

## Articulation Agreement

between

The Hospitality Business Alliance (HBA) an Education Partnership of the National Restaurant Association and the American Hotel and Motel Association

And

Chef John Folse Culinary Institute at Nicholls State University  
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agrees to enter into an articulation agreement to benefit high school students who have successfully completed the following courses of study: (check those that apply):

ProStart  
 Lodging Operations

Specifically, under this agreement students may apply for the following courses:

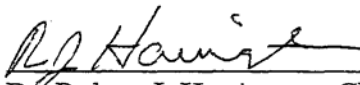
| Course Number | Course Description      | No. of Credits |
|---------------|-------------------------|----------------|
| 1. CULA 101   | Culinary History & Dev. | 3              |
| 2. CULA 111   | Culinary Foundations    | 3              |

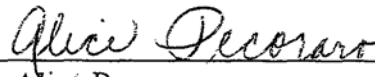
The awarding of credits shall be based upon review/evaluation of the following:

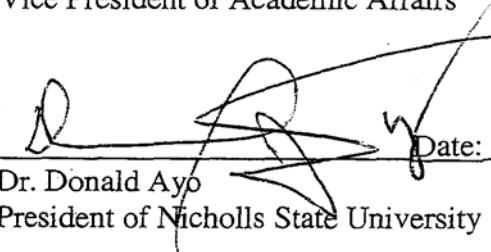
1. Students are expected to complete the required admissions application form and must submit an official high school transcript. Upon acceptance to Nicholls State University, a student will be eligible for consideration of the articulation agreement.
2. Student must be admitted as a degree-seeking student within Culinary Arts Program within 24 months (2 years) of high school graduation.
3. Students must graduate from high school and have successfully passed the certification examination for specified courses under the ITBA program.
4. Students must earn 80% on the Hospitality Business Alliance's Prostart final exam and submit proof of grade and copy of their Prostart certificate.
5. Students must earn a minimum grade of "B" in the evaluated Prostart program to earn transfer credits.

6. High school teacher's letter of recommendation stating the student has achieved the knowledge and skills for the competency is required.
7. Students must pass the Advanced Standing exams to receive advanced standing credit
8. Students who pass the CULA 111 Advanced Standing Exam must also show proof of Serve Safe Certification to receive credit.

This agreement will become effective upon signing of the parties listed below and shall remain in effect without interruption unless changes in curriculum are presented prior to implementation so that the impact upon the agreement can be evaluated. Further this agreement shall be listed on the HBA web site and any other directory accessible to high school students.

 Date: 2/18/03 \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
Dr. Robert J. Harrington, CEC Michael Bartlett  
Dean of Chef John Folse Culinary Institute Executive Director, HBA

 Date: 2/18/03  
Dr. Alice Pecoraro  
Vice President of Academic Affairs

✓  Date: 2/18/03  
Dr. Donald Ayo  
President of Nicholls State University