

**Associate of Science - Sport Management**  
**AN AGREEMENT TO ESTABLISH A TRANSFER ARTICULATION AGREEMENT AND A 2+2**  
**PROGRAM PARTNERSHIP BETWEEN GEORGIA HIGHLANDS COLLEGE AND THE**  
**UNIVERSITY OF WEST GEORGIA**

This is a Joint Institutional Agreement on the part of Georgia Highlands College (GHC) and the University of West Georgia (UWG) to formally establish an educational partnership between the two institutions. This agreement is made between Georgia Highlands College School of Health Sciences' Department of Kinesiology and Wellness regarding the Associate of Science (AS) - Sports Management degree and the University of West Georgia's College of Education regarding the Bachelor of Science (BS) in Sport Management degree offered in the Department of Sport Management, Wellness, and Physical Education. In this agreement, GHC and UWG are collectively referred to as the parties.

The objectives of the agreement are to provide a partnership between GHC and UWG that will allow students to enroll at GHC, complete an Associate of Science - Sports Management degree, and be eligible to enroll with a major status into the Bachelor of Science in Sport Management in the College of Education at UWG.

The parties will:

- work to identify, recruit, and select students who clearly demonstrate academic and personal competencies required to function as successful students in the program.
- facilitate the transfer of all viable college courses as required in the University System of Georgia core curriculum.
- facilitate the transfer of AS level credits (GHC) towards completion of a BS program (UWG).
- create a seamless pipeline for AS degree (GHC) to BS degree (UWG).

**Acceptance of Transfer Credit at the University of West Georgia**

The following guidelines are used to award transfer credit:

- The transfer of credits is consistent with and subject to the conditions prescribed in each institution's published catalog at the time of the student's transfer request.
- Completion of the AS - Sports Management degree at GHC does not guarantee admission to the BS in Sport Management program at UWG. Candidates must successfully meet all requirements to gain admission to the University of West Georgia.
- This agreement will be reviewed annually by both parties to ensure continued transfer compatibility of courses. This agreement is in effect for a period of five years, at which time it may be reviewed and renewed. The agreement can be dissolved at any time by the written request of either of the parties listed above.

## 2+2 Partnership

Year 1 and 2	Georgia Highlands College	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Complete requirements for the Associate of Science, Sports Management</li> <li>• Graduate with an Associate of Science, Sports Management from GHC</li> <li>• Apply for admission to UWG</li> </ul>	<p><b>Special Notes:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Earn an overall GPA of 2.0.</li> </ul> <p><b>Specific course requirements:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• SMGT 2100 (GHC students must complete as part of area F)</li> <li>• BUSA 2205 (GHC students must complete as part of area F)</li> <li>• ECON 2105 (GHC students may complete as part of area E or F)</li> <li>• PHED 1020, 1100, 1120, 1121, 1130, 1200, 1210, 1211, 1230, 1231, 1321, 1322, 1420, 1421 (GHS students must complete one credit hour as part of area F)</li> <li>• PHED 1010 (GHC students must complete in place of PWLA courses)</li> <li>• SMGT 2300 (GHS students may complete as part of area F)</li> <li>• SMGT 2400 (GHS students may complete as part of area F)</li> <li>• SMGT 2220 (GHS students may complete as part of area F)</li> <li>• SMGT 2440 (GHC) will convert to SPMG 4667 (UWG)</li> <li>• SMGT 2230 (GHC) will convert to SPMG 3661 (UWG)</li> </ul> <p>Specific grade requirements: earn a minimum of a C in the following Area F courses</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• SMGT 2100</li> </ul>
Year 3 and 4	University of West Georgia	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Complete requirements for Bachelor of Science in Sport Management</li> <li>• Graduate with a BS from UWG</li> </ul>	<p><b>Special Notes:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Earn an overall GPA of 2.0.</li> <li>• Earn an overall GPA of 2.5 to qualify for SPMG 4686</li> </ul>

### GHC Coursework for an Associate of Science in Sport Management

The following crosswalk includes the specific courses that may be transferred from GHC to UWG, or the courses to be completed at GHC as part of the AS program to prepare for the BS at UWG.

