

**AFA/BFA ARTICULATION AGREEMENT  
BETWEEN  
THE CURATORS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF MISSOURI  
ON BEHALF OF  
THE UNIVERSITY OF MISSOURI- ST. LOUIS  
AND  
SAINT CHARLES COMMUNITY COLLEGE**

This program- to -program articulation agreement is the result of joint meetings of the University of Missouri – St Louis hereinafter referred to as UMSL and Saint Charles Community College hereinafter referred to as SCC. UMSL and SCC agree that both institutions value this cooperative agreement and that this agreement will best serve the current students of both institutions.

**CONDITIONS OF THE JOINT AGREEMENT:**

**Section I: Admissions and Matriculation**

UMSL and SCC agree to develop a joint advising form in order to facilitate the most seamless transfer possible for the SCC students enrolled in that institution's Associate of Fine Arts (AFA) program who desire to complete the Bachelor of Fine Arts (BFA) with Emphasis in General Fine Arts or Graphic Design at UMSL.

UMSL and SCC agree to inform AFA/BFA students of the existence of this institutional articulation agreement and the advantages of pursuing the AFA to BFA articulated program in terms of quality and cost.

UMSL and SCC agree that recruiting materials from both institutions will indicate the existence of the articulated program. These materials will include a descriptive brochure and a Web page describing the articulated program with links to the Web sites of each of the participating art units.

**Section II: Transfer of credit**

UMSL agrees to accept 68 semester hours of credit from the SCC AFA program graduate who seeks to complete the BFA program at UMSL. UMSL will accept 62 hours of the AFA and will accept an additional 6 hours of general education courses. SCC students not completing the AFA and /or the general education plan at SCC will have their coursework evaluated on a course-by- course basis for possible transfer to UMSL and applicability in meeting the BFA program and general education requirements.

SCC students completing an AFA degree that includes a CBHE approved general education core will be allowed transfer credit of more than 68 hours only if the additional

lower division credits are applicable to the baccalaureate degree or are prerequisites for upper division courses.

Also, SCC students who have completed the 42 credit hours of Missouri's general education competency based curriculum will be accepted as having fulfilled UMSL lower division general education requirements. A student transferring to UMSL from SCC, prior to Fall 2008, having completed a general education plan consistent with general education guidelines of the Coordinating Board of higher Education will be regarded as having completed the UMSL General Education Plan, provided that his or her transcript verifies completion of the general education requirements at the sending institution.

### **Section III: Program Plan**

The two year program plans in General Fine Arts and Graphic Design will be incorporated as addenda to this agreement. These plans will specify student degree course plan and transfer credit requirements. Such addenda will go into effect when signed by the administrative representative(s) of each institution. Degree course plans will be reviewed jointly, on a periodic basis, and modified to reflect any changes in the degree requirements. Additional course plans in studio art emphasis areas will be added as developed.

### **Section IV: Institutional Cooperation**

UMSL and SCC will develop and support activities that encourage interaction among their AFA/ BFA faculties and students.

UMSL and SCC will share information with each other regarding exhibits, shows, etc and students and faculty from each will have access to other's events.

## **TERMS OF THE AGREEMENT**

This agreement becomes effective in the Spring semester of the 2015- 2016 academic year and remains in effect unless changed in writing by mutual agreement of UMSL and SCC. The agreement can be amended at any time with the approval of both institutions. Should either institution desire to discontinue this agreement, advance notification of two years will be required.

Both institutions hereby indicate full agreement to the terms and conditions included above and the honoring of the course, program, and other requirements outlined in the Transfer Guides as attached as appendices to this agreement. UMSL and SCC representatives agree to meet on an annual basis to discuss this articulation agreement and whether revision is required. Responsibility for calling this annual meeting will alternate between UMSL and SCC.

Additional copies of this agreement may be requested through the UMSL Office of Admissions-Transfer Services 351 MSC, 314-516-5162.

**SIGNATURES:**

Saint Charles Community College (SCC) and the University of Missouri- St. Louis (UMSL) hereby enter into this articulation agreement leading from the Associate of Fine Arts degree to the Bachelor of Fine Arts degree by affixing the signatures of the chief executive officers of both institutions.



Dr. Ron Chesbrough  
President  
Saint Charles Community College  
St. Peters, Missouri

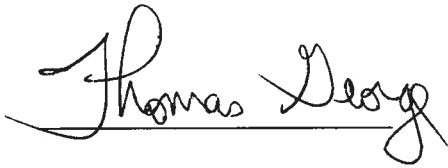
And



Chris Breitmeyer  
Vice President, ASA  
Saint Charles Community College  
St. Peters, Missouri

11/13/15  
Date

11/13/15  
Date



Dr. Thomas George  
Chancellor  
University of Missouri- St. Louis  
St. Louis, Missouri

And



Dr. Glen Hahn Cope  
Provost  
University of Missouri- St. Louis  
St. Louis, Missouri

