

## Articulation Agreement for Gateway Ministry Experience The King's University, Southlake, Texas and Gateway Church, Southlake, Texas

The King's University, located in Southlake, Texas, and Gateway Church, located in Southlake, Texas share a similar mission of preparing students to serve the whole Body of Christ under His Lordship in the advancement of God's Kingdom. Therefore, the two institutions hereby enter into the following articulation agreement, which shall continue until either or both institutions choose to terminate it.

## Goals of the articulation agreement:

- 1. A collaboration between Gateway Ministry Experience and TKU that allows students from Gateway Ministry Experience to receive the maximum allowable credit toward an associate or baccalaureate degree at TKU.
- 2. Clear guidelines and degree plans that enable Gateway Ministry Experience students to plan effectively their transition from Gateway Ministry Experience to TKU and gain maximum allowable credit for their chosen degree.
- 3. Effective means of communication to raise awareness among Gateway Ministry Experience students as to the opportunities available at TKU through this articulation agreement.

## Provisions governing the agreement:

- 1. Gateway Ministry Experience agrees to annually provide TKU with current course syllabi and a full faculty roster indicating the academic credentials and qualifications of the faculty.
- 2. Gateway Ministry Experience must provide The Office of the Registrar with a certificate or letter of completion for each student for students to earn TKU credit from the program.
- 3. Gateway Ministry Experience students must meet TKU minimum academic and admissions requirements in order to be considered for admission to TKU in compliance with the current academic catalog.
- 4. Gateway Ministry Experience graduates who enroll at TKU in the semester immediately following completion will receive a 30% tuition discount for the remaining credit hours of their undergraduate degree.
- 5. Transferability of credits for former Gateway Ministry Experience students will be assessed on a case-by-case basis in accordance with the established course equivalency guide.
- 6. Course equivalencies will be evaluated on an annual basis by the Registrar's Office and the Academic Office following review of current course descriptions requirements, and instructor qualifications.
- 7. In order to receive a degree from TKU, students must successfully complete <u>all</u> graduation requirements listed in the current academic catalog.
- 8. Representatives from TKU and Gateway Ministry Experience will annually review the articulation agreement to:
  - Report any proposed program and/or curriculum changes by partner
  - Identify partner's faculty and credentials for next academic year
  - Report proposed changes for course equivalencies, admissions requirements, etc. by TKU
  - Collaboratively evaluate and renew partnership

Print name

Chief Academic Officer The King's University

Date of agreement \_

Date for annual review \_\_\_

Print name

Partner representative

## **Gateway Ministry Experience Equivalency Table**

Gateway Ministry Experience	TKU Proposed Matching Course
Foundations of a Healthy Church Culture	Student Success Strategies (1 hour)
Gateway Ministry Experience	Practicum Prep (1 hour)
	Jr. Ministry Practicum (4 hours)

Students must show successful completion of any/all the Gateway Ministry Experience courses in order to receive TKU credit. A total of 6 credit hours may be earned with this program and the transfers are subject to the TKU transfer policy as outlined in the Academic Catalog.