

**Articulation Agreement between University at Albany and Sage Graduate School
Occupational Therapy Program (10/2/07)**

The University at Albany and The Sage Colleges have developed a collaborative agreement to provide qualified students from University at Albany who wish to pursue an MS in Occupational Therapy (OT) from Sage Graduate School (SGS) guaranteed admission as indicated below. This collaborative agreement provides for:

- Automatic acceptance into Sage Graduate School for students who have completed occupational therapy program course prerequisites, after initial advisement and interview, and with completed application;
- Waiver of Sage Graduate School application fee;
- Early acceptance;
- Cross-registration through the Consortium in courses during the senior year (no fees in addition to University at Albany College registration);
- Access to Sage advisors to coordinate undergraduate electives and coursework to reduce or eliminate prerequisites in the graduate program;
- Opportunity to apply early for Graduate Assistantships in Sage Graduate School

Terms of the Agreement: Occupational Therapy Admission

University at Albany students will be guaranteed admission to Sage Graduate School for the MS in OT degree, who demonstrate the following:

- a. Earned baccalaureate degree
- b. Minimum overall 3.0 GPA that includes the completion of occupational therapy program prerequisite courses with grades of C or better (see prerequisite courses listed below)

To guarantee placement in the OT Program students agree to submit the following information:

By **June 1** of the year preceding graduation from the University at Albany:

1. Completed SGS application packet (fee waived)
2. Official transcripts from all college institutions attended
3. Current resume
4. One letter of recommendation from the University at Albany pre-health advisor, psychology or sociology faculty, or equivalent faculty representative

By **October 15** of the graduation year at University at Albany:

5. Clinical Observation Document: 20 hours of clinical observation with an occupational therapist
6. OT Admission interview; contact Wendy Krupnick at 518/ 244-2267 or krupnw@sage.edu
7. Enrollment deposit of \$50 (non-refundable, though to be applied toward graduate tuition)

Upon **graduation** from University at Albany:

8. Official transcripts documenting completion of undergraduate degree and OT Program prerequisite courses

The following University at Albany courses meet SGS OT Program prerequisites:

University at Albany Course Number and Title	SGS OT Program Course Prerequisites
*ANT 311 Functional Anatomy of the Human Skeleton	BIO 201 Anatomy & Physiology I
*BIO 410 Human Physiology and BIO 411 Lab	BIO 202 Anatomy & Physiology II
PHY 105 General Physics I and PHY 106 Lab	PHY 101 General Physics I
PSY 210 Statistical Methods in Psychology	PSY 207/MAT 220 Statistics
PSY 101 Introduction to Psychology	PSY 101 Introduction to Psychology
PSY 203 Psychology of Child Development and SOC 384 Sociology of Aging	PSY 202 Human Development
PSY 338 Abnormal Psychology	PSY 308 Abnormal Psychology
ANT 108 Cultural Anthropology OR SOC 115 Introduction to Sociology	HSC 206 Cult.Perspectives of Health, Disability & Wellness OR SOC 101 Introduction to Sociology

*Note: Two semesters of Anatomy and Physiology will be accepted in lieu of ANT 311 and BIO 410