

# **ARTICULATION AGREEMENT**

Between the

Fine and Visual Art Departments

Of

**NEW HAMPSHIRE TECHNICAL INSTITUTE**

and the

**UNIVERSITY OF MASSACHUSETTS LOWELL**

Spring 2008

This articulation agreement has been established between New Hampshire Technical Institute and the University of Massachusetts Lowell, Departments of Fine & Visual Art. This agreement was developed with the intent of facilitating the transfer process from New Hampshire Technical Institute to the University of Massachusetts Lowell. These agreements will serve as a guideline for those who desire to transfer into the Fine Arts program at the University of Massachusetts Lowell.

Students completing the Associates in Arts, Visual Art program at New Hampshire Technical Institute, in accordance with the minimum standards as set by the Fine Art department at the University of Massachusetts Lowell, will be admitted to that department at the University of Massachusetts Lowell as juniors. Students who do not meet the aforementioned minimum standards will be considered for admission to the University of Massachusetts Lowell on a case-by-case basis.

#### **OBJECTIVES:**

1. To encourage the transfer of qualified students from New Hampshire Technical Institute to the University of Massachusetts Lowell.
2. To award academic credit for courses completed at New Hampshire Technical Institute that meet the terms of the Visual Art Associate Degree as stated in this agreement for application toward the requirements for the Bachelor of Fine Art Degree at the University of Massachusetts Lowell.
3. To provide effective and concise guidelines for students seeking to transfer to the University of Massachusetts Lowell. Students will have accurate and clear information regarding the transfer of their coursework and credits toward the Bachelor's Degree at the University of Massachusetts Lowell.

#### **TERMS OF THE TRANSFER ARTICULATION AGREEMENT:**

1. The University of Massachusetts Lowell guarantees the acceptance of students who completed the Visual Arts Associate Degree program at New Hampshire Technical Institute with an overall GPA of 2.5 or better to the Bachelor of Fine Art.
2. The University of Massachusetts Lowell guarantees the transfer of credit as stipulated in the attached Programs of Studies. This agreement assumes the completion of the Associate Degree and completion of the courses listed on the attached Programs of Studies. The University of Massachusetts Lowell may require that 50% of the major is completed in residence; a minimum total of 120 credits must be completed to earn a Bachelor of Fine Art. The University of Massachusetts Lowell may accept courses taken beyond the Associate Degree (60 credits); however, students are encouraged to contact the transfer advisor at the University of Massachusetts Lowell for approval.

3. New Hampshire Technical Institute transfer students will be subject to all general education requirements of the University of Massachusetts Lowell as set forth in the University of Massachusetts Lowell catalog.
4. This document is based upon the evaluation of course descriptions presented to the University of Massachusetts Lowell. Courses as listed in this agreement will transfer to the University of Massachusetts Lowell provided a grade of "C-or better has been earned.
5. New Hampshire Technical Institute students interested in participating in this agreement should be advised to take the suggested liberal arts courses. These courses are required at the University of Massachusetts Lowell and students are advised to complete them as part of their Associate Degree.
6. The final advanced (200 level) studio course at New Hampshire Technical Institute will serve as the capstone course during which the student will create a portfolio of work to be on public display, and document their imagery in either slide or CD format, and include an artist statement.

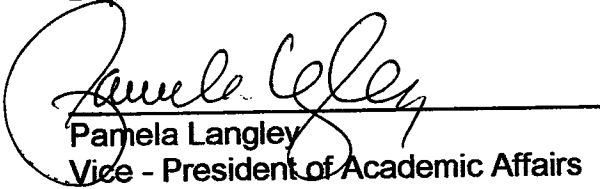
This agreement shall remain in effect for a period of three years from the date listed below, with the provision that the terms specified herein will continue to apply to students admitted from New Hampshire Technical Institute's Visual Art Associate Degree program within one year of the expiration of the agreement. Each institution agrees to provide timely notice to the other in the event of any modification to the curriculum that might affect compatibility for admission and transfer of coursework. This agreement may be subject to change, without notice, if curriculum requirements change at either institution. Students admitted to the New Hampshire Technical Institute's Visual Art Associate Degree program prior to such notification shall be admitted to the University of Massachusetts Lowell on the basis of this agreement. This agreement is conditional upon the Visual Art Department maintaining its' program approval from the Massachusetts Board of Higher Education.

