



DUAL ADMISSIONS AGREEMENT
BETWEEN
THE COMMUNITY COLLEGE OF PHILADELPHIA
AND
CHEYNEY UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA

Preface

The Community College of Philadelphia ("CCP") and Cheyney University of Pennsylvania ("Cheyney") enter into this dual admissions agreement ("Agreement") to provide that students admitted into an Associate's degree (A.A., A.S. or designated A.A.S.) program at CCP will be admitted into a Bachelor's degree program at Cheyney with third-year (junior) status on the condition that they:

- a) graduate from CCP with a minimum GPA of 2.0;
- b) enroll at Cheyney within one year of CCP graduation;
- c) do not attend another institution of higher education between the time of graduation from CCP and enrollment at Cheyney;
- d) complete a "Dual Admissions Intent" form at the time of admission to CCP or no later than when they have completed a total of 30 transferable credits from CCP or any other institution; and
- e) satisfy all other regular Cheyney admissions requirements.

Students completing any Associate in Arts (A.A.), except Middle Level (4th to 8th Grades) and Secondary Education, and Associate in Science (A.S.) degree programs are eligible for the terms of this agreement. Only the following Associate in Applied Science (A.A.S.) degree programs are eligible for the terms of this agreement:

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| Accounting | Finance |
| Culinary Arts | Justice |
| Chemical Technology | Management* |
| Computer Information Systems | Marketing* |

*Applies only for those students accepted into CCP's Management and Marketing programs Fall 2010 and prior.

Students wishing to complete the dual admissions process to Cheyney's "Pre-K to 4" Teacher Education Program must be enrolled in the CCP AA in Education: Early Childhood (Birth to 4th grade) for transfer to "Pre-K to 4" and earn at least a 3.0 cumulative GPA.

Financial and Scholarship Incentives:

To encourage CCP graduates to transfer to Cheyney in accordance with the foregoing guarantee, Cheyney agrees to the following:

1. To waive the \$20 admissions application fee for students who enroll at Cheyney pursuant to this Agreement.
2. To award academic scholarships to qualified CCP graduates who enroll full-time (12 or more credits a semester) at Cheyney, are Pennsylvania residents and who graduate from CCP with a final cumulative GPA of 3.0 to 4.0. Scholarships are based on available funding. These students will qualify for admission into the Keystone Honors Academy and receive a full Keystone scholarship worth up to \$18,500 per year based on the condition that they complete their Cheyney University admissions and financial aid process, and confirm their intention to attend Cheyney by July 1st for fall semester students and Dec 1st for spring semester students. Applications submitted after these dates will be considered only if vacancies in the program still exist.

All scholarships may be renewed each year contingent upon the student upholding all obligations and requirements of the scholarship including maintaining a minimum semester and cumulative grade point average of a 3.0, continuing progress towards the degree (enrolling full-time and satisfying curricular requirements within the chosen course of study), participating in honors community events and activities, providing community service, and upholding the student code of conduct. The scholarship may only be renewed for the number of semesters required for a student to complete his/her degree requirements.

All CCP graduates must complete the FAFSA and the Cheyney University Financial Aid process. The Keystone Scholarship provides one package to all qualifying students - the program covers tuition, fees, room and board, a book voucher and a laptop computer (one per student). The scholarship is calculated as a last dollar award and is applied to a student's account after all other forms of grants and scholarships are applied. Regardless of the amount of financial aid a student receives (through Pell or PHEAA), the Keystone scholarship will cover any remaining costs to attend the university, as outlined above. The package is the same for all students; however, the scholarship award varies based on a student's financial aid.

In awarding the Keystone Scholarships, Cheyney will give priority to qualified graduates of CCP until July 1st for fall semester students and December 1st for spring semester students. Qualified CCP graduates who apply and finalize all admissions and financial aid processes after this date will be awarded a scholarship as funding permits.

The Agreement:

Students shall be subject to the respective policies of the institution that they are attending. CCP students shall be subject to all Cheyney policies upon entrance.

