



ARTICULATION AGREEMENT
for the
ASSOCIATE IN ARTS IN ART AND DESIGN
of
COMMUNITY COLLEGE OF PHILADELPHIA
and the
BACHELOR OF FINE ARTS
of
MARYLAND INSTITUTE COLLEGE OF ART

This Program-to-Program Agreement (Agreement) between the Community College of Philadelphia (CCP) and Maryland Institute College of Art (MICA) facilitates the transfer of CCP students who earn an Associate in Arts in Art and Design to MICA.

Subject to the terms of this Agreement, students who complete the Associate in Arts (A.A.) in Art and Design at CCP are assured third-year junior status in MICA's Bachelor of Fine Arts (B.F.A.). This allows a full-time student to complete requirements for the bachelor's degree within four full-time regular semesters.

The following terms and conditions apply for CCP graduates:

1. Graduate from CCP with an A.A. in Art and Design (students should follow the Transfer Guide included in this Agreement);
2. Earn a minimum final cumulative CCP GPA of 2.0;
3. Meet deadlines for application (fee waived), submission of portfolio, payment of fees and other registration requirements that apply to other entering students at MICA; and
4. Enroll at MICA within one year after CCP graduation.

Students are strongly encouraged to meet/talk with a MICA Admissions Representative and/or a CCP Transfer Counselor or Program Advisor for the A.A. in Art and Design curriculum to develop a course taking strategy to maximize course transferability.

Transfer and Academic Guidelines

1. Transfer credit will be awarded for courses with a grade of "C" or above for any and all courses transferred to MICA. Students are responsible for sending MICA official transcripts for evaluation of credit from CCP and all other institutions attended, including military transcripts. Credit will also be awarded for Advanced Placement (AP), College-Level Examination Program (CLEP), Prior Learning

Assessment (PLA), Credit for Prior Learning (CPL), etc., with appropriate documentation. Developmental courses are not eligible for transfer.

2. CCP students who transfer are responsible only for requirements in place at MICA as of the date of their enrollment in the A.A. in Art and Design curriculum at CCP. As such, students are expected to follow the degree requirements listed in the Transfer Guide(s) included in this Agreement. Students who do not follow these transfer guides may not maximize the transfer of credits.
3. The maximum number of semester hours that can transfer to MICA is 60. Students enrolled in an undergraduate program of study at MICA are required to complete a maximum of 66 credits. Students are advised to follow the Transfer Guide included in this Agreement.
4. Students who have pursued a CCP associate degree other than those designated in this Agreement or who do not earn the associate degree in the designated curricula and who wish to transfer to MICA are not covered by this Agreement. Such students will be considered for admissions on an individual basis and their credits will be evaluated on a course-by-course basis.

Financial and Scholarship Incentives

To encourage CCP graduates to transfer to MICA, MICA agrees to the following:

1. **Application Fee:** To waive the application fee for students who apply to MICA pursuant to this Agreement.
2. **Transfer Scholarship:** To award a student transferring from CCP as their last school of attendance a *Transfer Partnership Award* in the amount of \$2,500 renewable annually in addition to a *Merit Scholarship*.
 - Merit Scholarships are based on portfolio review and vary in amount from a minimum of \$5,000 to \$36,000 (Academic Year 2025).
 - Renewal of scholarship is predicated on students submitting their FAFSA and remaining in good academic standing at MICA.
3. **Financial Aid:** All students will be provided with MICA financial aid information and receive full consideration for MICA financial aid upon matriculation at MICA.
 - Students who transfer under this Agreement are eligible for and have equal access to housing and financial aid on the same basis as all other MICA students with junior status.

Obligations of The Agreement

To facilitate the transfer of CCP graduates to MICA, the parties agree to the following:

1. To encourage CCP students to meet/talk with representatives from MICA for discussion of issues related to admission and financial aid well in advance of their

expected date of entry to the transfer institution. To facilitate this, CCP will invite and MICA will participate in student outreach through a visit to CCP's ART 290 - Portfolio Preparation each fall semester.