# GHC-SPORTS MANAGEMENT PATHWAY

<b>AREA A - 9 HOURS</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> ENGL 1101
<input type="checkbox"/> ENGL 1102
<input type="checkbox"/> MATH 1001, 1111 or 1113
<b>AREA B - 4/5 HOURS</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> COMM 1100 or 1110
<input type="checkbox"/> CHOOSE ONE: GHHU 2901; GHMA 2901; GHSC 2901; GHSS 2901; IDIS 1100, 1101; or NSCI 1100
<b>AREA C - 6 HOURS</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> CHOOSE ONE English Literature: ENGL 2111, 2112, 2121, 2122, 2131, 2132, 2133, or 2135
<input type="checkbox"/> CHOOSE ONE Humanities Elective: ARTS 1111, 1112, 1113; ENGL 2010, 2111, 2112, 2121, 2122, 2131, 2132, 2133, 2135; FREN 1001, 1002, 2001, 2002; HUMS 2011; MUSC 1100; PHIL 2010; PHIL 2020, PHIL 2030; RELI 1116; SPAN 1001, 1002, 2001, 2002; or THEA 1100
<b>AREA D - 10/11 HOURS</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> CHOOSE TWO (one must have lab): ASTR 1000, 1010K, 1020K; BIOL 1010K, 1020, 2107K, 2108K, 2151K, 2153K, 2154K, 2190; CHEM 1151K, 1152K, 1211K, 1212K; ENVS 1123K, 1124K; GEOL 1121K, 1122K; NSCI 1200; PHSC 1011K, 1012K; PHYS 1111K, 1112K, 2211K, or 2212K
<input type="checkbox"/> CHOOSE ONE: Math 1113, 1401, 2040, or 2261
<b>AREA E - 12 HOURS</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> POLS 1101
<input type="checkbox"/> CHOOSE ONE: HIST 1111, 1112, 1121, 1122
<input type="checkbox"/> CHOOSE ONE: HIST 2111 or 2112
<input type="checkbox"/> CHOOSE ONE Social Science Elective: GEOG 1101; ECON 2105*( <i>recommended</i> ); HIST 1111, 1112, 1121, 1122, 2111, 2112, 2154; POLS 2401, 2501; PSYC 1101; RELI 1116; SOCI 1101, 1160
<b>AREA F - 18 HOURS</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> SMGT 2100
<input type="checkbox"/> ACCT 2101
<input type="checkbox"/> ECON 2105 or 2106 (if not taken in Area E)
<input type="checkbox"/> Choose 6-9 credit hours from the following: SMGT 2220, 2230, 2300, 2400, 2440; BUSA 2106, 2205; PHED 1011, 2500; ACCT 2102; ECON 2105, 2106
<b>INSTITUTIONAL REQUIREMENTS OUTSIDE THE CORE</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> PHED 1010
<input type="checkbox"/> PHED Elective

# Crosswalk (GHC, left - UWG, right)

AREA F – 18 HOURS	Credit	Area F - 18 Hours	Credit
<input type="checkbox"/> SMGT 2100	3	SPMG 2600	3
<input type="checkbox"/> SMGT 2220	3	Elective	3
<input type="checkbox"/> SMGT 2230	3	Professional Content	
<input type="checkbox"/> ACCT 2101	3	Elective	3
<input type="checkbox"/> Choose 9-12 credit hours from the following: ACCT 2102; SMGT 2220, 2230, 2300, 2400, 2440; PHED 1011, 2500; Econ 2105 or 2106 (if not taken in area E)	6	Remaining Electives	6
<input type="checkbox"/> BUSA 2205	3	CISM 2201	3
<b>INSTITUTIONAL REQUIREMENTS OUTSIDE THE CORE</b>		<b>Physical Education Courses</b>	
<input type="checkbox"/> PHED 1010	2	PWLA 1600	2
<input type="checkbox"/> PHED Elective	1	PWLA Pe Activity Course	1

	Credit	Professional - 60 HOURS	Credit
<input type="checkbox"/> SMGT 2440	3	SPMG 4667	3
<input type="checkbox"/> SMGT 2230	3	SPMG 3661	3

## Notes:

- Earn an overall GPA of 2.0.
- Specific grade requirements: earn a minimum of a C in the following area F courses
  - SMGT 2100

\*Equivalencies based on the Course Equivalency Tool at [https://westga.gabest.usg.edu/B540/hwwktreq.display\\_report](https://westga.gabest.usg.edu/B540/hwwktreq.display_report)

eCore courses will be granted equivalency under current eCore-UWG agreements to satisfy Associate degree requirements or transfer course requirements listed above. Equivalencies for eCore and UWG as of November 2019 can be found at the following link:

<https://www.westga.edu/academics/ecore/index.php>

Transfer students must complete all coursework necessary in their respective degree plan of study before receiving their Associate degree from Georgia Highlands College or their Bachelor's degree from the University of West Georgia. This agreement is subject to change in order to comply with college requirements.

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