CONCURRENT ENROLLMENT AGREEMENT BETWEEN SFCC COMMUNITY COLLEGE AND CENTRAL METHODIST UNIVERSITY

This formal articulation agreement is made and entered into by STATE FAIR COMMUNITY COLLEGE, hereinafter referred to as SFCC, and by CENTRAL METHODIST UNIVERSITY, hereinafter referred to as CMU. By entering into this agreement, SFCC and CMU express our mutual commitment to serve SFCC students by providing high quality educational programs and services concurrently.

PURPOSE: CONCURRENT ENROLLMENT

"Concurrent enrollment" refers to students admitted at both CMU and SFCC and receiving academic credit at both institutions. Concurrent enrollment provides a SFCC student the opportunity to benefit from a four-year college experience while simultaneously attending and enrolled in any combination of course at both SFCC and CMU.

Section I: Conditions of Concurrent Agreement

Students who participate in concurrent enrollment will be subject to all policies of each institution. For financial aid purposes, "Home institution" for the purpose of this MOU refers to SFCC and the "host "institution" is CMU during which time a student is enrolled concurrently and prior to earning an associate degree at SFCC. Students will be encouraged and advised to complete an associate's degree with SFCC. Eligible CMU students may elect to participate in Missouri Reverse Transfer (MRT) to complete their associate degree at SFCC.

Section II: Sharing of Transcripts

Each school will share official transcripts at the end of each enrollment term through a secure data sharing mechanism at no cost to the student. Students will complete a FERPA waiver to allow sharing of information between institutions.

Students will also sign a transcript release agreement (a shared document between CMU and SFCC) allowing each institution to send official transcripts upon the completion of each semester in which the student is enrolled at an institution to maintain the accuracy of the degree audit report and to assist with advising practices.

Section III: Admissions and Matriculation

SFCC students concurrently enrolled with CMU under this agreement will be afforded the same treatment and protection as CMU native students enrolled under a specific catalog year of the admissions date. Criteria for acceptance into CMU will be the same for transfer as for native students.

TERMS OF AGREEMENT:

This agreement is made and entered dated below and remains in effect here forth. Both institutions hereby indicate full agreement to the terms and conditions included above and the honoring of the SFCC-CMU Articulation Agreements, degree requirements, and attached as appendices to this agreement. The agreement may be amended at any time with the approval of both institutions and is subject to review every five years to assure currency with the respective degree requirements. Should either institution desire to discontinue this agreement, advance notification of two years (24 months) will be required.

SIGNATURES:

State Fair Community College (SFCC) and Central Methodist University (CMU) hereby enter into this Concurrent Enrollment Agreement. by the affixing of signatures of the provost officers of both institutions.

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PROVOST, CENTRAL METHODIST UNIVERSITY

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