Agreement between
The University of Hawaii at Hilo
and the Colleges of the
Peralta Community College District

June 2006

The University of Hawaii (UHH) and The Colleges of the Peralta Community Colleges District agree to explore curricular and advising pathways to facilitate the transfer of students from Alameda College, Laney College, Berkeley City College and Merritt College to selected baccalaureate programs at UHH.

Additionally, representatives from the Office of the Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs at UHH and the Office of the Vice Chancellor of the Peralta Community Colleges District will

- Identify programs on each of the campuses that are appropriate for a program-to-program articulation agreement
- Work with the faculty in these programs to develop curricular pathways and advising materials to facilitate transfer between the two institutions
- Identify faculty members in each selected program on each campus who will coordinate the joint program and serve as the advisor for students in the program.

Once program articulation has been completed, students in the selected Peralta Community Colleges District program will be eligible for future dated admission to the selected UHH program upon the completion of 24 credits and satisfaction of the specific admissions requirements of the College and major into which they wish to matriculate. Students under the articulation agreement will remain at their Community College until the completion of their A.A. or A.S. degree and an agreed upon set of lower division courses required for General Education or pre-requisites for upper division courses in the major. Admission to UHH will be future dated to the semester when the student will begin taking UHH courses, and final admission will be subject to confirmation upon review of each student's transcript at the time of transfer.

Students who complete the A.A. degree at any of the Peralta Community Colleges will have fulfilled the requirements for General Education at UHH. The transcripts of students who complete the A.S. degree will be reviewed to determine which General Education requirements have been fulfilled and which will need to be fulfilled with additional coursework.
A student admitted to an articulated program under this agreement will

- Be eligible to graduate under the UHH catalog in force in the semester in which
  the student is accepted into the articulated baccalaureate program, the catalog in
  force when s/he formally transfers to UHH or the catalog in force when the
  student graduates from UHH.
- Be offered advising by the faculty member identified as responsible for
  coordinating the joint program on the Peralta Community College District campus
  so that the student can design a course of study to complete the agreed upon pre-
  requisite courses prior to transfer to UHH.
- Be afforded e-mail access to the faculty member coordinating the joint program
  on the UHH campus.
- Be able to register for UHH courses during UHH’s early registration period prior
  to the student’s first semester at UHH.

Terms and Termination

- This agreement shall not create any rights in any third parties. The only parties to
  this agreement are UHH and the Colleges of the Peralta Community College
  District.
- Amendments to this agreement must be in writing and approved by the designated
  representative of each institution.
- Either party may terminate this agreement for cause by giving written notice to
  the designated representative at least 90 days prior to the commencement of a new
  academic term.

Signatures

Rose Tseng
Chancellor
University of Hawaii at Hilo

Cecilia Cervantes
President
College of Alameda

Elihu Harris
Chancellor
Peralta Community College District

Judy Walters
President
Berkeley City College

George Herring
President
Merritt College

Frank Chong
President
Laney College