2. To collaborate in providing students with information and academic advising about this Agreement, MICA's academic requirements, and the process of transferring to MICA.
3. To assure that appropriate personnel in their respective institutions are aware of this Agreement, will support it and will designate a representative to serve as an institutional liaison to distribute information and maintain the Agreement.
4. To encourage faculty from each institution teaching in the curriculum for which this Agreement has been developed to meet/talk at least annually to discuss issues of curriculum and student development.
5. To consult with each other through appropriate channels prior to implementing major changes in policy or curricula that directly affect students transferring under the terms of this Agreement, and keep each other informed of any other changes of policy or curricula that affect those students. Both MICA and CCP will review this Agreement annually and make any changes upon mutual agreement, as needed. Such changes will become effective when both CCP and MICA sign the revised document.
6. To collaborate on research activities to help assess the effectiveness of this Agreement in meeting the needs of students, in compliance with the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act ("FERPA").
7. To exchange aggregate data annually that will contribute to the maintenance and improvement of this Agreement, enhance the transfer process, and promote effective cooperation between institutions.
8. MICA will encourage CCP transfer students to complete the appropriate associate degree before matriculation to MICA in order to take advantage of this Agreement. If the CCP student chooses to transfer and matriculate to MICA before completion of the associate degree, MICA will encourage reverse transfer. MICA will develop a reverse transfer credit process, which must be mutually agreed upon by both MICA and CCP, that includes methodology to notify and assist students with the reverse transfer benefits.
9. Both parties agree to continue their respective policies of non-discrimination in regard to sex, age, race, color, creed, national origin, disability, sexual orientation, gender identity, veteran status or any other status protected by Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, Title IX of the Education Amendments Act of 1972, the American with Disabilities Act, or any other applicable federal, state, or local law. The parties agree to reasonably cooperate with each other in any investigation of claims of discrimination or harassment, to the extent permitted by law.

Revision, Renewal and Termination of this Agreement

Maryland Institute College of Art's Vice President and Community College of Philadelphia's Provost and Vice President for Academic and Student Success or their designees, are responsible for identifying, and communicating to each other, changes in the policies or requirements of their respective institutions that affect this Agreement. Modifications to the terms and conditions of this Agreement may only be made by written agreement of the parties. Until such modification by mutual written agreement, the then-current terms of the Agreement shall remain in effect.

This Agreement will be in effect for students entering MICA on or after Fall 2026 and will continue in effect for five (5) years unless otherwise modified or terminated in accordance with this Agreement. Either institution may terminate this Agreement at any time by written notice at least one year in advance of the effective date of termination. Should this Agreement be terminated, it is understood that students already accepted to MICA through the effective date of termination will continue to receive the benefits articulated in this Agreement.

Provided that all parties execute a copy of this Agreement, this Agreement may be executed in counterparts, each of which shall constitute an original, and all of which together shall constitute one and the same document. This Agreement may be executed by the parties and transmitted by facsimile or electronic transmission, and, if so executed and transmitted, shall be effective as if the parties had delivered an executed original of this Agreement.

The willingness of both institutions to enter this Agreement in order to facilitate the transfer of students from CCP into MICA, and to expand their opportunities for academic success there, is indicated by the following signatures.

General Provisions

Neither party shall assign, sell or otherwise transfer this Agreement without the express written consent of the other. Any such purported assignment, sale or transfer shall be void.

This Agreement shall be governed by the laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, without regard to its principles of conflicts of law or choice of laws. The parties agree that disputes arising from or related to this Agreement will be litigated in the federal or state courts located in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

It is mutually understood and agreed that the relationship between the parties is that of independent contractors. Neither party is the agent, employee, partner, joint venturer, or servant of the other. Further, nothing in this Agreement is intended to create any partnership, joint ventures, lease, or equity relationship, expressly or by implication, between the parties.

