

MINNESOTA STATE COLLEGES AND
UNIVERSITIES
ARTICULATION AGREEMENT
BETWEEN

State of Minnesota
AND
Metropolitan State University

*The Board of Trustees of the Minnesota State Colleges and Universities is authorized by Minnesota Statutes, Chapter 136B to enter into this Agreement and has delegated authority to the colleges and universities.

This Agreement is entered into between **Any Two-Year Minnesota State College** (hereinafter sending institution) and **Metropolitan State University** (hereinafter receiving institution). This Agreement and any amendments and supplements, shall be interpreted pursuant to the laws of the State of Minnesota.

The sending institution (Association of Minnesota Colleges and Universities) is offering the following sending programs, and the receiving institution has established an equivalent receiving program (hereinafter receiving program) which will facilitate credit transfer and provide a smooth transition from one related program to another. It is mutually agreed that:

Admission and Graduation Requirements

- The receiving institution's admission and program completion requirements apply to both direct entry students and to students who transfer under this agreement.
- Students must fulfill the graduation requirements of both institutions.
- Students must complete the entire sending program and meet the receiving institution's admission requirements.

Transfer of Credits

- The receiving institution will accept up to 72 transfer credits, up to a maximum of 120 credit hours. Individual course transfers must be approved by the receiving institution. A total of at least 30 upper division credits must be completed at the receiving institution.
- Courses will transfer as described in the attached Program Articulation Table. For systems institutions, once the courses are encoded, they will transfer as described in the Transfer of Credits Agreement.

Implementation, Duration and Review

- The College and University shall work together to identify and incorporate any changes into subsequent agreements, as well as conduct a periodic review of this agreement.
- This Articulation Agreement is effective on **07/01/2018** and shall remain in effect until the end date of **07/01/2023** or until either party with 90 days prior written notice.
- The college and university shall work with students to resolve the transition of courses should changes to either program occur while the agreement is in effect.
- This Articulation Agreement will be reviewed by both parties beginning **01/01/2023** (within six months of the end date).
- When a student notifies the receiving institution of their intent to follow the agreement, the receiving institution will encode course waivers and substitutions.

PROGRAM TRANSFER TABLE

	Any Minnesota State College (sending)	Metropolitan State University (receiving)
Institution	Any Two-Year Minnesota State College	Metropolitan State University
Program name	Any Associate of Applied Science program	Individualized Studies
Award Type (e.g., AS)	AAS	BA
Credit Length	Up to 72	120
CIP code (6 digit)		09.0999
Describe program admission requirements (if any)		At least a 2.0 grade point average

Instructions

- List all required courses in both academic programs
- MnTC goal areas transfer to the receiving institution according to the goal areas designated by the sending institution.
- Do not indicate a goal area for general education courses that are not part of the MnTC.
- For restricted or unrestricted electives, list number of credits.
- Credits applied: the receiving institution course credit amount may be more or less than the sending institution credit amount. Enter the number of credits that the receiving institution will apply toward degree completion.
- Show equivalent university-college courses on the same row to ensure accurate DARS encoding.
- Equiv/Sub/Wav column: If a course is to be encoded as equivalent, enter Equiv. If a course is to be accepted by the university as a "substitution," only for the purposes of this agreement, enter Sub. If a course requirement is waived by the receiving institution, enter Wav. If a course is accepted by the university as a MnTC goal area, restricted elective or unrestricted elective, leave the cell blank.

(To add rows, place cursor outside of the end of a row and press enter.)

SECTION 1 Minnesota Transfer Curriculum - General Education

Any Minnesota State College (sending)			Metropolitan State University (receiving)			
course prefix, number and name	Goal(s) ¹	Credits	course prefix, number and name	Goal(s) ¹	Credits	Equiv Sub Wav
Minnesota Transfer Curriculum						
AS required by program (minimum)						
MnTC/General Education - Minimum Total: 15						
Special Notes, if any:						

¹ MnTC goal areas transfer to the receiving Minnesota State college/university according to the goal areas designated by the sending college/university.

SECTION B - Any Minnesota State College (ending) Major, Emphasis, Restricted, or Unrestricted Electives or Other

(pre-requisite courses, required core courses, required courses in an emphasis or area of specialization or general within the major) Restricted electives (in Major) fulfill a specific requirement within a major. Example A: "Choose two of the following three courses: Example B: A Biology degree may require 2 science courses (2 courses for science courses - Education should include courses, such as biology, genetics, sociobiology, etc. which students are not in) social.

Major, Emphasis, Restricted, Unrestricted Electives or Other Courses	Credits	Transferable Plan
Technical program credits	0	
Restricted electives courses (if none enter 0)	0	
Unrestricted electives courses (if none enter 0)	0	College's upper-division credit transfer (if none enter 0)
Major, Emphasis, Unrestricted Electives	0	
Total	57*	(sum of sections A and B)

Special Notes:
 *If fewer than 57 credits are transferred, the difference between the transferred credits and 57 will be added to the "University upper-division credits" in Section C.

SECTION C - Remaining Metropolitan State University (receiving) Requirements

Course prefix, number and name	Credits
General education to complete MnTC ²	Up to 25
Liberal Studies (upper-division)	4
Prsp 301 Educational Philosophy and Learning	4
Prsp 499 Capstone	4
University upper-division credits not counted elsewhere (if none enter 0)	11**
Total Remaining University Credits²	48***

Special Notes, if any

*Credits needed to complete MnTC will depend on the number of MnTC/general education credits and upper-division credits in the sending program. If fewer than 25 credits are needed, the remaining credits (to total 49) will be included in the "University upper-division credits."

