Pillar College

And

New York Theological Seminary

Guaranteed Credit Transfer Agreement

In the interest of providing educational opportunities to students and to foster completion of baccalaureate degrees, Pillar College and the New York Theological Seminary (NYTS) enter into this guaranteed credit transfer agreement. The agreement provides a pathway so that students successfully completing courses with the New York Theological Seminary can transfer those courses for credit to Pillar College.

NYTS students are eligible to transfer into Baccalaureate programs at Pillar College in Business Administration and Management, Psychology and Counseling, and Biblical Studies

Eligibility

Eligibility for the Guaranteed Credit Transfer Agreement requires the following:

1. The credentials of instructors used by NYTS shall be reviewed and approved by Pillar College for all courses eligible for transfer.
2. The student must successfully complete NYTS courses with a “C” grade or better.
3. The transfer of credit, a ratio of one NYTS course as equivalent to a three credit course at Pillar College, has been established.
4. Course and credit transfers are limited to a total of twenty four credits and are delineated in the following chart:
COURSE CREDIT COMPATIBILITY

**Note:** One (1) NYTS course (right column) equal one (1) Pillar College course (left column).

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**Obligations of New York Theological Seminary**

1. Publicize this Guaranteed Credit Transfer Agreement to current and prospective students via both print and electronic communication resources.
2. Assure that Pillar College promotional materials are available to students.
3. Communicate annually with Pillar College officials regarding any curricular changes that have impact on this transfer agreement.
4. Provide recruitment opportunities for Pillar College.
5. Assign responsibility to the NYTS Program Director to oversee the Transfer Agreement and ensure continued effectiveness of the Agreement.
6. Include Pillar College on listings of institutions with whom NYTS has Transfer Agreements in your catalog and other appropriate venues.

**Obligations of Pillar College**

1. Waive the admissions application fee for NYTS students who fulfill the *Obligations of Eligible Students* described below.
2. Work collaboratively with NYTS to ensure proper curricular alignment of transferrable credit requirements.

Obligations of Eligible Students

1. Submit all documentation required for admission by Pillar College including: a letter of intent to transfer, official transcripts from all colleges attended, high school transcripts, two letters of recommendation, the required personal statement and other documents or health records as required by the Pillar College.
2. Submit the Pillar College application for admission with all required documentation in a timely fashion.
3. Submission of required documentation does not obligate the student to accept admission to Pillar College.
4. Student will be subject to all transfer policies as determined by Pillar College.

Terms of Agreement

Pillar College and New York Theological Seminary will notify one another of curricular changes that impact the Agreement at least 120 days in advance.

This Agreement may be terminated without cause by either party by providing advance written notice of at least one (1) year prior to the effective date of termination. This Agreement will be renewed automatically until superseded by a new Agreement or formally terminated.

The undersigned representatives of the parties, New York Theological Seminary and Pillar College have executed this agreement on the dates indicated:

New York Theological Seminary:

Lucy Cano, D. Min
Christian Ministry Director
Date

Pillar College:

Alford H. Ottley, PH.D.,
Vice President of Academics
Date