DUAL ADMISSIONS PARTNERSHIP AGREEMENT BETWEEN BLOOMSBURG UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA and LEHIGH CARBON COMMUNITY COLLEGE

THIS AGREEMENT made and entered into this 13th day of October, 2021, between Bloomsburg University of Pennsylvania of the State System of Higher Education and Lehigh Carbon Community College.

NOW, THEREFORE, for and in consideration of the foregoing and the mutual promises hereinafter expressed and intending to be legally bound hereby, the Parties agree as follows:

A. INTRODUCTION

Bloomsburg University of Pennsylvania and Lehigh Carbon Community College (hereinafter referred to as "Bloomsburg University and "LCCC") agree to establish this dual admissions agreement whereby students who apply for dual admission and graduate from LCCC are guaranteed admission to Bloomsburg University with at least full junior standing in Bloomsburg University's Bachelor of Science in Electronics Engineering Technology program when the following criteria are met:

- 1. Submission of the Dual Admission Intent Form, preferably prior to completing 45 credits at LCCC.
- 2. Graduate with an Associate in Applied Science degree in Electrical Engineering Technology from LCCC.
- Fulfill Bloomsburg University transfer admission requirements.

The purposes of this agreement are:

- 1. To establish a seamless dual admissions partnership agreement that involves the participating community college and a 4-year Bachelor degree granting institution.
- 2. To cooperatively provide a program of study consisting of a sequence of technical courses and industrial experience following a logical progression toward the Bachelor of Science in Electronics Engineering Technology.
- 3. To enable qualified graduates of LCCC to build upon their education and training by earning a baccalaureate degree.
- 4. To enable Bloomsburg University to attract a more diverse population of students to the Electronics Engineering Technology program.
- To enable community college graduates to obtain a quality education at a low cost, and, in doing so, provide the commonwealth with qualified engineering technology graduates.

6. To ensure recognition of the continuity of academic progress and transferability of credits between two-year and four-year programs.

B. PROCEDURES

LCCC agrees to publicize this dual admissions agreement to prospective students in its admissions literature and as part of regular student recruitment, and inform qualified, matriculating students matriculating of the opportunity for admission to Bloomsburg University under the terms of this agreement.

LCCC students must enroll within one year of graduation and cannot attend another institution in between attending LCCC and Bloomsburg University.

Bloomsburg University will issue a conditional acceptance letter to eligible candidates who have submitted the Dual Admission Intent Form. LCCC students must complete the Bloomsburg University transfer application by May 1st if enrolling for the following fall semester at Bloomsburg University.

Most importantly, this agreement ensures early advising. The Electronics Engineering Technology Program Coordinator at Bloomsburg University will meet with dual admitted students at least once per semester regarding the student's academic plan and maintain close contact throughout the admissions process. LCCC and Bloomsburg University have an articulation agreement documenting how courses transfer, which is critical for course registration.

The following items are the responsibility of students participating in the dual admissions program:

- 1. Complete the sequence of courses specified on the Program-to-Program Guaranteed Admissions Worksheet with a minimum overall grade point average of 2.00 on a 4-point scale.
- 2. At the time of application, provide high school transcripts and transcripts of all college courses taken up to and including the previous semester.
- 3. Upon receiving the Associate Degree from LCCC, provide complete LCCC transcripts to Bloomsburg University.
- 4. Submit the Dual Admission Intent Form. LCCC students must complete the Bloomsburg University transfer application by May 1st if enrolling for the following fall semester at Bloomsburg University. Admission under this agreement will be contingent upon completing items 1 to 3, above, and receiving the Associate of Applied Science degree from LCCC.
- 5. Pay the required advanced deposit to hold a seat for the fall semester.
- 6. Pay Bloomsburg University's tuition and fees for those semesters in which they are registered for courses at Bloomsburg University.

7. A course-by-course evaluation and transfer will be accepted from LCCC

for graduates of approved majors or comparable programs. Additional courses not used to satisfy requirements for the Associate Degree will be evaluated for transfer credit on a course-by-course basis. Credits earned-ata college or institution which does not hold accreditation by a regional 01/10/2022 accrediting body will not transfer, Credits earned at a college or institution which does not hold accreditation by a regional accrediting body will be evaluated on a case by case basis at Bloomsburg University. except for 10 JAN 2022 Credits earned through LCCC's Career and Technical Education (CTE) Articulation Agreements will transfer as equivalent credit to Bloomsburg University B.S. in Electronics Engineering Technology as indicated in this

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8. Students must take at least 30 of the last 45 credits earned toward a

baccalaureate degree at Bloomsburg University. In addition, 50% of the credits required for the major must be earned at a State System University. Students enrolled at Bloomsburg University shall comply with its academic policies and requirements. Specific academic policies and degree requirements in effect for the Bachelor of Science degree, as awarded by the University, will be such as exist at the time of student enrollment in the program.

- 9. Complete four semesters of study on the Bloomsburg University campus (semesters V (fall), VI (spring), VIII (spring), and IX (fall)), and follow the Recommended course sequence for LCCC Transfer Students.
- 10. Complete the six-month cooperative education experience during Semester VII (summer-fall). During this semester students will pay no tuition to Bloomsburg University, and they are expected to provide a report of their activities.