This Agreement constitutes the entire Agreement between the parties concerning the subject matter, and supersedes all other or prior Agreements or understandings, whether written or oral, with respect to that subject matter. The invalidity or unenforceability of any term or provision of this Agreement shall not affect the validity or enforceability of any other term or provision hereof.

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[SIGNATURE PAGE FOLLOWS]

The undersigned representatives of the parties, Community College of Philadelphia and Maryland Institute College of Art, have executed this Articulation Agreement on the date indicated below:


FOR COMMUNITY COLLEGE OF PHILADELPHIA:


Alycia Marshall | Jan 2, 2026 11:02:22 EST |
Alycia A. Marshall, Ph.D.
President
Date: 01/09/2026


Dr. Linda Powell
Linda Powell, M.D.
Interim Provost and Vice President for Academic and Student Success
Date: 01/08/2026


Lisa Sanders, Ph.D.
Lisa Sanders, Ph.D.
Dean of Liberal Studies
Date: 01/07/2026

FOR MARYLAND INSTITUTE COLLEGE OF ART:


Cecilia M. McCormick, J.D.
President
Date: 02/13/2026


Raymond Barclay
Vice President
Date: 02/13/2026

Appendix A

In accordance with this Agreement, Community College of Philadelphia students who earn an Associate in Arts in Art and Design and meet all of the criteria delineated here qualify for transfer into Maryland Institute College of Art's Bachelor of Fine Arts into any of the following academic programs:

- Animation
- Ecosystems, Sustainability & Justice
- Graphic Design
- General Fine Arts
- History of Art, Design and Visual Culture
- Interactive Arts
- Interdisciplinary Sculpture
- Photography
- Painting

Students are strongly encouraged to follow the degree requirements listed in the Transfer Program Planners/Guides for their particular program of study included in Appendix B of this Agreement. Students who do not follow these transfer guides may not maximize the transfer of credits.

CURRICULUM TRANSFER AGREEMENT GUIDELINE

Community College of Philadelphia Program: Associate in Arts in Art and Design Catalog: 2025-2026	Transfer School: Maryland Institute College of Art Bachelor Program: Bachelor of Fine Arts
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General Information: This transfer guide is developed in support of the program-to-program agreement between the Maryland Institute College of Art and Community College of Philadelphia. It shows how the requirements for the Associate in Art (A.A.) in Art and Design at Community College of Philadelphia transfer to the Maryland Institute College of Art's Bachelor of Fine Arts (B.F.A.) and the coursework required at the Maryland Institute College of Art after transfer.

To receive transfer credit, the courses must be substantially equivalent to courses offered in the curriculum at the Maryland Institute College of Art and courses must be completed with a grade of C (C=2.0) or better. **Submission of a portfolio and a minimum 2.0 final cumulative Community College of Philadelphia grade point average (GPA) must be earned to gain admission to this program.**

Completion of the A.A. in Art and Design at Community College of Philadelphia will allow the student to achieve the equivalent of third-year junior standing at the Maryland Institute College of Art. The maximum number of credits that can transfer to the Maryland Institute College of Art is 60 credits.

Transfer guides are created and maintained to help students and staff make appropriate course and program choices. The guides show how the requirements for the appropriate Community College of Philadelphia associate degree transfer to the bachelor's institution. It is, however, possible for program requirements at Community College of Philadelphia or the transfer institution to change without advanced notice.

For information concerning transfer please schedule an appointment to visit a Community College of Philadelphia academic advisor or counselor. Students are also welcome to contact the transfer institution directly.

