



ARTICULATED PROGRAM AGREEMENT BETWEEN LOGAN UNIVERSITY AND UNIVERSITY OF SOUTHERN INDIANA

I. INTRODUCTION

Based upon a mutual respect for the integrity of parallel academic programs and in an effort to better serve students intending to pursue the chiropractic profession, Logan University (Logan) and University of Southern Indiana (USI) hereby enter into an agreement for an articulated program. This agreement will define coursework to be completed at USI for a student intending to matriculate at Logan, special terms of admission to Logan 3+3 Articulation Agreement (3+3 program), and special criteria for the awarding of the baccalaureate degree to participating students.

Objectives of the Agreement:

1. To attract qualified students to USI and Logan.
2. To facilitate the transition of students from USI to Logan.
3. To provide specific advisement for students of USI who intend to pursue professional study at Logan.
4. To encourage academic and administrative coordination between institutions and the exchange of evaluative information on the outcomes of the program with the goal of continual improvement.
5. To provide qualified students with the opportunity to complete the baccalaureate degree and the Doctor of Chiropractic Degree in one less year than the normal time, i.e. 7 years.

II. ARTICULATION AGREEMENT

1. Under the provisions of this program, a 3+3 Program student will seek a Bachelor of Science degree at USI with a major in Biology, will complete a minimum of 90 credit hours in coursework at USI (including all Core 39 requirements) and a minimum of 33 credit hours in Doctor of Chiropractic (DC) coursework at Logan.

USI COURSE WORK (Biology Major, Pre-Chiropractic Program) INCLUDES:

Required coursework to fulfill CORE 39:

30 Credit Hours minimum

Foundational Courses (15-17 credits)

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| ☐ ENG 101 | 3 Credit Hours |
| ☐ ENG 201 | 3 Credit Hours |
| ☐ CMST 101 or 107 | 3 Credit Hours |
| ☐ MATH 111 or 230 ¹ | 4 Credit Hours |
| ☐ KIN 192 or 281 | 1 or 3 Credit Hours |
| ☐ USI 101 ² | 1 Credit Hour |

Bachelor of Science Requirements (6 hrs + 8 hrs shared)

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| ☐ Natural Science including 1 lab (CHEM 261/262 ³) | (8) Credit Hours |
| ☐ Social Science (SS) | 3 Credit Hours |
| ☐ World Languages and Culture (WLS) | 3 Credit Hours |

Ways of Knowing⁴ (9 hrs minimum + 4 hrs shared):

Select 1 course from 4 of the six categories, must be unique prefixes

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| ☐ Creative and Aesthetic Expression (CAE) | 3 Credit Hours |
| ☐ Historical Inquiry (HI) | 3 Credit Hours |
| ☐ Moral & Ethical Reasoning (MER) | 3 Credit Hours |
| ☐ Scientific & Mathematical Inquiry (SMI) (BIOL 141 ⁵) | (4) Credit Hours |
| ☐ Social Inquiry (SIQ) | 3 Credit Hours |
| ☐ World Languages and Culture (WLC) | 3 Credit Hours |

Embedded Experiences (1 experience in each of the following 4 categories) (0-12 credits)

To minimize credit hours taken, select courses that also satisfy another Core 39 category

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| ☐ Diversity Embedded Experience (EED) ex: SOC 121 also meets SIQ |
| ☐ Global Embedded Experience (EEG) ex: language courses also meet WLC |
| ☐ Writing Embedded Experience (EEW) ex: PRFS 301 also meets MER |
| ☐ Writing Embedded Experience, 300-400 level (EEW) ex: HUM 303 also meets WLS |

Required coursework to fulfill Biology Major Competencies:

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| ☐ BIOL 141 Principles of Biology w/Lab | 54-55 Credit Hours |
| ☐ BIOL 151 Botany | 4 Credit Hours ⁵ |
| ☐ BIOL 152 Zoology | 3 Credit Hours |
| ☐ BIOL 215 Ecology | 3 Credit Hours |
| ☐ BIOL 333 or 336 Animal or Plant Physiology w/Lab | 3 Credit Hours |
| ☐ BIOL 334 Cell Biology | 4 Credit Hours |
| ☐ BIOL 382 Genetics w/Lab | 3 Credit Hours |
| ☐ BIOL 481 Organic Evolution | 4 Credit Hours |
| ☐ CHEM 261 General Chemistry I w/Lab | 3 Credit Hours |
| ☐ CHEM 262 General Chemistry II w/Lab | 4 Credit Hours ³ |
| ☐ CHEM 353 Organic Chemistry I w/Lab | 4 Credit Hours ³ |
| ☐ CHEM 354 Organic Chemistry II w/Lab | 4 Credit Hours |
| ☐ PHYS 175 General Physics I | 4 Credit Hours |
| ☐ PHYS 175L Lab for PHYS 175 | 4 Credit Hours ⁶ |
| ☐ PHYS 176 Gen Physics II | 4 Credit Hours ⁶ |
| ☐ PHYS 176L Lab for PHYS 176 | |
| ☐ STAT 241, 251, or MATH 230 ⁷ | 3-4 Credit Hours |
| ☐ Electives, if needed, to reach 90 hours from USI | 0-6 Credit Hours |

TOTAL HOURS FROM USI

90 Credit Hours

¹Assumes MATH111. Students electing MATH111 with no plan to take MATH230 must also complete MATH112 to enroll in PHYS175/PHYS175L.

²All first-time, degree seeking students must enroll in this course. Transfer students do not need to complete this course so foundational hours would be 14-16.

³Gen Chem I and II are required for the Biology major and are worth a total of 8 hours however they cannot count twice in terms of credits earned toward graduation.

⁴Four (4) courses designated WOK are required. Generally WOK courses are 3-credits (3x4 = 12).

⁵BIOL141 is required for the BIOL major and it satisfies a WOK requirement however it cannot count twice in terms of credits earned toward graduation.

⁶This assumes PHYS175/175L and 176/176L totaling 8 hours. Students do have the option to take PHYS205/205L and 206/206L totaling 10 hours.

⁷This assumes that a student has earned foundational credit for MATH111. If a student has foundational credit for MATH230, no additional MATH is required but the 4 credits will not count twice towards graduation. Neither STAT241 nor STAT251 will satisfy the foundational requirement so students would need some other course to fulfill the foundational requirement if they opt to take either STAT241 or 251.

LOGAN COURSEWORK INCLUDES:

A minimum of 33 credit hours from the following course list must be completed with a cumulative grade point average of at least a 2.00 on a scale of 4.00. Additionally, all coursework transferred to USI must be completed with a grade of C or better.

☐ ANAT10102 Histology	2 Credit Hours
☐ ANAT10202 Anatomy II with Lab	4.5 Credit Hours
☐ MICR10201 Microbiology I	3 Credit Hours
☐ NEUR10201 Neuroanatomy I	3 Credit Hours
☐ PYSO10202 Physiology I	4 Credit Hours
☐ ANAT10303 Anatomy III with Lab	4.5 Credit Hours
☐ PATH10301 Pathology I	4 Credit Hours
☐ PYSO10303 Physiology II	4 Credit Hours
☐ MICR10302 Microbiology II	4 Credit Hours

TOTAL HOURS FROM LOGAN

33 Credit Hours

(Credit Hour = Carnegie Definition of 50 minutes = 1 credit hour)

For every subject required by Logan (either offered by USI or Logan), no grade below a C (2.0 on a 4.0 scale) will be accepted for credit in this articulated program. In addition, all 3+3 Program students must have earned a cumulative grade point average of at least 2.75 for the 90 credit hours at USI to be considered for admission.

2. In Logan's continued efforts to remain at the forefront of advanced, doctoral education, updates to courses may arise. Alternative courses may be considered for degree completion credit at the discretion of University of Southern Indiana.
3. While enrolled at USI, students will complete all required coursework as outlined above and described in the USI bulletin, including completion of CORE39. When a student transitions out of the Pott College Advising and Resource Center into the Biology Department or is directly assigned for advising to the Biology Department, the Logan University application of intent is to be completed. The Biology Pre-Chiropractic advisor will forward the completed form to the Senior External Relations Officer at Logan. Students must log into myUSI to Apply to Graduate with their USI degree. If degree requirements will be completed in a spring or summer term, the deadline to apply is

