Attachment A:

Heidelberg College  
The Honors Program: The Life of the Mind

and

Seminole Community College  
The Grindle Honors Institute

HONORS ARTICULATION AGREEMENT

I PURPOSE

THE HONORS PROGRAM at Heidelberg College and THE HONORS INSTITUTE at Seminole Community College mutually desire to enter into this Agreement to facilitate the smooth and successful transition of outstanding Honors Students at Seminole Community College to the HONORS PROGRAM at Heidelberg College.

This agreement reflects the full appreciation of Heidelberg College and its importance in providing the Honors Students of Seminole Community College access to the opportunities and facilities for educational enrichment at Heidelberg College. Therefore, to facilitate this transition and to encourage qualified Seminole graduates to pursue degrees through Heidelberg College, graduates of THE HONORS INSTITUTE at Seminole Community College shall be accepted directly into Heidelberg College’s HONORS PROGRAM, provided they meet conditions stipulated within this agreement.

II HEIDELBERG COLLEGE PROVISIONS

a. Heidelberg College will admit Honor Students at Seminole Community College to the HONORS PROGRAM at Heidelberg College with junior standing provided that:

   i. The student has been recommended by The Honors Institute Director at Seminole Community College;
   ii. The student has earned an Associate in Arts degree from Seminole Community College;
   iii. And the student has been admitted to Heidelberg College

b. Heidelberg College will award, where applicable, packaged scholarships of no less than the amounts noted in the table below.
i. For Honors transfer students and Phi Theta Kappa transfer students with a GPA of 3.5 or above:
   A merit award of $6,000.00.
ii. For transfer students with GPA’s of 3.2 to 3.49:
   A merit award of $4,000.00.

c. The curriculum in the HONORS PROGRAM at Heidelberg College will be met in the following manner:

   i. All four thematic seminars (Scholar, Scientist, Artist, Citizen) must be taken at or fulfilled through Heidelberg College;
   ii. All Honors students must fulfill 40 hours of service learning in the community while enrolled in HNR 307 Introduction to Service Learning. Students who have documented evidence of service learning at Seminole Community College will have the 40 hours reduced. This requirement can also be met through NDI 345 Service Learning on US/Mexico Border Trip.
   iii. Support courses will be accepted based on the Heidelberg College HONORS PROGRAM distribution (Arts, Humanities, Natural Sciences, Social Sciences) as determined by the Associate Dean of the HONORS PROGRAM at Heidelberg College. Seminole general education requirements will fulfill this requirement.
   iv. The requirement for HNR 111—Introduction to the Life of the Mind is met through previous Seminole Community College courses and experiences in THE HONORS INSTITUTE, but this does not preclude students from enrolling in HNR 111.
   v. The Honors Program Portfolio will incorporate portfolio materials from Seminole Community College. In addition, it will include entries from the four thematic seminars, a senior reflective essay, and HNR 455 Sr. Honors Project.
   vi. College requirements for completion of a Heidelberg College departmental or interdisciplinary major must be met.
   vii. At least 60 semester hours must be earned at a 4-year institution-30 of these must be taken at Heidelberg College. (Heidelberg College cannot guarantee that only an additional 60 semester hours will be required to complete the degree requirements).
   viii. Other college requirements for honors students (HPE, junior written and oral capstone requirements in the major) must be fulfilled.

d. HONORS PROGRAM at Heidelberg College invites all Seminole Community College students and faculty at The Honors INSTITUTE to attend admission sessions, lectures, convocations, and other educational program initiatives, especially the workshop on “The Life of the Mind.”
e. HONORS PROGRAM at Heidelberg College will encourage Heidelberg College students and faculty to participate in facilitating a smooth transition for any students from THE HONORS INSTITUTE at Seminole Community College to Heidelberg College.

f. Transfer students from THE HONORS INSTITUTE at Seminole Community College who meet the requirements of Heidelberg College and the HONORS PROGRAM will graduate from Heidelberg College with an Honors Diploma.

