### Articulation Agreement Between

# Wayne State University & Schoolcraft College Linking Schoolcraft 's Schoolcraft College Scholars Program

### With Wayne State University University Honors co-major Irvin D. Reid Honors College

This agreement made this 1<sup>st</sup> day of October 1, 2019 is by and between Wayne State University (WSU) and Schoolcraft College (Schoolcraft).

Wayne State University and Schoolcraft College wish and intend by this Agreement to set forth the terms and conditions of engaging in an educational program, to facilitate the transfer of students who earn credit through the Schoolcraft Scholar Program into the WSU Irvin D. Reid Honors College.

### Article I Agreement on Program Integrity

WSU and Schoolcraft College will maintain the integrity of their separate programs and enter into this agreement as equal and cooperating partner institutions.

### Article II Agreement on Principle

This agreement between WSU and Schoolcraft is intended to provide a smooth and seamless curriculum transition for Schoolcraft students who transfer to Wayne State to earn co-major in the Irvin D. Reid Honors College. The agreement is designed for students who follow a prescribed plan of study to transfer up to 14 required credits, as outlined in the appendices, necessary for WSU University Honors.

# Article III Agreement of Program Articulation

WSU and Schoolcraft agree that any student who has completed the designated courses may transfer up to 14 of the required 28 credits from Schoolcraft Honors curriculum to WSU University Honors.

The WSU University Honors requirements for students who follow this articulation agreement are outlined in Attachment A.

### Article IV Agreement on Student Support

WSU and Schoolcraft College agree to track the progress and success of articulation participants. Responsibility for this tracking rests with the WSU Irvin D. Reid Honors College.

#### **Agreement on Communication**

Schoolcraft College and WSU agree to cooperate in communication with each other and with common and respective publics concerning the established relationships between the two institutions. Communication will include the development of various kinds of publications to inform those who might benefit from the opportunities provided by this articulation agreement. The appropriate faculty and staff in both institutions will share the information in this agreement with interested and qualified students. Both institutions will provide academic advising to students and prospective students. Joint efforts in marketing the program and student recruiting will be pursued.

WSU and Schoolcraft College further agree to communicate annually concerning curriculum changes that may affect the agreed upon program relationship. Responsibility for communication related to this agreement will rest with the individuals appointed under Article VI.

### Article VI Agreement and Review Body Procedures

Each institution will appoint one or more faculty administrators to act as agents for the implementation of this agreement, and communicate changes to respective faculty members, advisors, and others to whom the information is pertinent. Responsibility for the oversight of this agreement rests with the Administration at Schoolcraft College and with the WSU Irvin D. Reid Honors College.

# Article VII Regarding Independent Relationship

In the performance of their respective duties and obligations under this Agreement, each party is an independent contractor and neither is the agent, employee, or servant of the other, and each is responsible only for its own conduct. Each institution is solely responsible for the development and design of its own curriculum. Changes on the part of either party will/may necessitate review of this document.

# Article VIII Agreement not to Discriminate

Each party covenants and agrees that it does not discriminate on the basis of race, creed, color, age, sex, or national origin and it complies with the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990, and that it does not discriminate on the basis of "physical or mental handicap" except where there exists a bona fide academic qualification.

Each party shall be separately responsible for compliance with all federal and state laws, including nondiscrimination laws and all applicable sections of the Michigan Handicapper's Civil Rights Act. Illegal discrimination by either party may be considered a material breach of this Agreement.

### **Entire Agreement**

This Agreement constitutes the entire agreement between the parties, and all prior discussions, agreements, and understandings, whether verbal or in writing, are hereby merged into this Agreement.

#### Article X Amendment/Modifications/or Terminations Provision

WSU and Schoolcraft agree to the terms of this Agreement. No amendment or modification to this Agreement, including any modification or amendment of this paragraph, shall be effective unless the same is in writing and signed by all parties or their Successors.

This cooperative arrangement will be in effect immediately upon signature and will be subject to review for continuance after a period of five (5) years. Renewal will be for five years unless either party notifies the other in writing by December 31 of the year preceding the last year of the agreement of their intention to renegotiate or of non-renewal of this agreement.

This Agreement is effective immediately upon approval by WSU and Schoolcraft College and shall remain in effect unless terminated by either party providing six months advance written notice. In the event that this Agreement must be terminated, all students currently enrolled in the program shall be allowed to complete the program as described.

Signatories for Wayne State University:

Provost and Senior Vice President for

Academic Affairs

John Corvino, Ph.D.

Dean, Irvin D. Reid Honors College

Cheryl Hawkins, Ph.D.

Date: 12/10/19

Conway A. Jeffress, Ph.D.

President

Vice President and Chief Academic Officer

Signatories for Schoolcraft College:

GENERAL COUNSEL

FORM APPROVED

Date: \_10/28/19

### Schoolcraft Scholars to WSU University Honors

#### Purpose

The purpose of this guide is to list the Schoolcraft Scholars courses that are required for the University Honors co-major in the Irvin D. Reid Honors College at Wayne State University. This is not a complete listing of the coursework necessary to earn a degree from Wayne State University.

#### Requirements

The University Honors co-major requires a minimum of 28 Honors credits. Generally, University Honors students complete a Foundational Sequence HON 1000 and HON 2000 in the first year. Thereafter, students complete a Field Learning experience, a Special Topics Seminar HON 42xx, an Honors Thesis HON 4998, and various Honors credits to total at least 28 Honors credits.

Under the proposed agreement, the Irvin D. Reid Honors College will allow elements of the Schoolcraft Scholars program to substitute for its Foundational Sequence courses and Field Learning Requirement. Further, the Irvin D. Reid Honors College will accept a maximum of 14 Honors credits from Schoolcraft Scholars with completion of the Schoolcraft Scholars Honors Program. A grade of "C" (2.0) is required for any course to transfer into WSU.

The Schoolcraft Scholars required courses HUM 190, SOC 290, and Honors Options will transfer to the Irvin D. Reid Honors College at Wayne State University (WSU) and be recognized as credits toward the University Honors co-major. A maximum of half (14) of the required credits necessary for University Honors (28) may be earned at Schoolcraft (14). Courses for Schoolcraft Scholars requirements will be recognized as meeting WSU University Honors requirements by the Irvin D. Reid Honors College as follows:

Schoolcraft Scholars Honors Program	WSU University Honors co-major
HUM 190 (3 credit hours)	HON 1000 (4 credits)
SOC 290 (3 credits)	HON 2000 (3 credits) HON 3000* (0 credits) Field Learning
Honors Options in 4 courses Examples include: BIO 101, ENG 101, ENG 102, CHEM 111, PSYCH 201 and/or other transferable courses	Recognized as courses and credits up to the maximum permitted (14) Examples include: BIO 1050, ENG 1020, ENG 3010, CHM 1070, PSY 1020, and/or other transferable courses
50 Service Hours	
15 Enrichment Hours	

<sup>\*</sup>Credit for HON 3000 stems from both the service-learning course SOC 290 and the service/enrichment hours.

#### **Graduating with WSU University Honors**

Upon transfer to WSU, students will complete a Special Topics Seminar HON 42xx, an Honors Thesis HON 4998, and additional Honors credits to total at least 28 Honors credits, which may include up to 14 credits from Schoolcraft. Students are encouraged to meet with the WSU Honors advisor as soon as possible for additional guidelines.