

**ARTICULATION AGREEMENT FOR PROGRAMS OF STUDY LEADING TO
A
MASTER OF SCIENCE INFORMATION SYSTEMS
BETWEEN MARSHALL UNIVERSITY
AND
CONCORD UNIVERSITY**

Marshall University (Marshall) and Concord University (Concord) in order to facilitate the efficient transfer of students between the two institutions, hereby establish this articulated program of study leading to the Master of Science Information Systems (MSIS) degree (Program) to be granted by Marshall University.

The articulation agreement (Agreement) stipulates the Concord student will have an undergraduate GPA of 2.75 out of 4.0 and must have taken a programming language class with a grade of C or better, or complete a programming language class during their first semester of coursework with a C or better to be accepted by the Lewis College of Business of Marshall University. Marshall encourages all students participating in this Program to complete the programming language course while enrolled at Concord. Doing so may shorten the time to complete the degree and lower the total cost of the Program.

Concord will assist by providing academic advising that will counsel students to enroll in a programming language course that will prepare them to complete the MSIS degree at Marshall. Before their last semester of study at Concord, participating students may apply for conditional admission to Marshall and must meet all admission requirements prior to acceptance and matriculation. Students will need to complete the admission process by submitting the final transcript from Concord after earning the baccalaureate degree. Concord may, where appropriate, make its recent graduates aware of this degree option.

Once admitted to Marshall, students may enroll in MSIS courses and participate in activities provided by the College of Business. Students will receive Program advising from Marshall staff and faculty.

Marshall and Concord agree to monitor and support the provisions of this Agreement to ensure consistency and quality, and transferability of the benefit to the students of both institutions. Marshall and Concord agree to coordinate changes in the course content or requirements for any courses listed in the Agreement in order to ensure continued comparability between the courses offered by each institution.

Students pursuing the MSIS degree through this Agreement will be bound by the curriculum requirements in effect at the time they are officially accepted into the Program. The attached curriculum requirements dated November 1, 2021 will be in effect until officially changed and agreed upon by both institutions.

**MASTER OF SCIENCE IN INFORMATION SYSTEMS
PLAN OF STUDY**

COURSE #	COURSE NAME	CREDIT HOURS
EM 660	Project Management	3
MGT 615	Management of Innovation & Technology	3
MGT 672	Organizational Behavior	3
MIS 605	Systems Analysis & Design	3
MIS 610	Systems Quality Assurance	3
MIS 620	IT Planning	3
MIS 623	Database Management	3
MIS 647	IT Disaster Plan and Recovery	3
MIS 659	Digital Accessibility Policies & Strategies	3
MIS 678	Management Information Systems	3
MIS 685	Business Intelligence/Analytics	3
Plus One of the Following		3
MIS 681	Thesis	
MIS 698	Internship	
MIS 699	Capstone Project	
Total Credit Hours		36

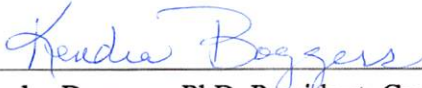
The terms of this agreement are hereby approved on November 1, 2021 by the respective administration of the two schools.



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