ARTICULATION/TRANSFER AGREEMENT
Portland State University and Portland Community College
Associate of Applied Science degree in Fitness Technology

THIS ARTICULATION AGREEMENT ("Agreement") is entered into and by and between the State of Oregon, acting by and through the State Board of Higher Education, on behalf of Portland State University ("PSU") and Portland Community college ("INSTITUTION").

Background

PSU, an agency of the State of Oregon, is a comprehensive research university that serves its students and the people of Oregon, the nation, and the world through the creation and transfer of knowledge in the liberal arts, the natural and social sciences, and the professions; and

INSTITUTION is comprised of the following state-supported institutions:

Portland Community College;

INSTITUTION and Portland State University are accredited by the Northwest Commission on Colleges and Universities (NWCCU) an institutional accrediting body recognized by the Council for Higher Education Accreditation.

It is in the interest of both INSTITUTION and PSU to facilitate the transfer of qualified students from INSTITUTION to PSU.

NOW THEREFORE, the Parties, for good and sufficient consideration, agree as follows:

PSU agrees to accept credits for students transferring from INSTITUTION to PSU, as outlined in Exhibit A, Articulation and Transfer Criteria, and Table A, Credit Transfer guide, which are hereby incorporated and made a part of this Agreement. In the event of a discrepancy between Exhibit A and this Agreement, the language of the Agreement shall take precedence.

Terms and Conditions

A. Term: Termination. This Agreement shall commence Fall 2009 or on the date of the last signature below, whichever is later, and shall terminate Summer 2014 unless terminated earlier as provided herein. This Agreement shall be effective for students who apply to transfer from INSTITUTION to PSU beginning with PSU's Fall 2009 term. This Agreement may be renewed for additional terms of any length by the mutual written agreement of the parties. Either party may terminate or suspend this Agreement for convenience upon sixty (60) days written notice; provided, however, that the parties shall discuss and reasonably attempt to resolve the issues that led to the notice of termination or suspension during the

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sixty (60) day period. Notwithstanding the termination of this Agreement, any students who have applied for transfer from INSTITUTION to PSU prior to or during the sixty (60) day period shall be treated as if this Agreement continues to be in effect. This Agreement may also be terminated as provided elsewhere in this Agreement.

B. Admission to PSU Is Not Guaranteed. Students shall apply for admission to PSU in accordance with the then-existing rules, policies, and procedures of PSU. This Agreement does not guarantee admission to PSU. Admission to PSU does not guarantee admission into any specific program or major at PSU. Admission to PSU under this Agreement and to any specific program or major is at the sole discretion of PSU.

C. Oregon Residency Status. Students must meet the requirements of the residency rules of the Oregon State Board of Higher Education in order to be classified as Oregon residents for purposes of tuition and fees.

D. General Provisions.

1. Contract Administration. The representatives for purposes of administering this Agreement are:
   For PSU: Shawn Smallman  Name: Chris Chairsell
   Vice Provost for Academic Affairs  Title: Vice President of Academic  
   Dean of Undergraduate Curriculum  & Student Services
   Address: P.O. Box 751  Address: PO Box 19000
   Portland, OR 97207  Portland, OR 97280-0990
   Phone: 503-725-5252  Phone: 503-977-4005
   E-mail: smallmans@pdx.edu  E-mail: christine.chairsell@pcc.edu

   Name: Dee Wendler  Name: Kendra Cawley
   Title: Associate VP for Finance/Controller  Title: Dean of Instructional Support
   Address: P.O. Box 751  Address: PO Box 19000
   Portland, OR 97207  Portland, OR 97280-0990
   Phone: 503-725-3752  Phone: 503-977-4406
   E-mail: wendlerd@pdx.edu  E-mail: kcawley@pcc.edu

2. No Agency Relationship. In carrying out the responsibilities and obligations of this Agreement, neither party shall be acting as the agent or principal of the other with regard to dealings with third parties, including students. Neither party shall have the authority to make any statements, representations, or commitments of any kind or to take any action binding on the other except as provided for herein or authorized in writing by the party to be bound.

3. Termination Due to Non-Appropriation of Funds. If sufficient funds are not provided in future legislatively approved budgets of the Oregon University System ("OUS") (or from
applicable Federal, State, or other sources) to permit PSU in the exercise of its reasonable administrative discretion to continue this Agreement, or if OUS, PSU, or any program for which this Agreement was established is abolished, this Agreement may be terminated without further liability by not less than thirty (30) days' written notice to PSU's Vice Provost for Academic Affairs.

4. No Third Party Beneficiaries. PSU and INSTITUTION are the only parties to this Agreement and are the only parties entitled to enforce its terms. Nothing in this Agreement gives, is intended to give, or shall be construed to give or provide, any benefit or right, whether directly, indirectly, or otherwise, to third persons unless such third persons are individually identified by name herein and expressly described as intended beneficiaries of the terms of this Agreement.

5. Force Majeure. Any prevention, delay or stoppage due to strikes, lockouts, labor disputes, acts of God, inability to obtain labor or materials or reasonable substitutes therefore, governmental restrictions, governmental regulations, governmental controls, enemy or hostile governmental action, terrorism, civil commotion, fire or other casualty, and other causes beyond the reasonable control of the party obligated to perform, shall excuse the performance by such party for a period equal to any such prevention, delay or stoppage.

6. Execution and Counterparts. This Agreement may be executed in several counterparts, each of which shall be an original, all of which shall constitute but one and the same instrument.

