TRANSFER AGREEMENT

RARITAN VALLEY COMMUNITY COLLEGE

and

SETON HALL UNIVERSITY

Effective Date, July 1, 2011

Transfer Agreement

This Transfer Agreement ("Agreement") is entered into by Seton Hall University ("Seton Hall") and Raritan Valley Community College ("Raritan Valley") on this <u>12th</u> date of <u>May</u>, <u>2011</u>, and shall be effective on <u>July 1</u>, <u>2011</u> ("Effective Date").

Whereas, Seton Hall recognizes the importance of Raritan Valley in launching students toward achieving an undergraduate degree;

Whereas, Seton Hall and Raritan Valley believe that it is mutually beneficial to them and prospective four year students that the two institutions work collaboratively;

Whereas, Seton Hall seeks to facilitate the transition of students who desire to transfer from Raritan Valley to Seton Hall, by, *inter alia*, ensuring that they receive strong academic advisement as early in their academic careers as benefits them; and

Whereas, Seton Hall and Raritan Valley have agreed to the global terms reflected herein that shall govern the overall relationship between the institutions, but understand that Appendices shall be added from time to time to reflect the specific terms that affect the eligibility of credits for transfer from and to a specific Seton Hall program or major.

Now, therefore, Seton Hall and Raritan Valley agree to the following:

1. Communication. Maintenance of a strong relationship and clear and timely communication are important to each entity and in the best interests of their respective students. Each entity shall appoint an administrator to serve as the primary point of contact responsible for the implementation of this Agreement ("Point Person"). Each entity's Point Person shall be responsible for communicating a) any changes to this Agreement to all affected stakeholders within his/her entity and b) any programmatic changes at his/her entity that affect the implementation of this Agreement to his/her counterpart at the other institution. Appointment of a Point Person should occur at least annually and be noted below and in appendix C.

Seton Hall Point Person: Raritan Valley Point Person:

Ms. Marie Scolavino Mr. Paul Michaud

- Admission and Enrollment Guidelines. All Raritan Valley students interested in transferring to Seton Hall must complete Seton Hall's Transfer Student Admissions Application and timely provide all required attendant documentation. For graduating students from Raritan Valley, under this agreement, will have their application fee waived.
 - a. <u>Seton Hall/Raritan Valley Dual Admissions Program</u>. Students who wish to enter into the Dual Admissions Program will need to file an application for admission to Seton Hall within their first semester at Raritan Valley. Upon being accepted, students would have their place reserved and defer admission until finishing their AA or AS degree from Raritan Valley, subject to continued fulfillment of all admissions criteria.
 - b. <u>General Admissions (Appendix A)</u>. Seton Hall will generally accept students who have maintained a cumulative GPA of above 2.5 (on a 4.0 scale) at Raritan Valley. Depending upon a student's major, Seton Hall will accept up to 64 transfer credits with a grade of at

- least a C. Major-specific criteria, including core curriculum waivers, are attached to this Agreement as appendix A.
- c. <u>CORE Waiver</u>. Seton Hall will waive its University CORE requirements (except Signature III taken in Junior or Senior year) for students with an Associates of Arts or Associates of Science degree. For students entering into the College of Arts and Sciences, their College core will be waived except for 6 credits of Philosophy and Religion. Please see appendix B to complete one of these courses at Raritan Valley.

3. Transfer Scholarships.

- a. <u>General Scholarships</u>. Raritan Valley students will be eligible for all scholarships otherwise available to transfer students.
- b. <u>Phi Theta Kappa Honor Society</u>. Seton Hall will award student members of Phi Theta Kappa a \$2,000 scholarship in addition to any other scholarship for which the student otherwise qualifies.
- 4. <u>Communication</u>. Seton Hall and Raritan Valley shall collaborate on publicizing to Raritan Valley students information regarding eligibility for and opportunities to transfer to Seton Hall:
 - a. The Point Persons shall develop a plan each year to facilitate the:
 - Provision of information about this Agreement to Seton Hall applicants who elect to begin their college career at Raritan Valley, including mutual links to appropriate web pages;
 - ii. Identification and recruitment by Seton Hall of Raritan Valley students potentially interested in transferring to Seton Hall;
 - iii. Provision of curricular information that will ease students' transfer of credits to Seton Hall that will qualify towards their chosen major, if applicable;
 - iv. Education of faculty, staff and advisors at their respective institutions about this Agreement to facilitate accurate counseling and advising of current and prospective students.
 - v. Written approval of all advertising, publications, etc. re: transfer opportunities
- 5. <u>Term and Termination</u>. This Agreement shall commence on Effective Date and continue indefinitely. This Agreement may be terminated by either party at any time and for any reason with at least one semester prior notice. If this Agreement is terminated for any reason, Seton Hall shall enroll Raritan Valley students who were admitted pursuant to the Dual Admissions Program in Section 2.a of this Agreement for at least two years following the termination of this Agreement.

Raritan Valley Community College:

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Seton Hall University:

Date

Dr. Casey Crabill

President

President

Seton Hall University

Raritan Valley Community College

I. Major Requirements -

To be accepted as a transfer student from Raritan Valley a student must have a minimum GPA of a 2.5.