COMMUNITY COLLEGE OF PHILADELPHIA		MARYLAND INSTITUTE COLLEGE OF ART	
A.A. Art and Design		Bachelor of Fine Arts	
First Semester	Cr.		Cr.
ENGL 101 - English Composition I or ENGL 101H - English Composition I (Honors)	3	HMST 101 – Ways of Writing	3
ART 105 - Drawing I	3	FF 160 – Drawing (Fundamentals)	3
ART 125 - Design I	3	FF 111 – Contemporary Visual Languages	3
ART 111 - Three-Dimensional Design I	3	FF 130 – Fabrication (3D)	3
ART 150 – Introduction to Computer Art/Graphics	3	FF 140 – New Media (4D)	3
Second Semester	Cr.		Cr.
ART 106 - Drawing II	3	Program Elective (FYE)*	3
ART 126 - Design II	3	FF 112 – Forum II	3
ART 112 - Three-Dimensional Design II	3	Program Elective (FYE)*	3
ART 103 - History of Art: Ancient to Renaissance or ART 103H - History of Art: Ancient to Renaissance (Honors)	3	Art History Elective	3
ENGL 102 - The Research Paper or ENGL 102H - The Research Paper (Honors)	3	Academic Elective	3
Third Semester	Cr.		Cr.
FNMT 101 - Quantitative Reasoning or FNMT 118 - Intermediate Algebra or MATH 137 - Geometry for Design or Higher math	3	Academic Elective	3
ART 290 - Portfolio Preparation	3	Not transferable	0
ART 207 - Drawing III	3	Studio Elective*	3
ART 104 - History of Art II: Renaissance to Modern or ART 104H - History of Art: Renaissance to Modern (Honors)	3	Art History Elective	3

Directed Elective - choose ONE ART 109 - Ceramics I or ART 115 - Painting I or ART 151 - Graphic Design I or PHOT 101 - Introduction to 35mm Film Camera and Darkroom Techniques or PHOT 151 - Techniques in Photo Editing (Photoshop I) or Combine 3 credits worth of ART 180 or ART 170 Special Topics courses	3 or 4	Studio Elective*	3
Fourth Semester	Cr.		Cr.
ART 208 - Drawing IV	3	Studio Elective*	3
ADC 176 / HIST 176 - Philadelphia History: Architecture and Planning or ANTH 112 - Cultural Anthropology or GEOG 103 - Introduction to Human Geography or HIST 102 - United States History: The Civil War and the 19th Century or HIST 103 - United States History: The 20 th Century and Beyond or HIST 103H - United States and Pennsylvania History: The 20th Century (Honors) HIST 121 - World History: The Distant Past or HIST 122 - World History: The Recent Past or SOC 101 - Introduction to Sociology or SOC 101H - Introduction to Sociology (Honors) or SOC 115 - Gender and Society	3	Societies/Cultures Elective or History/Politics Elective	3
BIO 106 - General Biology I or CHEM 103 - Fundamentals of Chemistry I (Non-Lab Based) or CHEM 105 - Inquiry into Chemistry or PHYS 101 - Revolutionary Concepts Physics or EASC 111 - Environmental Conservation or EASC 111H - Environmental Conservation (Honors) or PHYS 107 - Matter and Energy or PHYS 108 - Descriptive Astronomy	3 or 4	Science Elective	3
ART 205 - Modern and Contemporary Art	3	AH 101 - Modernisms	3
Directed Elective - choose TWO ART 109- Ceramics I or ART 115 - Painting I or ART 151 - Graphic Design I or ART 209 - Ceramics II or ART 215- Painting II or ART 251 - Graphic Design II or PHOT 101 - Introduction to 35mm Film Camera and Darkroom Techniques or PHOT 105 - Introduction to Digital Photography or PHOT 151 - Techniques in Photo Editing (Photoshop I) or Combine 3 credits worth of ART 180 or ART 170 Special Topics courses	6 or 7	Studio Elective* (May be directly applicable toward major field requirements, depending on student's choice of major.)	6
MINIMUM CREDITS NEEDED TO GRADUATE:	63	CREDITS EARNED:	60

Signature: Cecilia M. McCormick, J.D.