7. MERGER. THIS AGREEMENT CONSTITUTES THE ENTIRE AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE PARTIES. NO WAIVER, CONSENT, MODIFICATION, OR CHANGE OF TERMS OF THIS AGREEMENT SHALL BIND EITHER PARTY UNLESS IN WRITING AND SIGNED BY BOTH PARTIES. SUCH WAIVER, CONSENT, MODIFICATION, OR CHANGE, IF MADE, SHALL BE EFFECTIVE ONLY IN THE SPECIFIC INSTANCE AND FOR THE SPECIFIC PURPOSE GIVEN. THERE ARE NO UNDERSTANDINGS, AGREEMENTS, OR REPRESENTATIONS, ORAL OR WRITTEN, NOT SPECIFIED HEREIN REGARDING THIS AGREEMENT.
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have executed this Agreement on the day and year of the last date accompanying the signatures.

Portland State University:
By: (Sign)  
Name: Shawn Smallman
Title: Vice Provost for Academic Affairs
Dean of Undergraduate Curriculum
Date: 3/4/10

Portland Community College
By: (Sign)  
Name: Chris Chairsell
Title: Vice President of Academic and Student Services
Date: 2/24/10

Portland State University:
By: (Sign)  
Name: Carlos Crespo
Title: Director, Community Health, College of Urban & Public Affairs
Date: 3/1/10

Portland Community College
By: (Sign)  
Name: Kendra Cawley
Title: Dean of Instructional Support
Date: 2/26/10

Portland State University:
By: (Sign)  
Name: (Print) Denise Wendler
Title: Contract Officer
Date: 3/4/10

Portland Community College
By: (Sign)  
Name: Steve Hopf
Title:  
Date: 2/26/10

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Exhibit A

Articulation and Transfer Criteria

Portland State University

and

Portland Community College

Associate of Applied Science in Fitness Technology

Portland State University (PSU) and Portland Community College (PCC) agree that students earning an Associate of Applied Science (AAS) degree in Fitness Technology from PCC may transfer to Portland State University with the following understandings:

1. This Agreement applies to students majoring in the Physical Activity/Exercise concentration of the Community Health major at PSU. (If the student chooses a different major, the courses from the AAS may or may not transfer to PSU.)

2. The intent of this Agreement is to facilitate baccalaureate attainment for students in the Fitness Technology AAS program at PCC. The combination of courses required in this AAS have been identified as providing the student with sufficient rigor and content to facilitate their success at PSU.

3. All courses numbered 100-level or above used to complete the AAS in Fitness Technology are eligible for transfer to PSU and may be applied as lower division credits toward the minimum 180 credits required to earn a baccalaureate degree. A minimum of 90 eligible credit hours of 100-level or above coursework is required in order to grant the student junior standing at PSU for the purposes of registration only. To be eligible for transfer to PSU as part of this agreement, a grade of B or higher must be earned in all courses used toward the Physical Activity/Exercise concentration. All other courses must have a grade of at least a C or above. (See Credit Transfer Guide).

4. The courses will transfer as identified in the Credit Transfer Guide.

5. As appropriate, courses transferred may fulfill lower division degree, general education, elective, and/or major requirements. See appropriate Advising Guide for requirements that are current as of Fall 2009. (It is best for the student to work with an academic adviser to determine which catalog rules apply. Students must abide by the PSU seven
year catalog eligibility rule, which holds that graduation requirements for a given catalog expire at the end of seven years.)

6. Students may have lower-division requirements to fulfill in addition to the AAS and will be responsible for completing all graduation requirements for PSU in effect at the time of graduation from PSU in order to earn a baccalaureate degree.

7. Students must meet PSU admission requirements in place at the time they apply for admission to PSU.

8. This Agreement will be in effect beginning Fall 2009, or upon date of last signature, whichever is later. Curriculum changes by either PSU or PCC must be communicated in writing to the Chief Academic Officer no later than June 30th of any academic year. Each partner assumes responsibility for informing their students of curricular revision that would impact their progress towards the degree. This agreement will be reviewed every three (3) years to ensure the continued appropriateness and viability of this Agreement.

For questions, please contact the following:

**Portland State University:**

School of Community Health  
450 URBN Center  
* 503-725-4401  
www.healthed.pdx.edu

Undergraduate Advising and Support Center  
425 Smith Memorial Student Union  
* 503-725-4005  
advising@pdx.edu

Community College Relations  
425 Smith Memorial Student Union  
* 503-725-9546  
cctransfer@pdx.edu

**Portland Community College:**

Fitness Technology Program  
Sylvania Campus, HT 215  
* 503-977-4210  
www.pcc.edu/programs/fitech

Updated: February 19, 2010
Credit Transfer Guide for
Portland Community College AAS in Fitness Technology
For a current list of course transfer equivalencies, go to www.pdx.transfer.org

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Note: PCC General Education requirements include 16 credit hours of General Education in the following: 1. Arts & Humanities; 2. Social Science; and 3. Mathematics, Natural & Physical Sciences. The 16 credits must include at least one course of at least 3 credits from each general education category and no more than two courses from any one category. Two of the program course requirements may be used to meet this requirement.

GEN=General credit and VOC TECH CREDIT = Credits apply to the 180 credits required to graduate, but are not assigned to a specific department and do not count as Upper Division credits. LD=Lower Division. NOTE: If the AAS in Fitness Technology is not completed, only FT 103 and 12 credits of other FT courses will transfer to PSU as general electives.