- October 1 of the preceding fall term. If degree will be completed in the fall term, the deadline to apply is March 1 of the preceding spring term.
4. Students will complete an application to Logan eight months to a year in advance of their desired entrance date and will complete all required application procedures thereafter in a timely manner, including a personal statement of motivation, and submission of all official transcripts. Students applying to Logan's doctorate program under a 3+3 Program Agreement will qualify for their application fee to be waived.
 5. Logan shall accept, for the entrance date of its choice, all students who successfully complete the Pre-Chiropractic Program with a cumulative GPA of 3.0 or higher and meet all other criteria for admission.
 6. Students who earn less than a 3.0 GPA, but at least a 2.75 or higher, may be eligible for admission to Logan at the discretion of the Vice President of Admissions, and will receive appropriate consideration in the standard admission process for having completed the USI Pre-Chiropractic Program. Such students will not receive the assurance of a seat reserved for students earning a 3.0 or higher GPA and will be assessed under an alternative admission track.
 7. Students are admitted to Logan only as first-year Doctor of Chiropractic (DC) students.
 8. Upon completion of the required first-year Logan coursework listed above (unless exceptions are made as the result of curriculum changes), the student must request that an official transcript be sent from Logan to USI's Registrar Office. The student must contact the Biology department to initiate the form needed to be awarded 30 semester hours of special credit (in lieu of transfer credit from Logan). The 30 hours of upper-level BIOL elective credit will be applied toward the Electives requirement in the Biology major and toward the 120 total hours required to for completion of the Bachelor of Science degree in Biology at USI. All Logan coursework listed above must be completed for special credit to be awarded at USI. If a student does not complete all courses as prescribed, no credit will be awarded.
 9. The acceptance of transfer credits or testing toward completion of degree requirements shall be governed by current policies of USI.
 10. Students enrolled in the 3+3 Program who successfully complete all required coursework at Logan with no grade below a C (2.0 on a 4.0 scale) will be granted the Bachelor of Science degree with a major in Biology from USI, provided they have met all other USI's graduation requirements, including a minimum of 120 credits. Additionally, all Logan coursework must be completed with a C or better to transfer to USI.
 11. Students shall pay the appropriate tuition and fees to each institution for all coursework taken at that institution. During their first year of study at Logan, students shall not be registered for courses at USI. Transcript requests made for Logan transcripts to be sent to USI will have their transcript fee waived.

III. MUTUAL PROMOTION AND STUDENT ADVISEMENT OF THE PROGRAM

Logan and USI agree to encourage qualified students to participate in this 3+3 Program through advisement and dissemination of information. The institutions agree to remain in contact with each other and apprise each other of any relevant changes to their institutions' curriculum or to the appointed advisor/faculty member assigned to oversee students attending under the 3+3 Program. The appointed advisor/faculty member for each institution will make every effort to:

1. Maintain a list of students actively pursuing the program with the intent to enroll under the 3+3 Program and keep each other informed of those students with the supplemental Application of Intent form.
2. Maintain regular communication with Logan to update on any changes to the appointed representative's contact information for the purpose of marketing on Logan's website.
3. Will provide Logan's assigned representatives with the opportunity to speak with students on campus in the format of a classroom presentation, club presentation, lunch n learn session, etc. at least 1 time during the academic calendar year for the purpose of meeting with students and for recruitment.
4. Care will be taken by USI to make students aware that some state boards of chiropractic may require completed baccalaureate degrees, PRIOR TO CHIROPRACTIC STUDY, and to advise students planning to practice in those states accordingly.
5. Both institutions agree to promote the 3+3 program in their recruitment activities; online and print marketing pieces; and to refer prospective students, when appropriate, to the other's admission office.

IV. CONTINUATION AND TERMINATION OF THE AGREEMENT

By signing, both institutions acknowledge that this agreement shall remain intact for 3 years unless stated, in writing, that the agreement is being terminated. After the 3-year period the agreement will either be updated or terminated. If terminated, both institutions will honor the terms of the agreement until all students already admitted into Logan University are given the opportunity to complete the program in a timely manner and meet the terms in place.

If anything changes with this agreement for either institution. The necessary institution agrees to notify the other institution, and an updated agreement will be made to reflect the necessary changes.

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