** The number of "University upper-division credits not counted elsewhere" will vary depending on the actual number of transfer credits; the specific coursework will be determined in Prsp301 Educational Philosophy and Learning.

*** Most of the 48 "Total Remaining University Credits," including the credits needed to complete MnTC, must be upper-division since 40 upper-division credits must be from the sending institution.

SUMMARY - Summary of Total Program Credits

Any Minnesota State College (ending) Credits	Metropolitan State University (receiving) Requirements
MnTC/General Education (minimum)	49
Major, Emphasis, Restricted, or Unrestricted Electives or Other	Up to 57
Total College Credits	Up to 106
	Total College Credits Applied Up to 72
	Remaining credit to be taken at the university (assuming minimum) 48
	Total Program Credits 120

Special Notes, if any: See notes above.

² At least 40 of the required credits for the baccalaureate degree shall be at the upper-division level. If lower-division course is shown as equivalent to an upper-division course, check with the university to determine if it will count toward the 40 required credits of upper-division.

Metropolitan State University			
Chief Academic Officer	Amy Gort	<i>Amy Gort</i>	7/18/18
College of Individualized Studies Interim Dean	<i>Charles Toldani</i>	<i>Charles Toldani</i>	6/22/18
DARS Encoder			
Date when equivalencies were entered by the receiving Minnesota State institution.			
Two-Year College	Chief Academic Officer	Approval Date (email)	
Alexandria Technical College			
Anoka Technical College	Elaina Bleifield	6/13/2018	
Anoka-Ramsey Community College	Deirdra Beasler	6/13/2018	
Central Lakes College	Joy Bodt		
Century College	Sue Dion	5/25/2018	
Dakota County Technical College	Mike Dop	5/16/2018	
Fond du Lac Tribal and Community College	Arina Pelen		
Hennepin Technical College	Carmen Coballes Vega	6/6/2018	
Hibbing Community College	Michael Raich	6/22/2018	
Inver Hills Community College	Lynda Milne	6/22/2018	
Mesabi Range College	Carol Helland	6/22/2018	
Itasca Community College	Bart Johnson	6/19/2018	
Lake Superior College	Michelle Seymour		
Mesabi Range College	Shelly McCauley Jurgovich	6/22/2018	
Minneapolis College	Gail O'Kane	6/13/2018	
Minnesota State College Southeast	Leslie Blockschok	6/16/2018	
Minnesota State College Southwest			
Minnesota West Community and Technical College	Jerry Williamson	6/22/2018	
Normandale Community College	Julie Guelich	6/22/2018	
North Hennepin Community College	Doris Hill	5/16/2018	
Northland Community and Technical College	Caley Castle	6/22/2018	
Northwest Technical College	Darrin Strosahl	5/16/2018	
Pine Technical and Community College	Dennis Koki	7/15/2018	
Rainey River Community College	RoxAnne Kelly	6/16/2018	
Ridgewater College	Betty Strehlow	5/24/2018	
Riverland Community College	Kenny McCanna	6/6/2018	
Rochester Community and Technical College	Greg Mosier	5/16/2018	
Saint Cloud Community College			
Saint Paul College	Kristen Raney	6/22/2018	
South Central College	Barb Embacher	5/22/2018	
Vermillion Community College	Shawn Bina	6/22/2018	

Metropolitan State University	Name	Signature	Date
Chief Academic Officer	Amy Gort		7/8/18
College of Industries and Studies Interim Dean	Charles Teader		6/16/18
DARS Encoder	Amber Eisen Sanchez		7/5/18
Date when equivalencies were encoded in DARS by the receiving Minnesota State Institution:			
Two-Year College	Chief Academic Officer		(initials)
Alexandria Technical and Community College	Ross Santell		6/22/2018
Anoka Technical College	Elaina Bleifield		6/13/2018
Anoka-Ramsey Community College	Deidra Peaslee		6/17/2018
Central Lakes College	Joy Bodin		6/14/2018
Century College	Sue Dion		5/23/2018
Dakota County Technical College			
Fond du Lac Tribal and Community College	Anna Fellegy		6/22/2018
Henriksen Technical College	L. Carmen Coballes-Vega		6/6/2018
Hibbing Community College	Michael Raich		6/22/2018
Inver Hills Community College	Lynda Milne		6/22/2018
Mesabi Range College	Carol Helland		6/22/2018
Itasca Community College	Bart Johnson		6/19/2018
Lake Superior College	Michael Seymour		6/22/2018
Mesabi Range College	Shelly McCauley Jucovich		6/22/2018
Minneapolis College	Gail O'Kane		6/13/2018
Minnesota State College Southeast	Leslie Bleskarhek		6/16/2018
Minnesota State Community and Technical College	Marlene Brinnan		6/13/2018
Minnesota West Community and Technical College	Jeff Williamson		6/22/2018
Normandale Community College	Julie Guelich		6/22/2018
North Hennepin Community College	Debra Hill		6/16/2018
Northland Community and Technical College	Carey Castle		6/22/2018
Pine Technical and Community College	Dorlene Kuba		5/16/2018
Rafney River Community College			6/22/2018
Ridgewater College	Betty Strehlow		5/24/2018
Riverland Community College	Katy McManis		6/22/2018
Rochester Community and Technical College	Greg Mosier		5/16/2018
St. Cloud Technical and Community College			
Saint Paul College	Kristen Panov		6/22/2018
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