



**NORTH CAROLINA COMMUNITY COLLEGE SYSTEM**  
*H. Martin Lancaster, President*

March 10, 2006

**RESPONSE DEADLINE: April 4, 2006**

MEMORANDUM

TO: Chief Academic Officers

FROM: Delores A. Parker, Vice President  
Academic and Student Services

SUBJECT: College Transfer Course List: Request for Additions

On February 3, 2006, business faculty from the NC Community College System and the University of North Carolina met to discuss the need for additional and/or revised pre-major articulation agreements in the areas of accounting, economics, finance, marketing, and information systems. Faculty committees from these five areas were convened by the Transfer Advisory Committee in an effort to review subject areas that demonstrate a high number of transfer students.

The committee members recommended the addition of the following courses to the approved list of college transfer courses:

BUS 137 Principles of Management	CSC 139 Visual BASIC Prog
CSC 239 Adv Visual BASIC Prog	CTS 115 Info Sys Business Concept

The committee members also recommended the incorporation of the areas of accounting, economics, finance, and marketing into the title of the Business Administration pre-major.

I would like to request that you utilize the accompanying form to provide us with your recommendations. The course descriptions are attached for your convenience. ***Please complete and return the form by April 4, 2006 to Jennifer Frazelle.*** You may fax your response to (919) 807-7164.

Thank you for your prompt attention to this matter. If you have questions or need assistance, please contact Jennifer Frazelle at (919) 807-7120.

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Attachments

c: Presidents  
Ms. Jennifer Frazelle

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**Comprehensive Articulation Agreement (CAA)  
College Transfer Course List  
Request for Additions**

<b>BUS 137</b>	<b>Principles of Management</b>	3	0	3
Prerequisites:	None			
Corequisites:	None			

This course is designed to be an overview of the major functions of management. Emphasis is placed on planning, organizing, controlling, directing, and communicating. Upon completion, students should be able to work as contributing members of a team utilizing these functions of management.

<b>CSC 139</b>	<b>Visual BASIC Prog</b>	2	3	3
Prerequisites:	None			
Corequisites:	None			

This course introduces computer programming using the Visual BASIC programming language with object-oriented programming principles. Emphasis is placed on event-driven programming methods, including creating and manipulating objects, classes, and using object-oriented tools such as the class debugger. Upon completion, students should be able to design, code, test and debug at a beginning level.

<b>CSC 239</b>	<b>Adv Visual BASIC Prog</b>	2	3	3
Prerequisites:	CSC 139			
Corequisites:	None			

This course is a continuation of CSC 139 using the Visual BASIC programming language with object-oriented programming principles. Emphasis is placed on event-driven programming methods, including creating and manipulating objects, classes, and using object-oriented tools such as the class debugger. Upon completion, students should be able to design, code, test, debug, and implement objects using the appropriate environment.

<b>CTS 115</b>	<b>Info Sys Business Concept</b>	3	0	3
Prerequisites:	None			
Corequisites:	None			

The course introduces the role of IT in managing business processes and the need for business process and IT alignment. Emphasis is placed on industry need for understanding business challenges and developing/managing information systems to contribute to the decision making process based on these challenges. Upon completion, students should be able to demonstrate knowledge of the 'hybrid business manager' and the potential offered by new technology and systems.

**Comprehensive Articulation Agreement (CAA)  
College Transfer Course List and Pre-Major Title Revision  
Recommendation Form**

**Proposed Course Classification:** College Transfer Pre-Major/Elective

**Rationale:** Business faculty committee members recommended the course additions to the approved college transfer list to address the needs of transfer students in high demand subject areas.

We have reviewed the proposed addition to the college transfer course list and recommend the adoption of the classification for:

**BUS 137**      Yes: \_\_\_\_\_      No: \_\_\_\_\_      Decline to Vote: \_\_\_\_\_      Do Not Offer: \_\_\_\_\_

**CSC 139**      Yes: \_\_\_\_\_      No: \_\_\_\_\_      Decline to Vote: \_\_\_\_\_      Do Not Offer: \_\_\_\_\_

**CSC 239**      Yes: \_\_\_\_\_      No: \_\_\_\_\_      Decline to Vote: \_\_\_\_\_      Do Not Offer: \_\_\_\_\_

**CTS 115**      Yes: \_\_\_\_\_      No: \_\_\_\_\_      Decline to Vote: \_\_\_\_\_      Do Not Offer: \_\_\_\_\_

Please list any reason(s) for not recommending the addition of the course to the college transfer course list: \_\_\_\_\_

**Pre-Major Articulation Curriculum Standard Title Revision**

**Current Title:** Associate in Arts/Business Administration (A1010B)

**Proposed Title:** Associate in Arts/Accounting, Business Administration, Economics, Finance and Marketing (A1010B)

**Rationale:** The faculty groups did not determine a need for separate pre-major articulation agreements for each subject area, but felt it was important to incorporate the areas into the title as a guidance tool.

**Recommendation:**      Yes: \_\_\_\_\_      No: \_\_\_\_\_      Decline to Vote: \_\_\_\_\_      Do Not Offer: \_\_\_\_\_

Please list any reason(s) for not recommending the title revision: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

College: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of President \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Please return this form by **April 4, 2006**, to:

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