Memorandum of Understanding (MOU)
Articulation Agreement

Lubbock Christian University (LCU) and the Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center (TTUHSC) School of Health Professions (each, an "Institution") do hereby continue an affiliated program of study leading to a Bachelor of Science (BS) in Exercise Science: Emphasis in Athletic Training Fast Track at LCU and a Master of Athletic Training (MAT) at TTUHSC. Students in the program are required to earn 102 specified credit hours from LCU and may, if TTUHSC criteria are met, be eligible for application for provisional admission to the MAT program. Students admitted to MAT may then transfer the necessary 18 elective hours back to LCU in order to fulfill the requirements for the Bachelor of Science degree at the completion of the first summer and first Fall semester in the MAT.

A copy of the updated degree program is attached (Attachment A). If the student successfully meets all terms to this agreement and completes all other application requirements, the student will be fully admitted into the MAT program. Provided all coursework is completed in the prescribed sequence, eligible students could complete both degrees in five years.

Appropriate faculty members are to represent each Institution as program liaisons. Liaisons are to communicate regularly regarding program procedures and requirements, student recruitment and advisement, program personnel, and other relevant issues.

LCU agrees to make prospective and current students aware of the affiliated program of study, include the affiliated degree program requirements in its academic catalog, and notify its liaison of any changes that might affect the program. TTUHSC agrees to consider eligible student applicants for conditional admission, accept all appropriate LCU courses as fulfilling the prerequisites for admission, and notify its liaison of any changes that might affect the program.

This agreement will be evaluated after a five-year period in order to determine whether there is sufficient interest to continue the relationship. This agreement may be terminated by either Institution at any time without cause upon 30 days prior written notice to the other Institution. If this Agreement has terminated after a student has been accepted into the MAT program but prior to matriculation, TTUHSC will honor the acceptance.

Accepted for Lubbock Christian University by

[Signature]
Kent Gallaher, Ph.D.
Provost and Chief Academic Officer

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Penny Harkey
Executive Vice President

Date
10/17/2022

Date
10/16/2022
ATTACHMENT A

Proposed Athletic Training Emphasis Fast Track

Lubbock Christian University (LCU) has an affiliation with the Texas Tech University Health Science Center (TTUHSC) School of Health Professions (SHP) that provides outstanding athletic training students an opportunity to complete a bachelor’s and a master’s degree in five years. Upon completion of the 102-hour program of study, students apply for provisional admission to the TTUHSC SHP Master of Athletic Training Program. Students admitted to the graduate program may transfer the necessary elective hours back to the LCU to fulfill requirements for the Bachelor of Science Degree. Important Note: Students admitted provisionally at TTUHSC SHP are not eligible for federal aid until the B.S. degree is complete. For more information, contact SHP Office of Admissions and Student Affairs, 806.743.3220 or health.professional@ttuhsc.edu. Students successfully completing both programs would be eligible to sit for the examination for state licensing and the examination for national certification as an athletic trainer. Specific requirements for Athletic Training Emphasis/Fast-Track are as follows.

Bachelor of Science in Exercise Science: Emphasis in Athletic Training Fast Track (Current Plan)

A. University Core (46 hours)
   - BIB 1310 Intro to the Old Testament
   - BIB 1320 Intro to the New Testament
   - BIB 3305 Christian Heritage
   - BIB 3310 Christian Life
   - BIO 1405 Majors Bio I or BIO 1406 Majors Bio II
   - COM 2340 Communication for the Pro
   - ENG 1301 Composition Studies
   - ENG 1302 Composition and Literature
   - ESS 1200 Personal Fitness and Wellness
   - MAT 1311 College Algebra
   - UNI 1170 University Seminar
   - UNI 2000 University Skills
   - 3 hours from
     - PSY 1300 General Psychology
     - SOC 1300 General Sociology
   - 3 hours from HIS
   - 3 hours from ECO, FIN, GOV, or HIS
   - 6 hours from AFA, Arts HIS, ENG, GOV, HIS, PHI, REL, FOL, or BIL

B. The Major (23 hours)
   - ESS 1201 Intro to Exercise and Sport Sciences
   - ESS 2310 Care & Prevention of Athletic Injuries
   - ESS 2314 Human Movement
     (Prerequisite: BIO 2401)
   - ESS 3340 Motor Learning and Control
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ESS 3371 Physiology of Exercise  
(Prerequisite: BIO 2401 & BIO 2402)  
ESS 4301 Biomechanics (Prerequisite: ESS 2314)  
ESS 4382 Life Span Motor Development  

C. Athletic Training Emphasis (39 hours)  
BIO 2401 Human Anatomy and Physiology I  
BIO 2402 Human Anatomy and Physiology II  
PHY 1303 General Physics I  
PHY 1103 General Physics I lab  
ESS 1270 First Aid and CPR  
ESS 3353 Lower Extremity Eval  
(Prerequisite: BIO 2401) (fall only)  
ESS 3354 Upper Extremity Eval  
(Prerequisite: BIO 2401) (spring only)  
ESS 3329 Sport, Exercise, & Performance Psych  
ESS 4322 Sport & Exercise Nutrition or  
BIO 3322 Nutrition  
ESS 4361 Exercise Testing and Prescription I  
(Prerequisite: ESS 3341 & ESS 3371)  
ESS 4362 Exercise Testing and Prescription II  
(Prerequisite: ESS 4361)  
PSY 3310 Psychological Statistics  
4 hours from  
CHE 1306/1106 Intro to Chemistry/  
Intro to Chemistry Lab  
CHE 1307/1107 General Chemistry I/  
General Chemistry I Lab  

D. Electives (15 hours taken at TTUHSC)  

Summary  
University Core 46 hours  
The Major 23 hours  
Emphasis 39 hours  
Electives 15 hours  

Total 123 hours