

**Exigency Transfer Agreement Between
Hampshire College and Prescott College**

EFFECTIVE DATE: _____, 2022

Hampshire College and Prescott College, institutions of higher education accredited by the New England Commission on Higher Education ("NECHE") and the Higher Learning Commission respectively, enter into this Exigency Transfer Agreement to enable eligible currently enrolled Hampshire College students to complete a baccalaureate degree at Prescott College, subject to the terms and conditions set forth herein. Both Hampshire College and Prescott College enter into this Agreement with an understanding that the terms enumerated herein should serve as guidelines to foster student success.

Hampshire College and Prescott College agree to the following:

- I. The Agreement becomes effective in the event that: Hampshire College notifies Prescott College that Hampshire College is no longer able to continue its instructional program; such notice is provided by Hampshire College to Prescott College preferably one full semester before Hampshire College ceases providing any instructional programs in which students are enrolled; and NECHE, the BHE, and the HLC have approved all terms and conditions of this Agreement.
2. The obligations described in this Agreement shall terminate on the date when either of the following conditions have occurred ("Termination Date"):
 - a. Each Hampshire student accepted by and matriculated into Prescott College pursuant to this Agreement has either: graduated from Prescott College; transferred from Prescott College to another institution; or otherwise has failed to be continuously enrolled at Prescott College for more than one semester (excepting students on medical or personal leaves approved by Prescott College); or
 - b. Six years from the date when this Agreement goes into effect.
3. Prescott College will waive admission application fees and guarantee admissions for matriculated Hampshire College students in good academic standing applying for transfer admission after this Agreement goes into effect.
 - a. Hampshire College students will be required to complete an accelerated admissions application online and provide official transcripts of all undergraduate coursework. Official documents received directly from Hampshire College will be acceptable.
 - b. International students must also provide official TOEFL or IELTS scores, transcript evaluations (if applicable), and affidavit of financial support, copy of passport and visa, I-94, and SEVIS Transfer Eligibility Verification Form in order to be able to transfer under this Agreement.
 - c. The application deadline and the date of matriculation will be set by Prescott College based on the date when this Agreement goes into effect. Any Hampshire

College student who fails to apply, and matriculate at Prescott College by these dates shall be excluded from this Agreement.

4. Prescott College will accept only matriculated Hampshire College students who are in good academic and disciplinary standing at Hampshire College as of the date of application; remain in good academic and disciplinary standing through the date of matriculation to Prescott College, and who meet the minimum eligibility requirements of the applicable academic program(s) at Prescott College.

5. The academic leadership of Hampshire College and Prescott College shall work together in good faith to identify appropriate transfer admissions criteria for Hampshire College student transferees.

6. Prescott College will make a good faith effort to accommodate as many transfer credits as possible for each Hampshire College student transferee, including internships, practica and other evaluated learning activities, while maintaining Prescott College's academic standards. The academic leadership of Hampshire College and Prescott College shall work together to identify the coursework of each Hampshire College student transferee that would satisfy the applicable curricular requirements of Prescott College. Furthermore, Prescott College will waive its two semester residency requirement for Hampshire College students transferring during this agreement. Given the individualized degree plan process at Prescott College, it is anticipated that all credits transferred from Hampshire College will be accepted and count towards Prescott College degree requirements. Individualized degree plans may include individualized competence titles that appear on transcript and diploma, so the attached transfer crosswalk illustrates how Hampshire study areas could be completed and appear on Prescott College transcripts.

7. Until the Termination Date, Prescott College will assess tuition, fees, room, board, and other charges for Hampshire College students on the same basis as all other transfer students and will apply the same standards, practices, and policies of eligibility for financial aid as all other transfer students. Prescott College will make every effort to match the institutional financial aid awards for any Hampshire College student transferring in to Prescott College with goal of approximating the net tuition cost that each student paid at Hampshire during the year this Agreement goes into effect.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have executed this Agreement by their duly authorized representatives, effective as of the date above written:

HAMPSHIRE COLLEGE

PRESCOTT COLLEGE

Name: Ed Wingenbach, President

Name: Barbara Morris, President





Date:

Date:

5/5/22

6/4/2022