

**Articulation Agreement  
Between  
VALENCIA COLLEGE**

**A.S. degree in Energy Management and Controls Technology  
and**

**LAKE TECHNICAL COLLEGE**

**Air Conditioning, Refrigeration & Heating Technology**

In a continuing effort to provide career ladder opportunities for students in career and technical education programs, Valencia College agrees to extend full college credit at no cost (other than the application for admission fee) to eligible students who have completed the following program at Lake Technical College.

**COURSE EQUIVALENCY IN SPECIALIZED COURSES**

**LAKE TECHNICAL COLLEGE**

**Air Conditioning, Refrigeration &  
Heating Technology**  
(1350 Hours)

**VALENCIA COLLEGE PROGRAM**

*(Based on Industry Certification/Licensure)*

**Energy Management & Controls Technology A.S.  
Degree**

ETM 2943 Energy Management and Controls  
Technology Practicum (6 credits)

**MAXIMUM AWARD OF CREDIT**

This agreement makes it possible for a student to receive six (6) semester hours of college credit towards the Energy Management and Controls Technology Program at Valencia College, which is in accordance with commonly accepted good practice in higher education.

**EDUCATIONAL PROGRAM**

Valencia and Lake Technical College faculty and staff with responsibility for supervision and coordination of the Air Conditioning and Energy Management Controls Technology programs have assessed the adequacy of the documentation and determined that the learning outcomes, performance standards, and assessment procedures meet the college standards for college credit course work and that the learning outcomes are:

1. consistent with the course work in AS degree being articulated.
2. based on the statewide PSAV to AS Degree Statewide agreement, an alternative form of student assessment or is taught by faculty who have a minimum of an BS/BA degree in the required area or meet other described criteria.

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**TRANSFERRING PROCESS**

To have the courses reported on the official Valencia College transcript, transferring students must do the following:

1. Apply for admission to Valencia College and meet the College entrance requirements.
2. Complete the College application, pay the College admission fee and declare a major in the articulated program.
3. Provide a copy of their transcripts from Lake Technical College.
4. Be accepted into Valencia within three years of completing the Lake Technical College Program.
5. Complete orientation and comply with the appropriate placement, course prerequisites and requirements of the college.
6. Meet with a Valencia Student Success Coach to verify completion of the articulated program and initiate the award of credit process. *Note: Student must provide the required documentation needed for evaluation of the approved assessments before the credit can be awarded.*

**Approved assessments:**

Provide a current and valid copy of the required industry certification listed below:

- EPA 608 Universal Certification
7. After verifying the required documentation and evaluating the approved assessments(s), a Valencia Student Success or Program Chair for the articulated program will determine eligibility, and notify the Registrar's Office of acceptable credit to be transferred and awarded. *(Note: Credit will be awarded after the drop/add date, and the evaluation process has been completed).*

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**TERMS OF AGREEMENT**

This agreement shall be reviewed and evaluated biannually. It shall remain in effect from May 2019 until either party identifies a need for revision or terminates this agreement with thirty days written notice.

**APPROVED:**

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**LAKE TECHNICAL COLLEGE**

**VALENCIA COLLEGE**



Diane Culpeppe  
Executive Director  
Lake Technical College



Sanford C. Shugart  
President  
Valencia College

6-3-2019

Date

4/25/2019

Date