

**ARTICULATION AGREEMENT  
BETWEEN  
VALENCIA COLLEGE**

**A.S. Degree in Industrial Management Technology**

**and**

**Industrial Related Programs  
at  
LAKE TECHNICAL CENTER, INC.**

In a continuing effort to provide career ladder opportunities for students in career and technical education programs, Valencia College agrees to extend full college credit at no cost (other than the application for admission fee) to eligible students who have completed one of the following specified programs at Lake Technical Center.

This agreement is designed to provide opportunities for students to advance who have completed one of the approved industrial related postsecondary certificate or apprenticeship training programs. The Industrial Management Technology A.S. degree provides individuals currently working in industry an opportunity to pursue college level education that is appropriate for supervisory and management roles and upward mobility in their respective fields.

**LAKE TECHNICAL CENTER PROGRAM**

- Applied Welding Technologies (1170 hours)
- Automotive Collision Repair & Refinishing (1400 hours)
- Automotive Service Technology I (1050 hours)
- Automotive Service Technology I & II (1800 hours)
- Cosmetology (1200 Hours)
- Medium & Heavy Duty Truck and Bus Technician I (1050 Hours)
- Medium & Heavy Duty Truck and Bus Technician I & II (1800 hours)

**VALENCIA COLLEGE PROGRAM**

Industrial Management Technology A.S. Degree  
(24 –27 credits: see Award of Credit Section)

**APPROVED REGISTERED APPRENTICESHIPS**

- Plumbing Technology

**VALENCIA COLLEGE PROGRAM**

Industrial Management Technology A.S. Degree  
(Maximum 24 credits)

**MAXIMUM AWARD OF CREDIT**

This agreement makes it possible for a student to receive the following semester hours of college credit towards the Industrial Management Technology A.S. degree program at Valencia College which is in accordance with commonly accepted good practice in higher education.

**Lake Technical Center Program**

900 to 1,450 hours  
1,500 to 1,800 hours +

**Credit Awarded toward Technical Skills**

**Training Requirement of this Degree**

24 credits will be awarded  
27 credits will be awarded

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**EDUCATIONAL PROGRAM**

Valencia and Lake Technical Center, Inc. faculty and staff with responsibility for supervision and coordination of the Industrial related programs have assessed the adequacy of the documentation from the Florida Department of Education required curriculum frameworks for all of the articulated programs and determined that the learning outcomes, performance standards, and assessment procedures meet the college standards for college credit course work and that the learning outcomes are:

1. consistent with the course work in AS degree being articulated.
2. based on the statewide PSAV to AS Degree Statewide agreement, an alternative form of student assessment or is taught by faculty who have a minimum of an BS/BA degree in the required area or meet other described criteria.

**TRANSFERRING PROCESS**

The transferring student must have compiled a GPA of "C", (satisfactory) or better and must furnish a certificate of completion for one of the approved industrial related postsecondary certificate or apprenticeship training programs at Lake Technical Center, Inc., along with an official signed copy of their student record.

To have the courses reported on the official Valencia College transcript, transferring students must:

1. Meet regular College entrance requirements.
2. Complete the College Application and pay the College Admission Fee.
3. Be accepted into Valencia within five years of completing one of the specified industrial related postsecondary certificate or approved apprenticeship training programs.
4. Declare a major in the articulated program.
5. Comply with the appropriate placement, course prerequisites and requirements of the college.
6. Successfully complete course work with a "C" or better at Valencia while currently enrolled on either a part-time or full-time basis for one semester to have the credit awarded on the official college transcript.
7. The Dean of Business on Valencia's East, West and Osceola Campuses and the Program Chairs for Business Administration, at Valencia, will evaluate the student's record and notify the Registrar's Office of acceptable credit to be transferred and awarded.

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**FACULTY ELIGIBILITY FOR AWARD OF CREDIT**

This agreement also provides opportunities for teaching faculty in the specified programs. Faculty currently teaching in one of the approved industrial related postsecondary certificate or apprenticeship training programs are eligible for the award of credit toward the Industrial Management Technology A.S. Degree.

Faculty must meet the following criteria:

1. Requirements in items 1,2,4,5, & 6 in the Transferring Process section of this agreement.
2. Furnish a Certificate of Completion from Lake Technical Center, Inc. or from another institution with the same program, or furnish a copy of a current and valid Florida license and/or industry certification in the field of the industrial program (this does not include a teaching certificate), or at least six years' experience comparable to the Certificate of Completion validated by Lake Technical Center, Inc.
3. Provide a letter from Lake Technical Center, Inc. identifying this faculty member as an eligible candidate for this program.

**TERMS OF AGREEMENT**

This agreement shall be reviewed and evaluated biannually. It shall remain in effect from May 2013 until either party identifies a need for revision or terminates this agreement with thirty days written notice.

**APPROVED:**

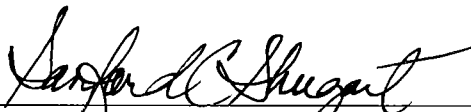
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**LAKE TECHNICAL CENTER**

**VALENCIA COLLEGE**



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Diane Culpepper  
Director  
Lake Technical Center



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President  
Valencia College

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