ARTICULATION AGREEMENT

The faculty of the University of Hawai‘i @ Mānoa, University of Hawai‘i – West O‘ahu, Kapi‘olani Community College and Leeward Community College have reviewed the course syllabi of PACS 108 Pacific Worlds – Introduction to Pacific Island Studies and agree that the courses are equivalent.

The participating campuses have agreed on the following:

Course Alpha/Number: PACS 108

Course Title: Pacific Worlds: Introduction to Pacific Island Studies

Course Description: Introduces students to the geography, societies, histories, cultures, contemporary issues, and arts of Oceania, including Hawai`i. Combines lecture and discussion that emphasize Pacific Islander perspectives and experiences.

Course Student Learning Outcomes:

At the end of the course, the students will be able to:

1. Locate and name the island groups, geographic regions, and political entities of Oceania.
2. Describe social and cultural similarities and differences among Pacific Island societies.
3. Identify themes in the works of Pacific Island artists and writers.
4. Discuss contemporary social, political, economic, cultural, and environmental issues in the Pacific Islands.
5. Explain significant themes in indigenous, colonial, and postcolonial histories of the Pacific Islands.

Upon approval, each campus will be responsible for updating their campus’ articulation database in Banner to reflect the equivalency of PACS 108.

This articulation agreement will remain in effect until Fall 2015. It will be subject to review in Spring 2014 and may be continued, revised, or discontinued with the consent of all faculty members and administration of all campuses represented in this agreement. The Articulation Agreement remains in effect while a review continues.