.
 - B. Followed the appropriate transfer program of prescribed selections for Rider while at CCM, listed in the **Communication** Program to Program – Transfer Advising Guide.
 - C. Graduated with their Associate degree at CCM.
 - D. Earned a cumulative grade point average of at least a 2.50.
 - E. Applied for transfer admission by the normal Rider transfer application deadline.
2. This agreement between the County College of Morris and Rider goes into effect immediately upon receipt of the signatures of each institution.
 3. This agreement shall be subject to review and renewal every five years.


4. The County College of Morris will provide its students with full information about the Program to Program - Guaranteed Transfer Admission Program that falls under the overall Guaranteed Transfer Agreement with Rider and CCM. Students under this Program to Program Agreement will be eligible for the benefits outlined in the Rider-CCM overall Guaranteed Transfer Agreement.
5. Students who declare their intent to participate will work directly with CCM counseling and advising staff to obtain assistance with course selections which fulfill Rider's requirements.
6. CCM will provide Rider with the names and contact information of students who have enrolled in the Program to Program – Guaranteed Transfer Agreement Program and Rider will establish communication with the participating students. Students will provide this information and permission to share information when they complete the CCM-Rider Guaranteed Transfer Admission Intent to Enroll Form.
7. The regular process for transfer admission to Rider will remain for CCM students who do not participate in this program, as well as for program participants who do not fulfill the requirements listed in Article 1 of this document.
8. Rider University is committed to making our educational opportunities as affordable as possible. With scholarship and financial aid, transfer students often find Rider's private education is comparable to attending a public college or university. The CCM transfer student, who holds a GPA of 2.50 to 4.00 on college-level work, is eligible upon the submission of a full-time student application, for consideration for transfer scholarship and grants. In addition, for those students of Phi Theta Kappa (PTK) at the County College of Morris, the student may be eligible to receive an annual renewable scholarship. For specific financial aid and scholarship information please access the Rider University website.
9. CCM students, following completion of the CCM-Rider Guaranteed Transfer Admission Intent to Enroll Form, have the option to take a course at Rider that counts toward the Rider degree at no charge. The course may be taken following completion of 30 college-level credits at CCM and prior to the time period before their matriculation with Rider University. The designated course (s) requires a grade of "C" or better and allows the CCM student to experience first-hand the academic environment at Rider. **The course credit option is: COM-264-Introduction to Media Convergence (3). Refer to the Transfer Advising Guide for more specific course information.**



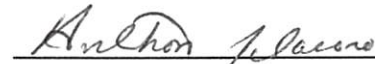
Agreed this 19th day of October, 2017

For: Rider University

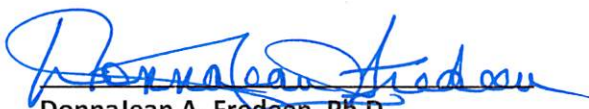
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TRANSFER ADVISING GUIDE

Associate in Arts (A.A.) in Communication from County College of Morris to a Bachelor of Arts (B.A.) in Communication Studies at Rider University

<i>COUNTY COLLEGE OF MORRIS COURSE</i>	Cr	<i>RIDER UNIVERSITY COURSE/AREA SATISFIED</i>	Cr
<i>A.A., Communication (#1129)</i>		<i>B.A., Communication Studies (120 Credits)</i>	
First Semester			
ENG 111 English Composition I	3	CMP 120 Expository Writing (Core)	3
PSY 113 General Psychology	3	PSY 100 Intro to Psychology (Core)	3
COM 101 Introduction to Communication	3	COM 103 Introduction to Communication Studies	3
COM 111 Introduction to Journalism	3	COM 210 News Reporting & Writing	3
COM 109 Speech Fundamentals	3	COM 104 Speech Communication	3
	15		15
Second Semester			
ENG 112 English Composition II	3	CMP 125 Research Writing (Core)	3
COM 115 Introduction to Mass Media	3	COM 105 Communication: Culture & Media	3
MP 126 Computer Tech & Applications	4	Technology Elective ^u (Core)	4
History: Rider suggests: HIS 117 The Ancient World – Greece & Rome OR HIS 118 The Middle Ages	3	History Elective ^u History Core ^u HIS 150 World History to 1500 (Core)	3
Literature OR Language (Rider suggests a language - 2 semester sequence in language is required)	3	Foreign Language Elective ^u (Core) Literature Elective ^u (Rider suggests a language - 2 semester sequence in language is required)	3
	16		16
Third Semester			
Literature or Language (Rider suggests language - 2 semester sequence in language is required)	3	Foreign Language Elective ^u (Core) (Rider suggests a language - 2 semester sequence in language is required) Literature Elective ^u	3
History: History: Rider suggests: HIS 113 Early Modern Europe OR HIS 114 Modern Europe	3	History Elective ^u History Core ^u HIS 151 World History Since 1500	3
Math or Science Elective MAT 130 Probability & Statistics OR MAT 120 Mathematics for the Liberal Arts MA 110 Intercultural Communication	3/4 3	Mathematics Elective ^u MTH 120 Intro to Applied Statistics OR MAT 102 Finite Math (Core) Free Elective	3/4 3

