

**Advanced Standing Agreement
between
IUP Academy of Culinary Arts and Erie County Technical School**

The Indiana University of Pennsylvania (IUP) Academy of Culinary Arts and Erie County Technical School (ECTS) do hereby enter into the following advanced standing agreement to provide students with the opportunity to earn advanced placement toward completion of the IUP Academy of Culinary Arts certificate program according to the provisions described herein.

ECTS agrees to cooperate in establishing course objectives, requirements, and standards for secondary courses identified within this agreement to ensure that equivalent competencies are achieved. IUP will be solely responsible for establishing the requirements necessary to complete its academic programs. IUP agrees to provide and process applications for advanced placement in a timely manner.

To be eligible for advanced placement, a student must meet all admission requirements in effect at the time of application and be enrolled in the IUP Academy of Culinary Arts program within two years after graduation from ECTS.

IUP Academy of Culinary Arts Courses	Equivalent ECTS Component	Credit Given	Conditions
Sanitation Management	The Certified Food Safety Manager course from the National Registry of Food Safety Professionals.	Students who score 75% or higher on an IUP Sanitation Test have these options: opt to sit out of the IUP Sanitation Management course (waiver) <i>or</i> take an advanced independent study course in its place. Students who score 90% or higher on the national certification exam or the IUP Sanitation test are eligible to be hired as a paid peer tutor with a work study contract.	National certificate (current within three years of starting date) submitted to the IUP Academy of Culinary Arts admissions staff ECTS graduate must test-out of the Sanitation Test during Phase I Orientation at the IUP Academy of Culinary Arts. <i>Both ECTS Culinary Arts and Tourism & Hospitality Management graduates who have taken this course and earned the national certificate qualify.</i>
Hospitality Mathematics	CUA103 Culinary Math I CUA203 Culinary Math II CUA303 Culinary Math III	Exemption from IUP Hospitality Mathematics course	ECTS graduate must pass Math test-out exam during Phase I Orientation at IUP Academy of Culinary Arts with a minimum score of 83%.

Semester One Student Journal/Portfolio	ECTS Culinary Arts Graduation Portfolio Project	IUP will conduct an assessment of the ECTS graduation portfolio and award points toward completion of IUP Journal/Portfolio project	Elements considered will include items such as cover letter, letters of reference, photos of culinary work, involvement in Skills-USA or other student organizations, community service certificates, awards, transcript of ECTS grades and other evidence of technical skills.
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In support of this agreement, IUP agrees to provide counseling on course of study, career options, and placement statistics. ECTS agrees to explain to participating students and/or allow IUP representatives to explain the advantages and provisions contained in this agreement.

IUP and ECTS will review periodically the provisions contained in this articulation agreement.

IUP and ECTS will alter the provisions of this agreement only upon mutual written consent. It is understood that any revisions will not adversely affect students already covered under the provisions of the existing agreement.

Either party may terminate this agreement upon six months written notification to the other party. Students in progress will be permitted to complete the program should such termination of agreement occur.

IUP ACADEMY OF CULINARY ARTS

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Representative Date

Aldo R. Jackson 4/21/10
Representative Date

ERIE COUNTY TECHNICAL SCHOOL

Aldo R. Jackson 4/28/10
Dr. Aldo R. Jackson Date
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Jan Kennerknecht 4/28/10
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