

PROGRAM TO PROGRAM ARTICULATION AGREEMENT

Between

WESTERN DAKOTA TECHNICAL COLLEGE

and

SOUTH DAKOTA STATE UNIVERSITY

Agreement with Respect to Applying the

Medical Laboratory Technician

Associate of Applied Science Degree Program

Towards the

Bachelor of Science, major in Medical Laboratory Science Degree Program

I. Parties

Parties to this agreement are Western Dakota Technical College (WDTC) and South Dakota State University (SDSU)

II. Purpose

The purpose of this agreement is to:

- A. have a signed articulation agreement that addresses the varying needs of students and complementary nature of the institution's programs;
- B. provide increased educational opportunities for students from South Dakota and the region.
- C. extend and clarify educational opportunities for students; and
- D. provide WDTC graduates of the A.A.S. degree an opportunity to earn a Bachelor of Science degree with a major in Medical Laboratory Science.

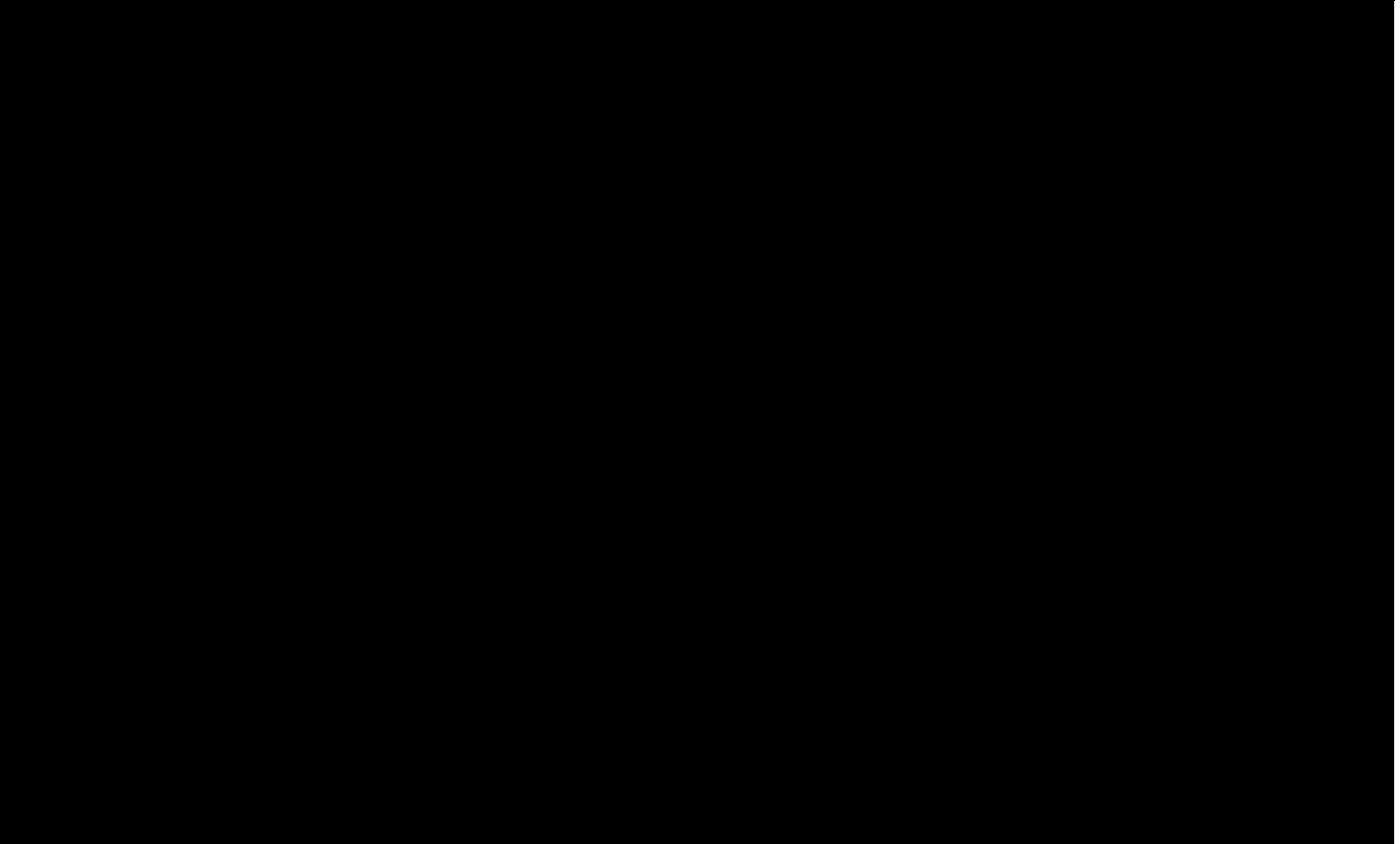
III. Academic Program

- A. Upon successful completion of the major requirements specified in III, SDSU will accept 41 technical course credits as a block from the A.A.S. degree in Medical Laboratory Technician coursework. These technical credits will be placed on the student's transcript as MLS 368: Technical Transfer credit consistent with the MLS Upward Mobility Program. Transferable prerequisite and general education credits meeting South Dakota Board of Regents (SDBOR) and SDSU transfer requirements may be earned at Western Dakota Technical College and are in addition to the MLT technical credits.

No more than a total of 60 credits may be transferred from Western Dakota Technical College to SDSU. At least 30 credits must be completed at SDSU. Students must meet all SDBOR and SDSU policies and graduation requirements to earn the Medical Laboratory Science degree.

B. Requirements completed in the Medical Laboratory Science Upward Mobility curriculum 40 credits

1. MLS312: MLT to MLS Transitional Experience (3 credits)
2. MLS 401: Hematology II/Hemostasis (3 credits)
3. MLS 431: Principles of Immunohematology (2 credits)



Additional Requirements:

1. Students transf

