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## **Dual Degree Agreement for College of Engineering and Maryville College (UTK Notification)**

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April 28, 2015

Dr. Belle Wheelan  
President, Southern Association of Colleges and Schools  
Commission on Colleges  
1866 Southern Lane  
Decatur, GA 30033-4097

RE: Dual Degree Program Agreement

Dear Dr. Wheelan:

Please consider this letter notification from the University of Tennessee, Knoxville of a dual agreement between the UT College of Engineering and Maryville College.

The University of Tennessee, Knoxville College of Engineering entered into a collaborative agreement with Maryville College in 2002 and renewed in 2007. The attached agreement is the second renewal of this agreement.

Under this agreement, a student will spend three or four years at Maryville College, then complete the requirements for an engineering degree at the College of Engineering, University of Tennessee. Students will be eligible for admission to their selected engineering program at UT if they meet the general entrance requirements of the UT College of Engineering and the Department of their major and are recommended by Maryville College.

This agreement is in effect from March 20, 2015 until August 31, 2020. It will be reviewed in Fall 2020 to determine what changes can be made to make it more useful to both Maryville College and the College of Engineering before it is renewed.

*Lead Person authorized to answer questions about the agreement in the College of Engineering at the University of Tennessee, Knoxville:*

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Notification Letter: Dual Degree Program between Maryville College and College of Engineering at University of Tennessee

*Lead Person authorized to answer questions about the agreement at Maryville College, Maryville, Tennessee:*

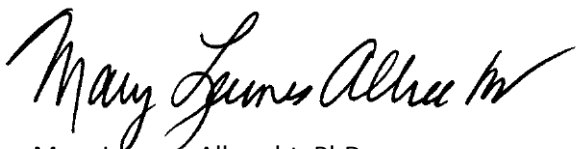
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I trust this letter satisfies the responsibility of the University of Tennessee to notify the SACS COC of these dual degree programs.

Sincerely,



Mary Lewnes Albrecht, PhD  
Associate Vice Provost and SACS COC Liaison

cc: Dr. Jimmy G. Cheek, Chancellor  
Dr. Susan D. Martin, Provost and Senior Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs  
Dr. Sally McMillan, Vice Provost for Academic Affairs  
Dr. Carolyn Hodges, Vice Provost and Dean of the Graduate School and Chair, Ad Hoc Collaborative Agreements Committee  
Dr. Wayne Davis, Dean, College of Engineering  
Dr. Masood Parang, Associate Dean, College of Engineering  
Dr. Steven M. Sheeley, Vice President, SACS COC

Attached: Dual Degree Program Agreement

## Dual Degree Program Agreement

The University of Tennessee College of Engineering and Maryville College agree to cooperate in a Dual Degree Program leading to a baccalaureate degree from Maryville College and a Bachelor of Science in Engineering from the University of Tennessee. Under this agreement, a student will spend three or four years at Maryville College, then complete the requirements for an engineering degree at the University of Tennessee. Students will be eligible for admission to their selected engineering program at UT if they meet the general entrance requirements of the UT College of Engineering and the department of their major and are recommended by Maryville College.

Maryville College will designate a Liaison Officer to make prospective students aware of the program and ensure that the program is advertised in the catalog and other promotional literature. The Liaison Officer will also notify his or her counterpart at the University of Tennessee of the relevant curriculum changes that would affect the administration of the program.


The College of Engineering at the University of Tennessee will also name a Liaison Officer to coordinate the program at UT. This officer will provide students in the program with UT catalogs, admission applications, scholarship applications, descriptive material for UT engineering majors, etc. The UT Liaison Officer will also notify his or her counterpart at Maryville College of relevant curriculum changes that would affect the administration of this program.

Selected course equivalencies in effect at the time of this agreement are attached as well as the UT College of Engineering admissions criteria for transfer students. Both of these documents may be updated as needed within the terms of this agreement.

This agreement will be in effect from March 20, 2015 until August 31, 2020. It will be reviewed in Fall 2020 to determine what changes can be made to make it more useful to both Maryville College and the College of Engineering before it is renewed.

Accepted for Maryville College by:


Accepted for University of Tennessee, Knoxville

  
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Tom Bogart, President/ Date

4-22-2015

  
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Jimmy G. Cheek, Chancellor/Date

3/31/15

  
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Barbara Wells, Vice President and Dean/Date

4-22-2015

  
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Wayne Davis, Dean of Engineering/ Date

3/31/15

Course Equivalencies

**Course Equivalencies**  
**for the UT College of Engineering and Maryville College**  
**DUAL DEGREE PROGRAM AGREEMENT**

<b>Maryville College Course</b>	<b>UTK equivalent<sup>1</sup></b>
<b>Composition 110</b>	<b>English 101</b>
<b>Composition 130</b>	<b>English 102</b>
<b>Chemistry 121</b>	<b>Chemistry 120</b>
<b>Chemistry 122</b>	<b>Chemistry 130<sup>2</sup></b>
<b>Math 125</b>	<b>Math 141</b>
<b>Math 225</b>	<b>Math 142</b>
<b>Math 235</b>	<b>Math 241</b>
<b>Math 236</b>	<b>Math 231</b>
<b>Math 232</b>	<b>Math 251 or Math 200<sup>3</sup></b>
<b>Physics 201, CSC 111, and 1 credit hour of UD technical course</b>	<b>EF 151, EF 152 and EF 105</b>
<b>CSC 112</b>	<b>EF 230</b>
<b>Physics 202</b>	<b>Physics 231</b>
<b>Physics 271</b>	<b>Physics 232</b>
<b>Economics 201</b>	<b>Economics 201<sup>4</sup></b>

Other approved course equivalencies can be found on the University of Tennessee registrar's website. The list should be consulted as students transition from Maryville College to the University of Tennessee to ensure credit hours are counted towards the University of Tennessee degree.

Completion of the general education program at Maryville College will meet most general education requirements of the UT College of Engineering. Because of the variation in individual student program, some courses require general education petition for which a syllabus is required.

**Notes:**

<sup>1</sup>UT courses in bold are required in all UT engineering programs.

<sup>2</sup>Chemistry 130 is required in the Biomedical, Chemical, Civil, Nuclear Engineering and Materials Science and Engineering programs

<sup>3</sup>Nuclear Engineering does not require Math 251 but all other programs require either Math 200 or Math 251.

<sup>4</sup>Economics 201 is required in the Aerospace, Biomedical, Civil, Industrial, Mechanical, Nuclear Engineering and Materials Science and Engineering programs.

## **Transfer Student Admission Criteria**

### **University of Tennessee College of Engineering**

**Transfer students, including internal UT transfers, must meet the minimum requirements stated below in order to be considered for admission to a major within the College:**

**1. Must have earned a minimum 2.80 cumulative grade point average and C or better over these specific courses or their equivalent: English 101, Chemistry 120, and Math 141 (and subsequent courses in the three sequences, if taken.). If the student has taken any physics courses,, they must have earned a C or better. For Maryville College Dual Degree Program students, the courses evaluated per this requirement are Composition 110, Chemistry 121, Math 125; and, if taken, Composition 120, Chemistry 122, Mathematics 225 and 235 and Physics 201 and 202.**

**2. The overall record will be evaluated for quality and seriousness of purpose. An excessive number of withdrawals, incompletes, repeated courses or failures may result in denial.**

**Reference: University of Tennessee Undergraduate Catalog**