C. CONDITIONS OF THE AGREEMENT

- 1. The Coordinator of the Bachelor of Science degree program in Electronics Engineering Technology at Bloomsburg University and the Coordinator of the Associate in Applied Science degree in Electrical Engineering Technology at LCCC will monitor this agreement.
- 2. The term of this agreement shall be five years commencing when all applicable signatures are obtained.
- 3. Either institution may withdraw from the agreement upon written notification of the other, with exception to commitments already in effect for students who have applied to Bloomsburg University. Such commitments will be honored. In the event of a substantial breach, such as, a lack of response to requests for information and or adequate participation, either party may terminate this agreement.
- 4. The relationship of the parties to this contract shall not be construed to constitute a partnership, joint venture, or any other relationship, other than that of independent contractors.
- 5. The parties agree to continue their respective policies of nondiscrimination based on Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 in regard to sex, age, race, color, creed, national origin, Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972 and other applicable laws, as well as the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act.

- 6. Neither of the parties shall assume any liabilities as a result of this agreement. As to liability to each other, death to persons, or damages to property, the parties do not waive any defense as a result of entering into this contract. This provision shall not be construed to limit Bloomsburg University of Pennsylvania's rights, claims or defenses, which arise as a matter of law pursuant to any provisions of this contract. This provision shall not be construed to limit the sovereign immunity of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania or of the Pennsylvania State System of Higher Education or Bloomsburg University.
- 7. This agreement represents the entire understanding between the parties. This agreement can be modified only in writing with the same formality as the original agreement.
- 8. This agreement shall be governed and interpreted in accordance with the laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.
- 9. Nothing in this agreement shall interfere with the Parties' ability to comply with applicable law including, the revisions intended in PDE's Article 76 of 2019 with a proposed effective date of June 2021. Upon the effective date of the changes to Article 76, this agreement may need to be amended in order to address any changes necessary to align with accurate reporting outlined in Article 76.

In WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have caused this agreement to be executed pursuant to due and legal action authorizing the same to be done the date first written above.

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Lehigh Carbon Community College ==> Bloomsburg University

A.A.S. Electrical Engineering Technology ==> B.S. Electronics Engineering Technology Articulation Agreement Worksheet

LCCC Course	Sem. Credits	BU Equivalent Course	BU-EET Program Substitution	Sem. Credits	Transfer Credits
BGT 110 Fundamentals of Technology*	3	ENGTECH 101 Intro to Engr. Tech.		3	3
ELE 120 DC Circuits*	4	ENGTECH 199		4	4
ELE 130 Digital Fundamentals	4	PHYSICS 316 Digital Electronics		3	3
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ENG 105 Research and Composition	3	ENGLISH 101 Found, of College Writing		3	3
MAT 191 Calculus and Analytic Geometry I	4	MATH 125 Calculus I		4	4
ELE 165 AC Circuits*	4	ENGTECH 141 Circuit Analysis		4	4
ELE 175 Intro to Microprocessors	4	PHYSICS 317 Computer Electronics		3	3
·		ENGTECH 199		1	1
MAT 196 Calculus and Analytic Geometry II	4	MATH 126 Calculus II		4	4
PHY 201 Intro to Physics I	4	PHYSICS 201 Introductory Physics I	PHYSICS 211 General Physics I	4	4
Elective: Social Sciences	3	General Education course		3	3
EGR 213 Statics	3	PHYSICS 301 Mechanics: Statics		3	3
ELE 210 Electronic Circuits	4	PHYSICS 315 Electronics		4	4
ELE 215 Industrial Electronics	2	ENGTECH 299	ENGTECH 241 Instrum. & Data Acq.	3	3
ELE 235 Programmable Controllers	2	ENGIEGI E99	ENGTECH 299	1	1
PHY 202 Intro to Physics II	4	PHYSICS 202 Introductory Physics II	PHYSICS 212 General Physics II	4	4
ELE 275 Integrated Circuits	4	ENGTECH 299		4	4
ELE 255 Telecommunications	3	ENGTECH 299		3	3
BGT 240 Industrial Automation	3	ENGTECH 299	ENGTECH 321 Manuf. Processes	3	3
ENG 107 Writing in the Workplace	3	ENGLISH 199		3	3
Elective: Humanities	3	General Education course		3	3

Total Credits 68

^{*} credits earned through Career and Technical Education (CTE) Articulation Agreement will transfer as equivalent credit to Bloomsburg University B.S. in Electronics Engineering Technology

Bloomsburg University: B.S. in Electronics Engineering Technology

Recommended Course Sequence for Lehigh Carbon Community College <u>Electrical Engineering Technology</u> A.A.S. Transfer Students

Semester V, Fall		
MATH 322	Differential Equations	3
COMPSCI 115	Python Programming	3
CHEM 115	Chemistry for the Sciences I	. 4
COMMSTUD 103	Public Speaking	3
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Semester VI, Spring		
ENGTECH 331	Linear Signals & Systems	3
ENGTECH 180	CAD & Engineering Graphics	3
ENGTECH 231	Electrical Machines & Power Systems	4
INTSTUDY 231	Technical Writing	3
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Semester VII, Summer-Fall		
ENGTECH 380	Co-op Education in Industry I	0

Semester VIII, Spring		
ENGTECH 381	Engineering Applications in Industry I	3
ENGTECH 431	Industrial Process Control	3
ENGTECH 441	Communication Systems	4
	Free Elective	3
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Semester IX, Fall		
ENGTECH 461	RF Effects & Measurements	3
ENGTECH 491	Senior Design Project	3
	Free Elective	3
	Free Elective	3
	Free Elective	3
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Total Condition at DIII	
Total Credits at BU	54