Restricted Elective Choose one course from the following list: COM 102 Advertising & Society COM 103 Introduction to Public Relations COM 104 Interpersonal Communication COM 105 Media Literacy COM 112 Advanced Journalism COM 120 Broadcast Journalism COM 209 Editing & Publication Design COM 230 Internship COM 234 Introduction to Film MED 110 Multimedia I COM 114 Media Aesthetics (Prev. MED-114) COM 117 Intro to Broadcasting (Prev. MED-117) COM 211 Television Production I. (Prev. MED-211) COM 212 Television Production II (Prev. MED-212) PHO 213 Documentary Photography	3	Communication Studies Elective[†] Elective [†] COM 240 Public Relations COM 251 Interpersonal Communication COM 1XX Communication Elective [†] COM 1XX Communication Elective [†] COM 230 Radio & TV Communication COM 212 Publication Design Upon individual review by academic coordinator. COM 1XX Communication Elective [†] COM 363 Multimedia Communication COM 1XX Communication Elective [†] COM 230 Radio & TV Communication COM 1XX Communication Elective [†] COM 1XX Communication Elective [†] Elective [†]	3
	15/16		15/16
Fourth Semester			
Social Science Elective Rider suggests one of the following courses for transfer: ECO-211; ECO-212; POL-111; SOC-120	3	Social Science & Communication Elective[†] (Core) ECO-200; ECO-201; POL-100; SOC-101	3
Humanities Elective Rider suggests one of the following courses for transfer: ART-114; ART-133; MUS-217; MUS-218 & MUS-248	3	Fine Arts Elective[†] ART-120; ART-104; MUS-217; MUS-218 & MUS-248	3
Math or Science Elective Rider suggests a science elective: Laboratory Science Elective	3/4	Natural & Physical Science Elective[†]	3/4
Restricted Elective:: Restricted Electives listed above with equivalencies. Choose one course from the list.	3	Communication Studies Elective[†]	3
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	15/16		15/16
	61/63		60

FREE COURSE: Rider Course Option: COM-264-Introduction to Media Convergence (3) (Rider Core Requirement)	Following completion of 30 credits and The Intent to Enroll Form and while a student at CCM; students have the option to take a free course at Rider that counts toward the Rider degree. The selected course allows the CCM student to experience first-hand the academic environment at Rider University. See CCM or Rider Transfer Representatives. Contact information listed below.	3
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Rider University Footnotes:

75- Students have a number of options to satisfy this requirement; courses are evaluated on an individual basis.

For transfer credit County College of Morris students must have a grade of “C” or higher in all courses. (No transfer credit will be accepted for any course with a grade of “C-“or below.)

County College of Morris students interested in the College of Continuing Studies (CCS) at Rider should contact that division directly.

Requirements are subject to change. This Advising Guide is best used in consultation with an advisor.

COURSES REMAINING FOR A BACHELOR OF ARTS IN COMMUNICATION STUDIES DEGREE AT RIDER UNIVERSITY*

Course Number	Rider University Course Name or Core Area	Credits	Notes* (if course can be taken at CCM, indicate course number)

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