

**Articulation Agreement between
Rochester Community and Technical College
And UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA,
COLLEGE OF HUMAN ECOLOGY**

This agreement is entered into by Rochester Community and Technical College (RCTC) and UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA, COLLEGE OF HUMAN ECOLOGY in order to

1. ensure appropriate, high-quality preparation of students for careers in the program listed below, and . . .
2. ensure successful transfer of lower division credits into baccalaureate programs

This agreement provides a core curriculum to be offered by Rochester Community and Technical College for transfer to the UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA, COLLEGE OF HUMAN ECOLOGY, FOOD SCIENCE OR NUTRITION SCIENCE, BACHELOR OF SCIENCE DEGREE. The courses listed on the attached program sheet will be accepted as comparable courses in meeting the lower division courses at the UNIV of MINNESOTA, COLLEGE OF HUMAN ECOLOGY. The A.S. degree in NATURAL SCIENCE from Rochester Community and Technical College will be accepted as a package by UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA, COLLEGE OF HUMAN ECOLOGY ensuring Rochester Community and Technical College students the opportunity to complete the upper division major in FOOD SCIENCE or NUTRITION SCIENCE at the UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA, COLLEGE OF HUMAN ECOLOGY with an additional two years of college work at the UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA.

This agreement was generated by the faculty of both colleges to help fulfill the need for graduates that have appropriate, high quality preparation for careers in the field. It has the approval of the faculty within the programs as well as their administrators.

A.S. CURRICULUM: See attached listing of courses from both institutions.

ADMISSION: Students applying to the University of Minnesota, College of Human Ecology's Bachelor of Science in Food Science or Nutrition Science must meet minimum institutional and collegiate requirements to be considered for admission to the program:

- Completion of high school diploma or GED
- Completion of high school Algebra II or equivalent/higher
- 2.00+ cumulative college GPA (minimum C grade or higher in courses specified)
- Submission of all transfer admission documents required by the University of Minnesota's Admission Office, including Human Ecology admission addendum, postmarked by the deadline of May 1st for fall term or October 15th for spring term.

Admission to Human Ecology is competitive and space is limited; admission is not guaranteed. Criteria for admission include academic record, especially grades in science courses, as well as a statement of educational and career goals.

DURATION OF AGREEMENT: This agreement shall become effective on the day signing is completed and shall remain in effect until terminated by either party. Termination shall become effective at the beginning of the semester after the date of termination. The agreement shall be reviewed every two years by representatives of both institutions to insure accuracy of curriculum and success in meeting the needs of students.

Shirley Baugher
Shirley Baugher, Dean College of Human Ecology, University of Minnesota

4/20/04
Date

Don Supalla
Don Supalla, President, Rochester Community and Technical College

4/27/04
Date

Christine Maziar
Christine Maziar, Senior Vice President for Academic Affairs and Provost, University of Minnesota

4/14/04
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