

ARTICULATION AGREEMENT BETWEEN WALDORF UNIVERSITY AND CERTIFICATIONS ON A 3, INC. FIRE TRAINING ACADEMY

1. Purpose

The purpose of this Articulation Agreement is to establish transfer credit criteria for training courses earned at Risky Rescue Training Academy that can be applied to undergraduate degree programs at Waldorf University (WU). WU is located at 106 South Sixth Street, Forest City, Iowa, 50436 and Certifications On a 3, Inc Fire Training Academy is located at PO Box 835367 Miami, Florida. These credits can then be applied to the corresponding Undergraduate and Bachelor degree programs.

2. Background

WU is a private University located in Forest City, Iowa, offering residential and online degree programs that combine a strong liberal arts base with applied learning. WU is accredited by the Higher Learning Commission (HLC). HLC is the regional accrediting agency for the college and universities located in the mid-west region of the United States.

Certifications “ On a 3” is dedicated to providing the knowledge needed to be ready for today and prepare you for the challenges of the future. Courses utilize the latest in Audio/visual technology, PowerPoint presentations, video based scenarios and extensive hands-on instruction along with state-of-the-art training equipment.

3. Articulation Agreement

WU recognizes the professional integrity and academic stature of Certifications On a 3, Inc. WU does and will continue to offer academic programs and courses accredited by the Distance Education Accrediting Commission. Likewise, Certifications On a 3, Inc. does and will continue to offer quality training.

A. WU prospective student information:

1) WU will provide Certifications On a 3, Inc. students’ information on degree program requirements and general education options. This information is located on the WU website and in the course catalog. All WU Certificate and Degree programs are eligible for transfer credit review.

2) WU will not charge Certifications on a 3, Inc. students and prospective students an application fee.

3) Certifications on a 3, Inc. students entering WU will be required to meet all WU admission’s requirements.

4) WU transfer Credit policies as they appear in the WU catalog at the time of application will be utilized to determine the transferability of Certifications On a 3, Inc. student credits.

WU will evaluate courses on transcripts submitted by Certification On a 3, Inc. applicants for credit transfer. A maximum of 45 semester hours in the Associate’s degree program, or 90 semester hours in the Bachelor’s degree program may be transferred into Waldorf, provided they are relevant and in alignment with the applicable degree program. Students will be awarded the maximum transfer credit allowed, per transfer credit regulations. Acceptances of courses and credits from Certifications On a 3, Inc. and other accredited institutions is carried out by the Waldorf Registrar, or designee, based on the nature and quality of the coursework,

within guidelines of the Higher Learning Commission. Note: A minimum GPA of 2.0 from any transferring institution is required for admission into Waldorf. A minimum letter grade of C or better is required for course credit transfer consideration.

5) While in a program at WU, Certifications On a 3, Inc. students are required to follow all institutional policies and procedures outlined in the University Catalog and Student Handbook.

6) Certifications On a 3, Inc. students will receive a 10% tuition discount as part of an included Learning Partnership.

4. Commitment

WU and Certifications On a 3, Inc. are committed to serve students in achieving their educational goals. Both parties are committed and use technology to facilitate the transfer of students between institutions.

This Agreement will remain in effect for a period of five (5) years from the date of signature but may be terminated by either party by providing a written notification to the other party. WU and Certifications On a 3, Inc. will review the agreement annually to determine whether it is achieving its purposes and continuing to meet each institutions needs. This agreement may be executed by duty authorized representatives of each party, either by electronic facsimile or other digital means, each of which will be considered as original.

Appendix I

Certifications on a 3, Inc. Courses	Hours	WU Equivalent	Semester Hours Awarded
ATPC 2120 Building Construction	45	FSC3440 – Building Construction for Fire Prevention	3 LL
ATPC 2720 Company Officer	45	Elective	3 LL
ATPC 2521 Documents and Plans Review	45	Elective	3 LL
ATPC 1505 Prevention Practices	45	FSC3601* – Fire Prevention Organization & Management	3 LL
ATPC1540 Private Fire Protection I	45	FSC3410 – Fire Protection Struct/Systems	3 LL
ATPC154` Private Fire Protection II	45	Elective	3 LL
ATPC 1740 Course Delivery	45	Elective	3 LL
APC2741 Course Design	45	Elective	3 LL
ATPC1810 Tactics and Strategies I	45	Elective	3 LL
ATPC2811 Tactics and Strategies II	45	Elective	3 LL

ATPC1510 Codes and Standards	45	Elective		3 LL
ATPC2111 Fire Chemistry	45	FSC3210 Fire Dynamics		3 LL
RN6742 Florida Incident Safety Officer	45	Elective		3 LL
ATPC2610 Fire Investigation – Origin & Cause	45	FSC3302 Fire Investigation / Analysis		3 LL
ATPC2706 Public Information Officer	45	Elective		3 LL

Certifications on a 3, Inc, is committed to ensuring that qualified Firefighters and Fire Officers who wish to advance their firefighting qualifications, renew their Florida Fire Services certification or undertake a Fire Science Degree, have access to the very best training available. We offer a full compliment of Florida State Fire College approved courses cover the course work and re-certification requirements for Florida Fire Officer, Fire Inspector, Fire Investigator and Fire Instructor. All our courses are offered in a traditional classroom setting.

Certifications On a 3, Inc is also currently pursuing articulation agreements with several other of the top accredited universities in the US offering Associates in Fire Science degrees, including St. Petersburg College and Broward College. This will allow students who wish to transfer credits between Certifications On a 3, Inc. to these institutions to complete an Associates or Bachelors Degree the ability to do so effortlessly.