# MINNESOTA STATE COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES\* TRANSFER AGREEMENT BETWEEN

## ANOKA-RAMSEY COMMUNITY COLLEGE AND SAINT MARY'S UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA

\*The Board of Trustees of the Minnesota State Colleges and Universities is authorized by Minnesota Statutes, Chapter 136F to enter into Agreements and has delegated this authority to colleges and universities.

This Agreement is entered into between ANOKA-RAMSEY COMMUNITY COLLEGE (ARCC) (hereinafter sending institution), and SAINT MARY'S UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA (SMUMN) (hereinafter receiving institution). This Agreement and any amendments and supplements, shall be interpreted pursuant to the laws of the State of Minnesota.

The sending institution has established an **Associate of Science in Cybersecurity** (hereinafter sending program), and the receiving institution has established a **Bachelor of Science in Information Technology – Cybersecurity Specialization** (hereinafter receiving program), and will facilitate credit transfer and provide a smooth transition from one related program to another. It is mutually agreed:

#### **Admission and Graduation Requirements**

- A. The receiving institution's admission and program admission requirements apply to both direct entry students and to students who transfer under this agreement.
- B. Students must fulfill the graduation requirements at both institutions.
- C. Students must complete the entire sending program and meet the receiving institution's admission requirements for the agreement to apply, including grade requirements for courses and an overall GPA requirement.

#### **Transfer of Credits**

- A. The receiving institution will accept **60 credits** from the sending program. A total of **60 credits** remain to complete the receiving program.
- B. Courses will transfer as described in the attached Program Transfer Table. For system institutions, once the courses are encoded, they will transfer as described in the "Transferology" audit.

#### Implementation and Review

- A. The Chief Academic Officers or designees of the parties to this agreement will implement the terms of this agreement, including identifying and incorporating any changes into subsequent agreements, assuring compliance with system policy, procedure and guidelines, and conducting a periodic review of this agreement.
- B. This Transfer Agreement is effective on 01/01/24 and shall remain in effect until 12/31/28 or for five years, whichever occurs first, unless terminated or amended by either party with 90 days prior written notice.
- C. The college and university shall work with students to resolve the transfer of courses should changes to either program occur while the agreement is in effect.
- D. This Transfer Agreement will be reviewed by both parties beginning 07/01/28 (within six months of the end date).
- E. When a student notifies the receiving institution of their intent to follow this agreement, the receiving institution will encode course waivers and substitutions.

### **PROGRAM TRANSFER TABLE**

Check if the sending program \_\_\_\_ or receiving program \_\_\_\_ is new.

	College (sending)	University (receiving)
Institution	Anoka-Ramsey Community College	Saint Mary's University of Minnesota
Program name	Cybersecurity	Information Technology – Cybersecurity Specialization
Award Type (e.g., AS)	AS	BS
Credit Length	60	120
CIP code (6-digit)	11.1003	11.1003
Describe program admission requirements (if any)		An official transcript issued to Saint Mary's University with a minimum of 30 semester credits including a basic English Composition course.

#### **Instructions**

- List all required courses in both academic programs.
- MnTC goal areas transfer to the receiving institution according to the goal areas designated by the sending institution.
- Do not indicate a goal area for general education courses that are not part of the MnTC.
- For restricted or unrestricted electives, list number of credits.
- Credits applied: the receiving institution course credit amount may be more or less than the sending institution credit amount. Enter the number of credits that the receiving institution will apply toward degree completion.
- Show equivalent university-college courses on the same row to ensure accurate DARS encoding.
- Equiv/Sub/Wav column: If a course is to be encoded as equivalent, enter Equiv. If a course is to be accepted by the university as a "substitution" only for the purposes of this agreement, enter Sub. If a course requirement is waived by the receiving institution, enter Wav. If a course is to be accepted by the university as a MnTC goal area, restricted elective or unrestricted elective, leave the cell blank.

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#### **SECTION A - Minnesota Transfer Curriculum-General Education**

College (sending)			University (receiving)			
course prefix, number and name	Goal(s)	Credits	course prefix, number and name	Goal(s)1	Credits Applied	Equiv Sub Wav
Minnesota Transfer Curriculum-General	Education	7,4,3	of the second collection of the second column is			
30 credits required, with at least one course from six of the MnTC general education goal areas. One course can meet more than one goal area, although credits counted only once.						
ENGL1120-Cross Current College Writing OR ENGL1121-College Writing and Critical Reading	1, 2	4	Written Communications		4	Sub
CMST1110-Introduction to Communication, OR CMST2220-Interpersonal Communication, OR CMST2215-Public Speaking	1, 2 1, 7 1, 2	3 3	Oral Communications, OR Oral Communications, Global Human Perspectives, OR Oral Communications	,	3	Sub

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> MnTC goal areas transfer to the receiving MnSCU college/university according to the goal areas designated by the sending college/university