Certain Majors require a higher GPA for transfer students as follows:

College/Major	Minimum GPA requirements
College of Arts and Sciences/Biology	2.8 GPA and student must have taken a Biology, Chemistry and Pre Calc with a C or better if not they will be placed in PSCI
College of Arts and Sciences /PT, PA, AT	Not accepted directly into these majors but to Biology if applicable
College of Nursing/Nursing	3.5 for Nursing 3.2-3.49 Must submit SAT/ACT score. If meets FR test requirements go to NURS. If scores are below or never took the SAT/ACT student is placed in PNTR
Diplomacy and International Relations/Diplomacy	3.0
College of Arts and Sciences/Chemistry and Bio Chemistry	2.75
College of Arts and Sciences/Physics	2.75
College of Education and Human Services	2.75 3.0 Speech Language Pathology
W. Paul Stillman School of Business	3.2

II. For students entering into the College of Arts and Sciences with an AA or AS degree, as per this agreement, their waiver includes:

Bachelor of Science Core Curriculum

The following Seton Hall University courses will be waived:

- A. University CORE (13 Cr. Hrs.)
- B. Math and Sciences: Math/Computing (7 Cr. Hrs.)
- C. Humanities: Competencies (2 Cr. Hrs.)
- D. Math and Sciences: Science (8 Cr. Hrs.)
- E. Social and Behavioral Sciences (6 Cr. Hrs.)
- E1. Humanities: Historical/Aesthetic/Literature Perspective (6 Cr. Hrs.)
- E2. Humanities: Multicultural (6 Cr. Hrs.)

Bachelor of Arts Core Curriculum

The following Seton Hall University courses will be waived:

- A. University CORE (13 Cr. Hrs.)
- B. Aesthetics and Creativity (3 Cr. Hrs.)
- C. Humanities (9 Cr. Hrs.)

- D. Language: Modern and Ancient (6 Cr. Hrs.)
- E. Oral Communication/Rhetoric (2 Cr. Hrs.)
- F. Sciences and Mathematics (6 Cr. Hrs.)
- G. Social Science (6 Cr. Hrs.)

III. Majors at Seton Hall in include:

College of Arts and Sciences

Africana Studies History

Anthropology Graphic, Interactive and Advertising Design

Art Education History

Art History Industrial Engineering

Asian Studies Italian Studies

Biochemistry Italian

Biology (B.A.) Journalism and Public Relations

Biology (B.S.)

Latin American and Latino/Latina Studies

Biomedical Engineering Liberal Studies

Proodcasting Visual and Interactive Media Mathematics

Broadcasting, Visual and Interactive Media Mathematics
Catholic Studies Mechanical Engineering

Chemical Engineering Modern Languages
Chemistry Music/Music Education

Civil Engineering Music Performance

Classical Studies Philosophy
Communication Studies Physics (B.A.)
Computer Engineering Physics (B.S.)
Computer Science Political Science
Creative Writing Psychology

Criminal Justice Religious Studies

Economics (B.A.) Russian

Electrical Engineering Social and Behavioral Sciences

English Social Work
Environmental Studies Sociology
Fine Art Spanish

French Theatre and Performance
German Women and Gender Studies

Graphic, Interactive and Advertising Design

W. Paul Stillman School of Business

Accounting Legal Studies

Business Administration (B.A.) Management Information Systems

Economics (B.S.) Management Finance Marketing

Sport Management

Whitehead School of Diplomacy and International Relations

Diplomacy and International Relations

College of Education and Human Services

Integrated Early Childhood, Elementary and Special Education

Elementary and Special Education with an M.S. in Speech Language Pathology

Secondary Education

School of Health and Medical Sciences*

Athletic Training
Occupational Therapy

Physical Therapy Physician Assistant

*See requirements

College of Nursing

Nursing

Immaculate Conception Seminary School of Theology

Catholic Theology

Core Curriculum Requirements for Seton Hall University

CORE 3101 Engaging The World (Signature III) 3 credits — required to be taken at Seton Hall University

Philosophy and Religion (6 credits, see core): Please complete from below:

PHIL 101: Introduction to Philosophy – to be transferred into Seton Hall as PHIL 1101 AND

The remaining 3 credits in Philosophy and Religion will be taken at Seton Hall and will complete Seton Hall University's College core.

PROGRAM COORDINATOR

Information Sheet

for the

AGREEMENT

by and between

Raritan Valley Community College

and

Seton Hall University

DATE: May 12, 2011

Seton Hall University	Raritan Valley Community College contact:
Name: Ms. Marie Scolavino	Name: Mr. Paul Michaud
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Additional relevant information:	

ANNUAL ACTIVITY REPORT

for the AGREEMENT by and between

Raritan Valley Community College and

SETON HALL UNIVERSITY

Date:		
Prepared by:		-
	(Coordinator)	
Department:		
Office location:		
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The effective dates of	of this agreement are: to	
The annual report pe	eriod is the academic year beginning Jul	y 1and ending June 30
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2.) Activities sponso this agreement:	red or taking place at the partner institu	tion during the above mentioned time period to promote
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