#### ARTICULATION AGREEMENT

#### Harford Community College Associate of Arts in Art + Design: Digital Arts

### Maryland Institute College of Art Bachelor of Fine Arts in Animation, Game Design and Interactive Arts

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Harford Community College (HCC) and Maryland Institute College Of Art (MICA) agree that students, who choose to earn an associate degree and transfer to MICA to earn a bachelor's degree, should be provided with a smooth curriculum transition that minimizes loss of credit and duplication of coursework. Therefore, HCC and MICA agree to enter into this program articulation agreement for students who complete the Associate of Arts Degree in Art + Design: Digital Arts at HCC and transfer into the Bachelor of Fine Art Degree program in Animation, Game Design or Interactive Arts at MICA. Both partners enter into this agreement as cooperating, equal partners who shall maintain the integrity of their separate programs.

#### **Guiding Principles**

HCC and MICA agree that any student who has completed the Associate of Arts Degree in Art + Design: Digital Arts at HCC may transfer the credits indicated on the attached Articulation Guide toward a Bachelor of Fine Arts in Animation, Interactive Arts or Game Design at MICA. Guidelines for students who follow this transfer agreement are as follows:

- 1. Complete the Associate of Arts Degree in Art + Design: Digital Arts at HCC and complete the coordinated program of study for the Bachelor of Fine Arts in Animation, Interactive Arts or Game Design at MICA, as noted in the attached Articulation Guide.
- 2. The academic transcript and the quality of the student's portfolio determine transfer credit. Only courses with a grade of "C" or better (2.0 on a 4.0 scale) will be considered for transfer to MICA.
- 3. When applying to MICA, an official transcript from HCC must be sent to MICA's Undergraduate Admission Office.
- 4. A minimum of 60 credit hours must be taken at MICA and a minimum of 120 credit hours, completed in-residence or accepted in transfer, is required for graduation.
- 5. MICA reserves the right to consider each HCC applicant for admission based on the quality of portfolio, academic achievement, and character as revealed by required application materials.
- 6. Admission under the terms of this agreement is contingent upon meeting high standards of personal conduct, pursuant with the student conduct codes of both HCC and MICA.
- 7. Students interested in transferring to MICA are encouraged to be in regular contact with MICA's Office of Undergraduate Admission throughout their course of study at HCC. This will help to facilitate an efficient and smooth transition from HCC to MICA. Students should bring a copy of their transcript(s) and a copy of this articulation agreement to all advising sessions.

### Program Articulation A.A. in Art + Design: Digital Arts – B.F.A in Animation, Interactive Arts or Game Design

The following details the transfer of course agreement between the A.A. in Art + Design: Digital Arts at HCC and the B.F.A. in Animation, Interactive Arts or Game Design at MICA.

HCC Requirements	MICA Equivalent	Notes
ART 201 History of Art – Ancient and Medieval (GH) (D)	AH 100 Art Matters	
ART 202 History of Art – Renaissance to Modern (GH) (D)	AH Elective	
ART 101 Fundamentals of 2D Design	FF 111 Forum I	
ART 160 Time-Based Media	FF 112 Forum II	
ART 111 Drawing I	FF 161 Drawing: Tradition & Innovation	
PHOT 131 Digital Photography I	FF 120B Color & Design	
ART 107 Fundamentals of 3D Design	FF 130 Form & Space requirement	
ART120 Digital Foundations	FF 140 Systems &Time requirement	
ART 108 Digital Media Culture	Program Elective	
Advanced Studio Course choose ART 213 Drawing II: Contemp Practice	FF 162 Drawing: Contemporary Practices	
ART 208 Digital Foundations II	Studio Elective	
ART 233 Portfolio Workshop	Studio Elective	
ENG 101 English Composition (GE)	HMST101 Critical Inquiry	
Arts/Humanities Elective (choose ENG, PHIL, or RELG) (GH)	HMST Elective	
Behavioral/Social Science Elective (GB)	IH1 or IH2 Requirement*	See approved list*
Behavioral/Social Science Elective (GB)	Academic Elective	
Biological/Physical Science Elective (GS)	Academic Elective	
Math Elective (GM)	NSCI Elective	
Biological/Physical Science (4 credits) (GL)	Not transferrable but necessary to meet the degree requirement to transfer	
Physical Education Elective (1 credit)	Not transferrable but necessary to meet the degree requirement to transfer	
General Elective (1 credit)	Not transferrable but necessary to meet the degree requirement to transfer	