MnTC Goal 2-Critical Thinking	2	0-3	Info Literacy/Creative Problem Solving/Multidisciplinary Learning	3	Sub
MnTC Goal 3-Natural Sciences	3	0-3	Science	0-3	Sub
MATH1200-College Algebra OR PHIL1105- Introduction to Logic and Critical Reasoning	4	3	Mathematics	3	Sub
ECON2205-Macroeconomics	5, 2	3	History, Social, and Behavioral Science, Info Literacy/Creative Prblm. Solving/Multidisciplinary Learning	3	Sub
MnTC Goal 6-Humanities and Fine Arts course	6	0-3	Humanities and Fine Arts	0-3	Sub
MnTC Goal 7-Human Diversity course	7	0-3	Global Human Perspectives	0-3	Sub
MnTC Goal 8-Global Perspectives course	8	0-3	Global Human Perspectives	0-3	Sub
MnTC Goal 9-Ethics/Civic Responsibility course	9	0-3	Ethics & Civic Responsibility	0-3	Sub
MnTC Goal 10-People and the Environment course	10	0-3	(depends on course)	0-3	Sub
MnTC/General Education Total		30			

Special Notes, if any:

# SECTION B - Major, Emphasis, Restricted and Unrestricted Electives or Other

(pre-requisite courses, required core courses, required courses in an emphasis, or electives (restricted or general) within the major). Restricted electives (in Major) fulfill a specific requirement within a major. Example A: "Chose two of the following three courses;" Example B: A

Major, Emphasis, Restricted, Unrestricted Elective or Other Courses	es		His	
CNET1100-Introduction to Information Technology	3	IT300-Intro to Computer and Info Technology	3	Sub
CNET1105-Introduction to Cybersecurity	1	General education elective	1	
CNET2101-Introduction to Networks	3	General education elective	3	
CNET2110-Principles of IT Security	3	IT400 Intro to Cybersecurity	3	Sub
CNET2114-Fundamentals of Linux/UNIX	3	General education elective	3	
CNET2125-System Virtualization	3	General education elective	3	
CNET2220-Cyber Operations	3	General education elective	3	
CNET2390-IT Service Management	2	General education elective	2	
CNET2230-Ethical Hacking	3	IT410-Cyberwarfare and Hacker Techniques	. 3	Sub
CNET2302-Routing, Switching, and Wireless Essentials	3	General education elective	3	
CSCI1101-Intro to Computer Science and Problem-Solving	3	General education elective	3	
Unrestricted elective credits (if none enter 0)	0	College's unrestricted elective credits accepted in transfer (if none enter 0)	0	
Major, Emphasis, Unrestricted Electives Total		Total College Credits Applied (sum of sections A and B)	60	

Course prefix,	number and name	Credits
Required Information Tec	chnology Courses	
IT302 Introduction to Compu	iter Programming	3
IT303 Data and Database Ad	ministration	3
IT305 Enterprise Architecture	Fundamentals	3
IT415 Computer Network and	d Mobile Technologies	3
IT432 Network Security		3
IT440 Business Intelligence F	- - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - -	3
IT457 Cloud Computing Fund	lamentals	3
IT405 Computer Forensics ar	nd Incident Response	3
Required Communication	Courses	
COM309 – Professional Writin	ng	3
COM310 – Professional Comn	nunications	3
Required Capstone		
MG495 – Bachelor of Science	Capstone	3
Core Program Elective Co	urses	
See catalog for elective cours	se options	0
University unrestricted electiv (if none enter 0)	ve credits not counted elsewhere	27
Total Remaining	University Credits	60

SECTION D - S	umma	ary of Total Program Credits	
College (sending) Credits		University (receiving) Requirements	
MnTC/General Education	30		
Major, Emphasis, Unrestricted Electives or Other	30		
Total College Credits		Total College Credits Applied	60
		**Remaining credit to be taken at the university (receiving institution)	60
		Total Program Credits	120

Special Notes, if any: Per Saint Mary's University of Minnesota (SMUMN) policy, SMUMN will transfer college-level courses completed at Minnesota State community and technical colleges with grades of "C-" or better. A minimum of 30 semester credits transferrable to Saint Mary's University of Minnesota (to include an English composition course) are required for admission to an SMUMN bachelor's completion program. A minimum of 30 of the 120 program semester credits need to be completed at SMUMN (minimum residency requirement; see SMUMN policy).

College	Name	Signature	Date			
Chief Academic Officer	Steve Crittenden	Steve Crittal	12/4/23			
Academic Dean	Becky Krystyniak	Miller Landenic	12/5/23			
Faculty		00				
University	Name	Signature	Date			
Chief Academic Officer						
Provost and Dean of Faculties	Max Bonilla	M Bonghi	1/23/2024			
DARS Encoder						
Date when equivalencies were verified/encoded in DARS by the receiving MnSCU institution.						