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<b>Degree Name:</b>	AFA		
<b>Degree or Program:</b>	Art OR Graphic Design		
<b>Degree Type:</b>	Associate of Fine Art		
<b>Description:</b> The Associate of Fine Arts (AFA) is a transfer degree which prepares SCC students pursuing a Bachelor's degree with a concentration in studio Fine Arts at either a four-year college, university or art school. The degree provides experience in different art media areas to prepare students for a career in a creative arts profession.			
<b>General Education Requirements:</b>			
	<b>Course Number</b>	<b>Course Name</b>	<b>Credit Hours</b>
Communication	ENG 101***	English Composition I	3
	ENG 102	English Composition II	3
	SPE 101	Oral Communications	3
Math	MAT 155***	Contemporary College Math (or higher)	4
Social Science (Group I)	HIS 101 or 102 or 115 or 270 or POL 101 or 102 #	US History or American Government	3
Natural Science	Any BIO, CHM, or PHY		3
<b>SCC Requirements:</b>			
	COL 101	College Success Seminar	1
<b>Core Course Requirements MUST include:</b>			
	ART 1105 **	Digital Art Studio	3
	ART 1200	2D-Design	3
	ART 1205	Color Theory	3
	ART 1300	3D Design	3
	ART 1400	Drawing I	3
	ART 1405	Drawing II	3
	ART 1500	Survey of Western Art History I	3
	ART 1505	Survey of Western Art History II	3
<b>Choose One of the following options:</b>			
<b>Studio Art Option:</b>	5 additional studio art courses reflecting a breadth of studio experiences.	2310 (210) Figure Drawing I ** 2320 (250) Figure Drawing II **	15
		Choose three others from Painting, Printmaking, Photography, Jewelry, Sculpture, Ceramics to show breadth of experience. See list below ST ART Electives :	
			UMSL 1142; ** UMSL 1143; **



		2300 (211) Drawing III 2400 (130) Painting I 2410 (140) Painting II 2500 (135) Ceramics I 2510 (136) Ceramics II 2550 (277) Jewelry I 2560 (278) Jewelry II 2600 (285) Sculpture I 2610 (288) Sculpture II 2700 (260) Intro to Printmaking 2710 Relief Printmaking 2720 Intaglio Printmaking 2750 (265) Fibers 2800 (220) B&W Photo I 2810 (221) Digital Photo I 2830 (225) Digital Photo II 2900 (270) Illustration I 2930 (239) Gallery Management Internship			UMSL 2240 UMSL 1180 UMSL 1181 UMSL 1030 UMSL 1130 Approved Elective Approved Elective UMSL 1132 Approved Elective UMSL 1170 UMSL 2274 Approved Elective Approved Elective UMSL 1060 UMSL 1061 Approved Elective Approved Elective
	ART 2999****	Sophomore Studio Art Seminar	3	ELECTIVE	18
<b>Total Required hours for AFA Studio Art Option:</b>		<b>** Required for UMSL BFA</b>			<b>18</b>
<b>Graphic Design Option:</b>	5 additional graphic design courses		15		
	ART 2199	Portfolio Design & Professional Practices	3		18
<b>Total Required hours for AFA Graphic Design Option:</b>					<b>62</b>
** ART 1105 also fulfills the SCC computer literacy requirement. *** The Academic Skills Assessment is required before enrolling in math or English courses. If a student places into lower-level courses than are required for his/her degree, then the student needs to first enroll in such courses before enrolling in the required courses. **** SCC AFA in Studio Art graduation requirement.					





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ENG 101***	English Composition I	3	Elective credit
ENG 102	English Composition II	3	English 1100
SPE 101	Oral Communications	3	COM 1040
MAT 155***	Contemporary College Math (or higher)	4	MTH 1020
Social Science (Group I)	HIS 101 or 102 or 115 or 270 or POL 101 or 102 #	3	HST 1001-1002 or POLSC 1100
Natural Science	Any BIO, CHM, or PHY	3	Gen Ed 3 hour science

**SCC Requirements:**

COL 101	College Success Seminar	1	FE- does not count
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**Core Course Requirements MUST include:**

ART 1105 **	Digital Art Studio	3	Elective credit / Information Literacy
ART 1200	2D-Design	3	1150
ART 1205	Color Theory	3	1151
ART 1300	3D Design	3	2251
ART 1400	Drawing I	3	1140
ART 1405	Drawing II	3	1141
ART 1500	Survey of Western Art History I	3	Humanities/Art History
ART 1505	Survey of Western Art History II	3	Humanities /Art History

**Choose One of the following options:**

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	ART 2999****	3	ELECTIVE
	Sophomore Studio Art Seminar		
	** Required for UMSL BFA		
		3	18

**Total Required hours for AFA Graphic Design Option:**

<b>UMSL</b>	5 additional graphic design courses	ART 2310 – Figure Drawing I ●● ART 2320 – Figure Drawing II●●	15	2310 (210) Figure Drawing I = UMSL 1142; ** 2320 (250) Figure Drawing II = UMSL 1143,**
			<b>62</b>	



		<b>Choose 3 others from the following:</b> ART 2110 – Page Layout ART 2120 – Typography ART 2130 – Digital Imaging & Illustration ART 2140 – Web Design		ART 2110 – Page Layout = UMSL 1210 ART 2120 – Typography = UMSL 2210 Elective Elective
	ART 2199	Portfolio Design & Professional Practices	3	
<b>** Required for UMSL BFA</b>				<b>21</b>
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