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ANTH 102	Intro to Cultural Anthropology	IH2
HIST 103	History of the United States I	IH1
HIST 104	History of the United States II	IH2
HIST 109	World History I	IH1
HIST 110	World History II	IH2
HIST 202	The Twentieth Century World	IH2
HIST 207	African-American History	IH 1 or IH2
SOC 212	Race, Class & Gender in the US	IH2

Interested HCC students can elect to take an additional two studio ART courses (6 credits) beyond the HCC AA degree requirements for transfer to MICA under this agreement. The following are recommended:

**Animation Majors** 

HCC Course	MICA Equivalent	Notes
ART 230 2D Computer Animation	AN 202 The Principles of Animation	
ART 231 3D Modeling and Animation	AN 203 3D Computer Animation	

**Game Design or Interactive Arts Majors** 

HCC Course	MICA Equivalent	Notes
ART Studio course	Studio Elective	
ART Studio course	Studio Elective	

# MICA Animation degree plan Transfer from Harford Community College AA in Art + Design: Digital Arts

FOUNDATION REQUIREMENTS	CRDTS REQ'D	MICA CRS #	HCC TRANSFER COURSE	CREDITS	COMMENTS / TRANSFER INFO	SEM EARNED
Forum I	3	FF 111	ART 101 Fund of 2D Design	3	HCC Req	
Forum II	3	FF 112	ART 160 Time-Based Media	3	HCC Req	
Color & Design	3	FF 120A or 120B	PHOT 131 Digital Photography I	3	HCC Req	
Form & Space	3	FF 130A or 130B	ART 107 Fund of 3D Design	3	HCC Req	
Systems & Time	3	FF 140A or 140B	ART 120 Digital Foundations	3	HCC Req	
Drawing: Tradition & Innovation	3	FF 161	ART 111 Drawing I	3	HCC Req	
Drawing: Contemporary Practices	3	FF 162	ART 213 Studio Drawing II: Contemporary Practice	3	HCC Req Adv Studio Course	
Program Elective	3		ART 108 Digital Media Culture (GI)	3	HCC Req	
LIBERAL ARTS REQUIREMENTS	CRDTS REQ'D	MICA CRS #	HCC TRANSFER COURSE	CREDITS		SEM EARNED
Art Matters	3	AH 100	ART 201 History of Art- Ancient-Med (GH) (D)	3	HCC Req	
Modernism and After	3	AH 201		- 1-5		
Art History Elective	3	АН	ART 202 History of Art - Ren-Modern (GH) (D)	3	HCC Req	
Art History Elective	3	АН			45 7.44	
History of Animation (soph. or junior year)	3	AH 366				
Critical Inquiry	3	HMST 101	ENG 101 English Composition (GE)	3	HCC Req	
Humanistic Studies/Literature Elective (any level)*	3		Arts & Hum Elective (ENG, PHIL or RELG)	3	HCC Arts & Hum Elective	
Humanistic Studies/Literature Elective (300 or 400 level)*	3					
Intellectual History I (Soph. Requirement)	3	-IH1	Behavioral/Social Science (GB)	3	HCC Req (see approved list)	
Intellectual History II (Soph. Requirement)	3	-IH2				
Science/Math	3	NSCI	Math Elective (GM)	3	HCC Req	
Theory (Jr. Requirement)	3	-TH	1			
Academic Elective	3		Biological/Physical Science (GS)	3	HCC Req	
Academic Elective (or Writing Workshop, if required)	3		Behavioral/Social Science (GB)	3	HCC Req	HIE

<sup>\*</sup>at least one of these classes must be LIT or CWRT

STUDIO ELECTIVES	CRDTS REQ'D	MICA CRS #	HCC TRANSFER COURSE	CREDITS	COMMENTS / TRANSFER INFO	SEM EARNED
Studio Elective 1	3		ART 233 Portfolio Workshop	3	HCC Req	
Studio Elective 2	3		ART 208 Dig. Foundations II	3	HCC Req	
CORE REQUIREMENTS	CRDTS REQ'D	MICA CRS #	HCC TRANSFER COURSE	CREDITS	COMMENTS / TRANSFER INFO	SEM EARNED
Animation Elective 1	3	AN	ART 231 3D Modeling	3	Additional HCC elective	
Animation Elective 2	3	AN	British (1), E			
Animation Elective 3	3	AN	-4-21			1112
FRESHMAN AND SOPHOMORE LEVEL			Mary Co. A.			
Principles of Animation	3	AN 202	ART 230 2D Computer Animation	3	Additional HCC elective	
Animation Pre-Production	3	AN 245	, 121-11			
Digital Tools for Animation	3	AN 255				
Project Course (see list)	3	AN				
Tier-1 Animation Elective	3	AN 203 or 225				
JUNIOR LEVEL						
2D or 3D Character or Advanced Stop Motion	3	AN 363 or 364 or 340				
Professional Practice for Animators I	1.5	AN 385			- WIII	
Project Course (see list)	3	AN	man a			
Project Course (see list)	3	AN				
SENIOR LEVEL						
Animation Senior Thesis I	6	AN 498				
Animation Senior Thesis II	6	AN 499				
Professional Practice for Animators II	1.5	AN 485				
Total Degree Credits	120			60		