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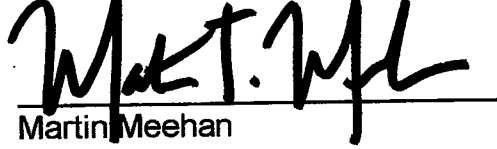


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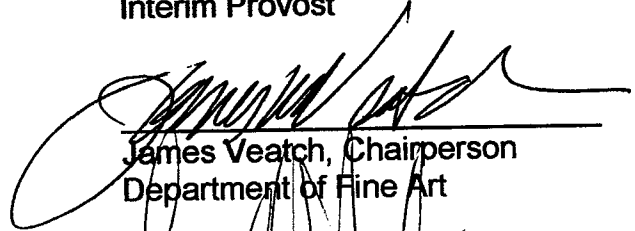
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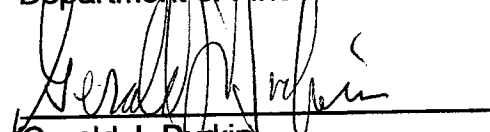
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## New Hampshire Technical Institute

<b>Transfer Articulation Agreement Associate in Arts Degree: Visual Art</b>			
<b>New Hampshire Technical Institute Degree Requirements</b>		<b>U Mass Lowell Transfer Course Equivalents</b>	
<b>First Year Fall Semester</b>			
EN 101 English Composition	4	42.101	3
FA 101 Introduction to Drawing	4	70.255	3
FA 103 Two-Dimensional Design(studio)	3	70.101	3
FA 111 Survey of Western Art History 1	3	58.203	3
IT 102 PC Applications	3	90.202	3
<b>Credits</b>	<b>15</b>		<b>15</b>
<b>Spring Semester</b>			
EN xxx English Elective	3	42.102	3
FA 104 Three-Dimensional Design (studio)	3	70.102	3
FA 112 Survey of Western Art History 2	3	58.204	3
FA 201 Drawing II (studio)	4	70.299	3
SO xxx Social Science Elective	3	* see attached list	3
<b>Credits</b>	<b>16</b>		<b>15</b>
<b>Second Year Fall Semester</b>			
FA xxx Studio Elective	4	*see attached list	3
FA xxx FA (visual art only) Elective may be studio or history	3-4	*see attached list	3
MT xxx Math Elective	4	* see attached list	3
SO xxx Social Science Elective	3	* see attached list	3
XX xxx Lab Science Elective	4	* see attached list	4
<b>Credits</b>	<b>18-19</b>		<b>16</b>
<b>Spring Semester</b>			
FA 2xx Studio elective (#2)	4	*see attached list.	3
MT Math Elective	3-4	* see attached list	3
SO xxx Social Science Elective	3	* see attached list	3
XX xxx Lab Science Elective	4	* see attached list	4
XX xxx General Elective	3-4	* see attached list	3
<b>Credits</b>	<b>17-19</b>		<b>16</b>
<b>Total Credits</b>	<b>66-69</b>		<b>62</b>

## Social Science Electives

SO 105	48 101	Intro to Sociology
SO 125	46 199	Poly Sci 100 level elective
SO 202	49 199	Economics 100 level elective
SO 203	48 199	Sociology 100 level electives
SO 205	48 270	Self and Society
SO 225	46 105	Intro To Public Policy
SO 240	48 231	Sociology of the Family
SO 250	48 215	Peacemaking Alternatives

## Science & Science with lab course selections

SCN 116	35 103	Human A & P Lab I
	35 101	Anatomy & Physiology I
SCN 130	96 103	General Physics I Lab
	95 103	General Physics I
SCN 215	83 199	Bio/Life Sci 100 elective
SCN 216	35 104	Human A & P Lab II
	35 102	Anatomy & Physiology II
BI 012	83 101	Life Science I
	83 103	Life Science I Laboratory
BI 101	35 101	Anatomy & Physiology I
	35 103	Human A & P Lab I
BI 102	35 104	Human A & P Lab II
	35 102	Anatomy & Physiology II
BI 111	81 117	Experimental Biology I
	81 111	Principles of Biology I
BI 112	81 118	Experimental Biology II
	81 112	Principles of Biology II
BI 120	81 111	Principles of Biology I
	81 113	Intro Experimental Biology I
BI 159	83 199	Bio/Life Sci 100 elective

BI 160	83 199	Bio/Life Sci 100 elective
BI 195	35 103 35 101	Human A & P Lab I Anatomy & Physiology I
BI 196	35 103 35 101	Human A & P Lab I Anatomy & Physiology I
BI 201	83 199	Bio/Life Sci 100 elective
BI 202	35 211 35 213	Bas CI Micro & Pathology Bas CI Micro & Path Lab
BI 222	35 199	Clinical Lab 100 level elect

Math course electives

MT 120	92 111	Quantitative Reasoning
MT 123	92 199	Math 100 elective
MT 125	92 111	Quantitative Reasoning
MT 133	92 199	Math 100 elective
MT 134	92 151	Explorations in Mathematics
MT 205	92 131	Calculus I
MT 251	92 283	Introduction to Statistics

Fine Art courses\*

FA 210	70 299	Studio Art 200 elective
FA 220	70 299	Studio Art 200 elective
FA 230	70 299	Studio Art 200 elective
FA 235	70 299	Studio Art 200 elective

\*The above four courses are to be utilized for the second year fall semester studio elective, visual art elective and the second year spring studio elective.  
A portfolio review is recommended for appropriate transfer of credit.