III. SEMINOLE HONORS INSTITUTE PROVISIONS.

THE HONORS INSTITUTE at Seminole Community College shall:

a. Provide an honors curriculum that includes:

   i. a minimum of 20 hours of Service Learning, with written reflection;
   ii. completion of 23 hours in honors credits as stipulated in the Honors Diploma Program;
   iii. portfolio requirement consistent with accepted academic standards.

   Note: If any of Seminole three criteria above are not met by the student while attending Seminole Community College, it will have to be met at Heidelberg College as part of the requirements for being in the Heidelberg Honors Program.

b. Recommend graduates who have maintained at least a 3.5 grade point average (GPA). Those with lower GPA may be recommended at the discretion of the Director of THE HONORS INSTITUTE at Seminole Community College.

c. Make available to students the appropriate advice and counseling to enable them to transition smoothly to Heidelberg College and complete their program successfully.

d. Provide scholarship recommendations for THE HONORS INSTITUTE students who have completed the Associate in Arts degree and fulfilled graduation requirements for THE HONORS INSTITUTE, with the understanding that Heidelberg College will not necessarily be precluded from offering scholarships to other qualified Seminole Community College graduates.
IV. TERMS OF THIS AGREEMENT

a. This Agreement shall take effect for the Fall 2008 term. It may be renewed annually for up to five years at which time it must be re-drafted in order to be valid.

b. Modifications of, additions to, and deletions from this Agreement shall be in writing and signed by both parties.

c. This Agreement is subject to change and/or modification by mutual written consent between the parties hereto. It is understood that this Agreement may be modified by Heidelberg College with the directives of the President or academic leadership at Heidelberg College, the Statutes governing Heidelberg College, or the policies of the Board of Trustees of Heidelberg College, or by Seminole Community College in accord with the directives of the Seminole Community College Board of Trustees or State Board of Education. This Agreement may be terminated by either party upon written notice to the other party, given at least one full academic year in advance of such termination date.

The parties hereto acknowledge and agree that Seminole Community College is a political subdivision of the State of Florida. As such, the College’s performance under this Agreement and any amendments hereto or attachments connected herewith, shall at all times be subject to any and all state laws, state regulations and District Board of Trustee policies.

V. SIGNATURES OF RESPONSIBLE AUTHORITIES

HEIDELBERG COLLEGE

[Signature]
F. Dominic Dottavio
President

SEMINOLE COMMUNITY COLLEGE

[Signature]
E. Ann McGee
President

6/16/08
HEIDELBERG COLLEGE HONORS GENERAL EDUCATION TRANSFER GUIDE
for SEMINOLE COMMUNITY COLLEGE

HONORS GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS 2008-2009

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<th>HEIDELBERG HONORS REQUIREMENTS</th>
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FIRST YEAR SEMINAR

**FYE 100 (Transfers with 24 hours or more are exempt)**

Satisfied with AA

HPE FITNESS

2 hours from HPE 100 or HPE 103

Required of all students

10 SUPPORT COURSES FROM 10 DIFFERENT PREFIXES. FIVE MUST BE 200-LEVEL OR HIGHER

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<td>ATR, BIO, CHM, CPS, ENS, FSC, GEO, MTH, PHY</td>
<td>COM, MED (except 255, 256)</td>
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<td>(excludes BIO 120, PHY 104)</td>
<td>ENG (excludes 210), HIS, Languages, REL, PHI</td>
<td><strong>MED 255, 256; THR 105, 150, 207, 306, 320, 325, 327; NDI 112, 301, 302, 322, 255; PHY 104, ENG 210</strong></td>
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Satisfied with courses selected from AA requirement list from Science Area A, B, and C and Math requirement.

Satisfied with courses selected from AA requirement list from Communication and History.

Satisfied with courses selected from AA requirement list from Humanities Area A and B.

Satisfied with courses selected from AA requirement list from Social Science Area A, B, D, E, and F.