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ANTH 102	Intro to Cultural Anthropology	IH2
HIST 103	History of the United States I	IH1
HIST 104	History of the United States II	IH2
HIST 109	World History I	IH1
HIST 110	World History II	IH2
HIST 202	The Twentieth Century World	IH2
HIST 207	African-American History	IH 1 or IH2
SOC 212	Race, Class & Gender in the US	IH2

### MICA Game Design degree plan Transfer from Harford Community College AA in Art + Design: Digital Arts

FOUNDATION REQUIREMENTS	CRDTS REQ'D	MICA CRS #	HCC TRANSFER COURSE	CREDITS	COMMENTS / TRANSFER INFO	SEM EARNED
Forum I	3	FF 111	ART 101 Fund of 2D Design	3	HCC Req	
Forum II	3	FF 112	ART 160 Time-Based Media	3	HCC Req	
Color & Design	3	FF 120A or 120B	PHOT 131 Digital Photography I	3	HCC Req	
Form & Space	3	FF 130A or 130B	ART 107 Fund of 3D Design	3	HCC Req	
Systems & Time	3	FF 140A or 140B	ART 120 Digital Foundations	3	HCC Req	
Drawing: Tradition & Innovation	3	FF 161	ART 111 Drawing I	3	HCC Req	
Drawing: Contemporary Practices	3	FF 162	ART 213 Studio Drawing II: Contemporary Practice	3	HCC Req Adv Studio Course	
Program Elective	3		ART 108 Digital Media Culture (GI)	3	HCC Req	
LIBERAL ARTS REQUIREMENTS	CRDTS REQ'D	MICA CRS #	HCC TRANSFER COURSE	CREDITS		SEM EARNED
Art Matters (Foundation Requirement)	3	AH 100	ART 201 History of Art - Ancient & Medieval (GH) (D)	3	HCC Req	
Modernism and After (Soph. Requirement)	3	AH 201				
Art History Elective	3	АН	ART 202 History of Art - Ren-Modern (GH) (D)	3	HCC Req	L-Un
Art History Elective	3	АН				
Art History Elective	3	АН				
Critical Inquiry (Foundation Requirement)	3	HMST 101	ENG 101 English Composition (GE)	3	HCC Req	
Humanistic Studies/Literature Elective (any level)*	3		Arts & Hum Elective (ENG, PHIL or RELG) (GH)	3	HCC Arts & Hum Elective	
Humanistic Studies/Literature Elective (300 or 400 level)*	3					
Intellectual History 1 (Soph. Requirement)	3	-IH1	Behavioral/Social Science (GB)	3	HCC Req (see approved list)	
Intellectual History 2 (Soph. Requirement)	3	-IH2				
Science/Math	3	NSCI	Math Elective (GM)	3	HCC Req	N 0.5
Theory (Jr. Requirement)	3	-тн				
Academic Elective	3		Biological/Physical Science (GS)	3	HCC Req	114
Academic Elective (or Writing Workshop, if required)	3		Behavioral/Social Science (GB)	3	HCC Req	

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STUDIO ELECTIVES	CRDTS REQ'D	MICA CRS #	HCC TRANSFER COURSE	CREDITS	COMMENTS / TRANSFER INFO	SEM EARNED
Studio Elective 1	3	an and	ART 233 Portfolio Workshop	3	HCC Req	
Studio Elective 2	3		ART 208 Digital Foundations	3	HCC Req	
Studio Elective 3	3		ART Studio Elective	3	Additional HCC elective	
Studio Elective 4	3		ART Studio Elective	3	Additional HCC elective	
Studio Elective 5	3					THE IS
CORE REQUIREMENTS	CRDTS REQ'D	MICA CRS #	HCC TRANSFER COURSE	CREDITS	COMMENTS / TRANSFER INFO	SEM EARNED
FRESHMAN/SOPHOMORE LEVEL						
Game/Play: Intro to Design	3					
2D Game Design	3					
2D Level and Narrative Design	3					
Advanced 2D Game Design	3					
JUNIOR LEVEL						
Game Collab Studio I	3					
3D Game Design	6					
3D Worlds and Level Design	3			9191		177
3D Game Studio	6					
SENIOR LEVEL						J
Game Collab Studio II	3					
Senior Project Studio I	3					
Senior Project Studio II	3					
Total Degree Credits	120			60		

