



## County College of Morris – Rider University

### Program to Program - Guaranteed Transfer Agreement between Environmental Science Associate in Science Degree from the County College of Morris and the Bachelor of Science, Environmental Sciences 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 **Environmental Science**, Associate in Science Program at CCM and the Bachelor of Science in **Environmental Sciences** 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 **Environmental Science** Program and meet Rider University equivalents; and full junior status to all graduates in good standing of the **Environmental Science** Associate in Science 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 **Environmental Science** 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 options are: ENV-340; ENV-200; ENV-205; GEO-350; GEO-407; POL-328; POL-329 or HIS-299. Refer to the Transfer Advising Guide for more specific course information.**

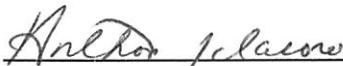


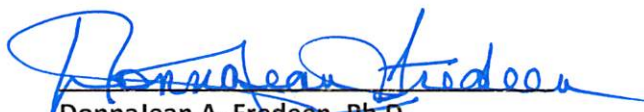
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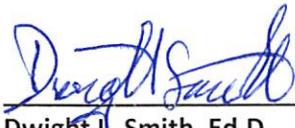
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## TRANSFER ADVISING GUIDE

<b>Associate in Science (A.S.) in Biology: Environmental Track                      from the County College of Morris                      to Environmental Sciences (B.S.) at Rider University</b>					
<i>COUNTY COLLEGE OF MORRIS                      COURSE</i>	Cr	<i>RIDER UNIVERSITY COURSE/AREA                      SATISFIED</i>		Cr	
<i>A.S., Biology: Environmental Track Option (#2160)</i>		<i>B.S., Environmental Sciences (120 Credits)</i>			
<b>First Semester</b>					
ENG 111 English Composition I	3	CMP 120 Expository Writing (Core)		3	
BIO 121 General Biology I (4)	4	BIO 115 Principles of Biology I (4) (Core) BIO 115L Principles of Biology I Lab (0)		4	
MAT 123 Pre-calculus (4)	4	MTH 105 Algebra & Trigonometry (Core)		4	
Humanities Elective Rider suggests a language - 2 semester sequence is required	3	Foreign Language Elective <sup>v</sup> (Core)		3	
Math/Science/Technology Elective Rider suggests: PHY 125 General Physics I Lecture (3) PHY 126 General Physics I Lab (1) <u>OR</u> CMP 126 Computer Tech & Applications	3/4	PHY 100 Principles of Physics I (3) (Core) PHY 100L Principles of Physics I Lab (1) (Core) <u>OR</u> Technology Elective <sup>v</sup>		3/4	
	<b>17/18</b>			<b>17/18</b>	
<b>Second Semester</b>					
ENG 112 English Composition II	3	CMP 125 Research Writing (Core)		3	
PSY 113 General Psychology	3	PSY 100 Introduction to Psychology (Core)		3	
BIO 122 General Biology II	4	BIO 116 Principles of Biology II (4) (Core) BIO 116L Principles of Biology II Lab (0)		4	
MAT 124 Statistics (3) <u>OR</u> MAT 130 Probability & Statistics (4)	3/4	MTH 120 Intro to Applied Statistics (3) <u>OR</u> ENV 200 Stat. & Computer App. (4) Core) (OK equivalent per Jon. Husch on review 8-3-17)		3/4	
Free Elective Rider suggests a two sequence History: HIS-117 OR HIS-118 Course substitution required at CCM)	3	Free Elective <sup>v</sup>  HIS 150 World History to 1500 (Core)		3	

	16/17		16/17
<b>Third Semester</b>			
General Education Elective Rider suggests a Social Science Elective: SOC 120 Principles of Sociology OR SOC 216 Cultural Anthropology	3	Social Science <sup>v</sup> SOC 101 Sociological Imagination (Core) OR SOC 110 Cultural Anthropology (Core)	3
CHM 125 General Chemistry I Lecture (3) CHM 126 General Chemistry I Lab (1)	4	CHE 120 Principles of Chemistry (3) (Core) CHE 121 Principles of Chemistry Lab (1)	4
BIO 202 Ecology	4	BIO 350 General Ecology (Core)	4
Free Elective Rider suggests: BIO 127 Biology of Environmental Concerns (4)	3/4	Free Elective <sup>v</sup> ENV 100 Intro to Environmental Sciences (4)	3/4
Social Science Elective or Humanities Rider suggests Humanities: Rider suggests a language – 2 semester sequence is required	3	Foreign Language Elective <sup>v</sup>	3
	17/18		17/18
<b>Fourth Semester</b>			
General Education Elective: Rider suggests a two sequence History: IS-113 OR HIS-114	3	HIS 151 World History Since 1500 (Core)	3
CHM 127 General Chemistry II Lecture (3) CHM 128 General Chemistry II Lab (1)	4	CHE 122 Intro to Chemical Systems (3)(Core) CHE 123 Quantitative Methods Lab (1)(Core)	4
Biology Elective Rider suggests: BIO 201 Genetics (4)  <u>OR</u> BIO 215 Microbiology (4)	4	Elective <sup>v</sup>  BIO 265 Genetics (4) BIO 265L Genetics Lab (1) <u>OR</u> BIO 321 Microbiology (4) (Group A Biotic Processes) BIO 321L Microbiology (0) (Group A Biotic Processes)	4
Free Elective: Rider suggests: Select one course from the list: ART 114 Contemporary Art ART 133 Art History I MUS 217 Music History & Literature to 1750 MUS 218 Music Theory I MUS 248 Enjoyment of Music	3	Fine Arts Elective <sup>v</sup>  ART 120 Music and Society (Core) ART 104 Survey of Art History I (Core) MUS 105 Survey of Music History I (Core) MUS 106 Survey of Music History II (Core) MUS 120 Music & Society (Core)	3
	14		14
	64/66		60



<p><b><u>FREE RIDER COURSE OPTION:</u></b></p> <p><b>Please select one course from the following list:</b></p> <p>ENV-340-Environmental Field Methods &amp; Data Analysis (3)</p> <p>ENV-200-Statistical and Computer Applications in the Natural Sciences. (4) (ENV SCI Core)</p> <p>ENV-205-Introduction to Geographic Information Systems (3) (ENV SCI Core)</p> <p>GEO-350-Soils &amp; Surficial Processes (4) (ENV SCI Core)</p> <p>GEO-407-Hydrology &amp; Water Resources (4) (ENV SCI Core)</p> <p>POL-328-Environmental Politics (3) (Group C: Social Processes)</p> <p>POL-329-Urban Politics (3) (Group C: Social Processes)</p> <p>HIS-299-American Environmental History (3) (Group C: Social Processes)</p>	<p>Following completion to 30 credits and the Rider Intent to Enroll Form and while a student at the County College of Morris; students have the option to take a <u>free</u> course at Rider that counts toward the Rider degree. The selected course allows the County College of Morris student to experience first-hand the academic environment at Rider.</p> <p>See County College of Morris or Rider Transfer representatives. Contact information listed below.</p>	<p><b>3</b></p>
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**Rider University Footnotes:**

- 3 - 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 SCIENCE IN ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCES 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)
	The Rider University degree is 120 credits		

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION, CONTACT:**

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