

ARTICULATION AGREEMENT

between

STATE UNIVERSITY OF NEW YORK  
COLLEGE OF AGRICULTURE AND TECHNOLOGY AT COBLESKILL

and

GREATER SOUTHERN TIER BOCES (GST)

JANUARY 2025 – JANUARY 2030

The State University of New York College of Agriculture and Technology at Cobleskill and Greater Southern Tier BOCES jointly endorse this articulation agreement impacting graduates successfully completing the Cisco Networking Academy program at Greater Southern Tier BOCES. It is the intent of this agreement to recognize the breadth and depth of this program as a foundation for students who matriculate to SUNY Cobleskill. A candidate<sup>1</sup> from Greater Southern Tier BOCES who:

1. Receives a New York State high school diploma.
2. Follows the Cisco Networking Academy curriculum, achieving an 85 or higher average in each course included in the above curriculum and meets all other SUNY Cobleskill admission requirements for their major.
3. Receives a written recommendation from the Greater Southern Tier BOCES Cisco Networking Academy instructor or representative.

will be offered by SUNY College of Agriculture and Technology at Cobleskill:

1. Guaranteed admission into SUNY Cobleskill, provided that the student meets admission requirements for the program and that there is availability within the program.
2. Will receive advanced standing credit for SUNY Cobleskill's courses:
  - a. CITA 115 Introduction to Operating Systems (3 credits)
  - b. CITA 200 Introduction to Networking (3 credits)
  - c. CITA 230 Computer Networks (3 credits)
  - d. CITA 320 Network Administration (3 credits)

The student must complete and file a SUNY Cobleskill Admissions Application according to instructions. The letter of recommendation from the Cisco Networking Academy instructor or Greater Southern Tier BOCES representative must accompany the application stating the student attends this institution, which has an articulation agreement with SUNY Cobleskill.

In accordance with the provisions of the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act ("FERPA"), in order for SUNY Cobleskill to share information about the student from the student's educational records, Greater Southern Tier BOCES must agree not to disclose the information to a third party without the student's consent, and to use the information only for the purposes for which it was disclosed. The laws of the State of New York shall govern this agreement without regard to conflict of law provisions. Any dispute arising under this

Agreement shall be resolved in a court of competent jurisdiction in the State of New York. This Agreement contains the entire understanding of the parties with respect to the matters contained herein.

SUNY Cobleskill and Greater Southern Tier BOCES agree to communicate any curriculum changes or policies, which affect the agreed-upon relationship, as soon as it is reasonably possible. Both parties reserve the right to amend or revise this agreement. These changes must be submitted in writing and signed by both parties.

The effective date of this agreement is January 1, 2025, and will be reviewed for renewal, five years after signing, by the participating parties.

Persons not meeting these criteria have the option of applying to SUNY Cobleskill under regular admission procedure.

Date 2-27-25

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