

## Articulation Agreement between Maria College, Paralegal, A.A.S. and the Sage College of Albany, B.S. in Law and Society

### Objective

This articulation agreement is intended to facilitate the transfer of qualified students currently enrolled in the A.A.S. Paralegal degree at Maria College into the B.S. Law and Society program at the Sage College of Albany. Counselors at Maria College can use the information in this agreement to advise current students as they express an interest in the Law and Society B.S. program as to which Maria College courses should be taken prior to application for transfer.

### Terms of Agreement

This articulation agreement, once signed, will be effective immediately and must be reviewed and re-approved in the same manner at least once every two years hereafter, in order to remain in effect.

The procedure of review and re-approval shall be as follows:

The latest available catalogs of the two institutions are reviewed by the SCA Program Co-ordinator and the revised draft is prepared by the SCA Program Co-ordinator.

A final draft is signed by the department chairs of both institutions and by the appropriate administrator of both institutions.

All of the most recently published rules for accepting transfer students into programs at SCA apply. The agreement supplements, but does not supercede or replace, what was written in the latest catalog.

SCA agrees to accept and transfer into the B.S. program up to 66 credit hours earned by the student at Maria College, who takes the courses listed below. Only courses of earned grades of C- or better will transfer, and students who attain a combined Grade Point Average of 2.5 in courses will automatically be admitted into the SCA Law and Society program.

This agreement covers courses taken at Maria College only. If students from Maria College have credits on their transcripts from other institutions, the published SCA rules for accepting transferred credit will apply to those credits.

If students from Maria College wish to transfer without having completed all of the courses in this agreement, they are assured that the identified equivalent courses with C- or better will transfer, but outright admission into the program will not be guaranteed. If admitted, junior status at SCA will be attained, if 54 or more of the credits are transferred. All transfer students must meet with a Law and Society advisor to plan their courses and to determine how many semesters are required for degree completion.

Maria College course equivalencies Law and Society: Weekend College

Courses (in order by term)	Maria College	credits	Sage College of Albany	credits
CSC 105 Computer Applications for Law		3	CSI elective	3
Eng. 111 Composition I		3	Hum 112 Hum Sem.	3
Law 101 Introduction to Paralegalism		3	Law 101 Intro to Law	3
Bus 201 Business Communications		3	Business Elective	3
Law 102 Legal Research and Writing		4	Law 202 Legal Res	3
Law 103 Litigation		3	Law 102 Litigation	3
State and Local Government		3	Soc Sci elective	3
Law 104 Law Office Procedures		3	Elective	3
Soc 101 Introduction to Sociology		3	Soc 101 Intro to Soc.	3
RES Elective		3	Elective	3
BUS 236 Financial Accounting		3	ACC 201 Fin. Actng	3
ECO 100 Macroeconomics		3	ECO 201 Macro Econ.	3
Law 201 Family Law		3	Law 214 Family Law	3
Law 202 Real Property		3	Law 212 Real Property	3
Law 203 Trusts and Estates		3	Law 211 Estate Adm.	3
Law 204 Business Organization		3	Law 206 Bus Law II	3
Eng. Elective		3	Eng/Hum elective	3
Law 205 Administrative Law		3	Law 208 Adm Law	3
Law 209 Criminal Law		3	Crim 311 Criminal Law	3
Phi 261 Legal Ethics		3	Phil 206 Ethics	3
Liberal Arts Elective		3	Liberal Arts Elective	3
Total Credits		64 credits		63 credits