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Intro to Cultural Anthropology	IH2
History of the United States I	IH1
History of the United States II	IH2
World History I	IH1
World History II	IH2
The Twentieth Century World	IH2
African-American History	IH 1 or IH2
Race, Class & Gender in the US	IH2
	History of the United States II World History I World History II The Twentieth Century World African-American History

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FOUNDATION REQUIREMENTS	CRDTS REQ'D	MICA CRS #	HCC TRANSFER COURSE	CREDITS	COMMENTS / TRANSFER INFO	SEM EARNED
Forum I	3	FF 111	ART 101 Fund of 2D Design	3	HCC Reqs	
Forum II	3	FF 112	ART 160 Time-Based Media	3	HCC Req	
Color & Design	3	FF 120A or 120B	PHOT 131 Digital Photography I	3	HCC Req	
Form & Space	3	FF 130A or 130B	ART 107 Fund of 3D Design	3	HCC Req	
Systems & Time	3	FF 140A or 140B	ART 120 Digital Foundations	3	HCC Req	
Drawing: Tradition & Innovation	3	FF 161	ART 111 Drawing I	3	HCC Req	
Drawing: Contemporary Practices	3	FF 162	ART 213 Studio Drawing II: Contemporary Practice	3	HCC Req Adv Studio Course	
Program Elective	3		ART 108 Digital Media Culture (GI)	3	HCC Req	d least on
LIBERAL ARTS REQUIREMENTS	CRDTS REQ'D	MICA CRS #	HCC TRANSFER COURSE	CREDITS		SEM EARNED
Art Matters (Foundation Requirement)	3	AH 100	ART 201 History of Art - Ancient & Medieval (GH) (D)	3	HCC Req	
Modernism and After (Soph. Requirement)	3	AH 201				T - "
Art History Elective	3	АН	ART 202 History of Art - Ren-Modern (GH) (D)	3	HCC Req	
Art History Elective	3	АН				
Art History Elective	3	АН				Language.
Critical Inquiry (Foundation Requirement)	3	HMST 101	ENG 101 English Composition (GE)	3	HCC Req	
Humanistic Studies/Literature Elective (any level)*	3	1415	Arts & Hum Elective (ENG, PHIL or RELG)	3	HCC Arts & Hum Elective	
Humanistic Studies/Literature Elective (300 or 400 level)*	3		E- 1125 Y			
Intellectual History 1 (Soph. Requirement)	3	-IH1	Behavioral/Social Science (GB)	3	HCC Req (see approved list)	
Intellectual History 2 (Soph. Requirement)	3	-IH2				
Science/Math	3	NSCI	Math Elective (GM)	3	HCC Req	
Theory (Jr. Requirement)	3	-тн				144
Academic Elective	3		Biological/Physical Science (GS)	3	HCC Req	
Academic Elective (or Writing Workshop, if required)	3		Behavioral/Social Science (GB)	3	HCC Req	

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Studio Elective 2	3		ART 208 Digital Foundations	3	HCC Req	
Studio Elective 3	3		ART Studio Elective	3	Additional HCC elective	
Studio Elective 4	3		ART Studio Elective	3	Additional HCC elective	
Studio Elective 5	3					
CORE REQUIREMENTS	CRDTS REQ'D	MICA CRS #	HCC TRANSFER COURSE	CREDITS	COMMENTS / TRANSFER INFO	SEM EARNED
SOPHOMORE LEVEL						
IA1: Creative Coding	3	IA 215				
IA2: Installations	3	IA 255				
Interaction as Art	3	IA 210				
Robotic Arts: Introduction	3	IA 277				
Complete one of the following:			Exeleti His			
Game/Play	3	IA 225				
Sound Art	3	IA 230				
JUNIOR LEVEL						
IA3: Intermedia Studio	3	IA 340				
IA4: Project Studio	3	IA 395				1.4
Interactive Arts Elective	3	IA				1717
Interactive Arts Elective	3	IA				1 4 4 5
SENIOR LEVEL						
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Senior Thesis II	6	IA 499				
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HIST 207	African-American History	IH 1 or IH2
SOC 212	Race, Class & Gender in the US	IH2