To facilitate the transfer of CCP graduates to Cheyney in accordance with the foregoing

guarantee, the parties agree to the following:

Obligations of Cheyney

1. To affirm our articulation agreement and continue working on program to program articulation agreements that specify for CCP transfer students the remaining Cheyney coursework required for degree completion at Cheyney.
2. To send a Cheyney letter of admission to all Community College of Philadelphia students who complete a Dual Admissions Intent form by the time stated in the Preface of this agreement and who meet the conditions set forth in the Preface. Students who wish to matriculate at Cheyney for the Fall semester must confirm their intention by July 1. Students who wish to matriculate for the Spring semester must confirm their intention by December 1. All regular admissions requirements must be satisfied. Community College of Philadelphia students who complete a "Dual Admissions Intent" form will be governed by the Cheyney degree requirements in effect at the time of admission to Cheyney.
3. To invite CCP students to an informational meeting with Cheyney faculty and staff once each semester at both CCP and Cheyney to facilitate a smooth curricular and co-curricular transition to Cheyney.
4. To ensure that students will be provided with Cheyney financial aid information and receive full consideration for Cheyney financial aid upon matriculation at Cheyney.

Obligations of the Community College of Philadelphia

1. To publicize this Agreement to prospective students in its admissions literature and as part of its regular recruitment functions, and to inform qualified students matriculating at CCP of the opportunity for admission to Cheyney University under the terms of this Agreement.
2. To provide Cheyney University with names of anticipated A.A., A.S. and designated A.A.S. graduates each semester so that Cheyney may invite their interest and intention to transfer to Cheyney after earning their Associate's degree. The letter will include an invitation to a meeting to discuss this opportunity.
3. Secure the written permission of CCP students through the Intent Form for the sharing of academic records between CCP and Cheyney in order for Cheyney to assess the academic standing of CCP students upon request for admission. This permission shall meet all of the obligations under the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA).

Joint Obligations

1. CCP and Cheyney will develop, maintain and share records of the CCP students admitted into the dual admissions program, to the extent permitted by law.
2. CCP and Cheyney jointly agree to develop and implement advertising and promotional

efforts to communicate the benefits of Dual Admissions.

3. The parties agree to continue their respective policies of nondiscrimination based on Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 in regard to sex, age, race, color, creed, national origin, Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972 and other applicable laws, as well as the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act.
4. Neither of the parties shall assume any liabilities to each other, except as specifically stated in this Agreement. As to liability for damage, injuries or death to persons, or damages to property, the laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania shall govern this Agreement.
5. The relationship between the parties to this Agreement to each other is that of independent contractors. The relationship of the parties to this contract to each other shall not be construed to constitute a partnership, joint venture or any other relationship, other than that of independent contractors.
6. The parties do not waive any defense as a result of entering into this Agreement unless a waiver is expressly and clearly written into a part of this Agreement. This provision shall not be construed to limit the sovereign immunity of the Commonwealth or of the State System of Higher Education or the University.

Revision, Renewal and Termination of this Agreement

Each institution will designate a representative who will coordinate the Dual Admissions Agreement between the two institutions and communicate to each other changes in the policies or requirements of their respective institutions that affect this Agreement.

This Agreement will be in effect, as of the date of its signing, for students entering Cheyney University as of the same date. It will be reviewed annually by the appropriate parties at each institution and will be renewed automatically until superseded by a new Agreement or formally terminated. Either institution may terminate this Agreement at any time by written notice at least one year in advance of the effective date of termination. Should this Agreement be terminated, it is understood that the termination will not apply to students already accepted to Cheyney University under the terms of the Agreement. This agreement terminates the "Dual Admissions Between Cheyney University College and Community College of Philadelphia" signed in February 2006.

This Agreement shall only be modified in writing with the same formality as the original Agreement. This Agreement represents the entire understanding between the parties. No other oral understandings or promises exist in regards to this relationship. In witness whereof, and intending to be legally bound hereby, the undersigned representatives of the parties, The Community College of Philadelphia and Cheyney University of the Pennsylvania State System of Higher Education, have executed this Agreement on the dates indicated:

FOR COMMUNITY COLLEGE OF PHILADELPHIA

Stephen M. Curtis
Stephen M. Curtis, President

Date: 11/29/10

Judith Gay
Judith Gay, Vice President for Academic Affairs

Date: 11/29/10

FOR CHEYNEY UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA

Michelle Howard-Vital
Michelle Howard-Vital, President

Date: 12-16-2010

Ivan W. Banks
Ivan W. Banks, Provost and Vice President for Academic Affairs

Date: 12-16-2010