



Letter of Gratitude and Acknowledgement

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Sent on behalf of the ARUCC PCCAT Joint Steering Committee

Re: National Transcript and Transfer Credit Nomenclature Standards Project (“the Project”)

Colleagues:

On behalf of the ARUCC PCCAT Joint Steering Committee, we extend our appreciation and thanks to the hundreds of individuals and allied organizations that supported the research for the national Project and the Transcript and Transfer Guide (“the Guide”). The guidance, support, goodwill, and collaboration of the members of the steering committee, the ARUCC and PCCAT executives, the councils on admissions/articulation and transfer, and the regional associations aligned with ARUCC have ensured a robust and comprehensive evidence gathering consultation process. The project leadership provided by Joanne Duklas of Duklas Cornerstone Consulting and her national team helped to ensure the consultation was both comprehensive and deep. They join us in celebrating the release of the final product, the ARUCC PCCAT Transcript and Transfer Guide. It is our intention that this Guide will serve the community well in the years to come.

The Project’s core operating principles provided a solid foundation to build engagement and consensus. These included a commitment to encouraging student success and mobility, community engagement, and best practice informed by research and evidence. At the heart of the Project was a deep respect for the expertise of the postsecondary community, institutional autonomy, and provincial authority. With the launch of the Guide, the national Canadian postsecondary community has created a platform for moving forward the student mobility agenda.

Appending this letter of thanks is a summary of the many organizations and individuals involved in this project beginning with our financial sponsors. Without them, this Project and subsequent Guide would not have been possible.

With thanks,

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- British Columbia Council on Admissions and Transfer (BCCAT) - <http://bccat.ca/>
- Campus Manitoba - <http://www.ecampusmanitoba.com/>
- Higher Education Quality Council of Ontario (HEQCO) - <http://www.heqco.ca/Pages/wel.aspx>
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British Columbia Council on Articulation and Transfer (BCCAT), bccat.ca

Campus Manitoba, ecampusmanitoba.com

New Brunswick Council on Articulations and Transfer (NBCAT), nbcats.ca

Ontario Council on Articulation and Transfer (ONCAT), oncat.ca

Pan-Canadian Consortium on Admissions and Transfer (PCCAT), pccatweb.org

ARUCC Regional Associations

Association of Registrars of the Universities and Colleges of Canada (ARUCC)

Association des registraires des collèges du Québec (ARCQ), arcq.omnivox.ca

Atlantic Association of Registrars and Admissions Officers (AARAO), aaroo.ca

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Ontario College's Committee of Registrars, Admission, and Liaison Officers (CRALO), cralo.ca

Ontario Universities' Admission Council (OUCA)

Ontario University Registrars' Association (OURA), oura.ca

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Electronic Data Exchange Advisors

Canadian P20w Education Standards Council User Group (CanPESC),

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International

American Association of Collegiate Registrars and Admissions Officers (AARAO), aaroo.org