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TRANSFER PROGRAM PLANNER

Partner Institution/program: Community College of Philadelphia
2-year degree program: Associate of Arts in Art and Design
Incoming degree program: BFA in Photography

YEAR 1 – COMMUNITY COLLEGE OF PHILADELPHIA					
Fall	MICA Equivalent	Credits	Spring	MICA Equivalent	Credits
ENGL 101 or 101H – English Composition I	HMST 101	3	ENGL 102 or 102H – English Composition II	Academic Elective	3
ART 105 – Drawing I	FF 160	3	ART 106 – Drawing II	Studio Elective	3
ART 125 – Design I	FF 111	3	ART 126 – Design II	FF 112	3
ART 111 – Three-Dimensional Design I	FF 180	3	ART 112 – Three-Dimensional Design II	Studio Elective	3
ART 150 – Intro to Computer Art/Graphics	FF 140	3	ART 103 or 103H – History of Art I	Art History Elective	3
TOTAL CREDITS		15	TOTAL CREDITS		15
YEAR 2 – COMMUNITY COLLEGE OF PHILADELPHIA					
Fall	MICA Equivalent	Credits	Spring	MICA Equivalent	Credits
Gen Ed Math/Quantitative Reasoning	Academic Elective	3	ART 208 – Drawing IV	Studio Elective	3
ART 207 – Drawing III	Studio Elective	3	Gen Ed Social/Behavioral Science	Societies/Cultures	3
ART 104 or 104H – History of Art II	Art History Elective	3	Gen Ed Science	Science Elective	3
Directed Elective (PHOT 101)	PH 232	3	ART 205 – Modern/Contemporary Art	AH 101	3
ART 290 – Portfolio Preparation	NOT TRANSFERABLE	0	Directed Electives (PHOT 105/choose)	PH 262/Studio Elective	6
TOTAL CREDITS		12	TOTAL CREDITS		18
YEAR 3 – MARYLAND INSTITUTE COLLEGE OF ART					
Fall	Credits	Spring	Credits		
Philosophy/Religion Elective (300/400 level)	3	Literature/Creative Writing Elective (300/400 level)	3		
AH 205 – Ways of Seeing	3	AH 232 – History of Photography	3		
PH 335 – Studio & Location Lighting	3	PH 371 – Professional Strategies in Photography	3		
PH 345 – Contemporary Directions in Photography	3	Photography Elective	3		
PH 390 – Junior Seminar	3	FF 120 – Color Design*	3		
TOTAL CREDITS	15	TOTAL CREDITS	15		
YEAR 4 – MARYLAND INSTITUTE COLLEGE OF ART					
Fall	Credits	Spring	Credits		
History/Politics Elective (300/400 level)	3	Humanistic Studies Elective	3		
PH 490 – Senior Thesis Project	3	PH 490 – Senior Thesis Project	3		
Photography Elective	3	Photography Elective	3		
Photography Elective	3	Photography Elective	3		
INT 402 Internship	3	Photography Elective	3		
TOTAL CREDITS	15	TOTAL CREDITS	15		

* If ART 115 is taken as one of the Directed Electives at CCP, a studio elective will be taken here instead.

TRANSFER PROGRAM PLANNER

Partner Institution/program: Community College of Philadelphia
 2-year degree program: Associate of Arts in Art and Design
 Incoming degree program: BFA in Interactive Arts

YEAR 1 – COMMUNITY COLLEGE OF PHILADELPHIA					
Fall	MICA Equivalent	Credits	Spring	MICA Equivalent	Credits
ENGL 101 or 101H – English Composition I	HMST 101	3	ENGL 102 or 102H – English Composition II	Academic Elective	3
ART 105 – Drawing I	FF 160	3	ART 106 – Drawing II	Studio Elective	3
ART 125 – Design I	FF 111	3	ART 126 – Design II	FF 112	3
ART 311 – Three-Dimensional Design I	FF 130	3	ART 112 – Three-Dimensional Design II	Studio Elective	3
ART 350 – Intro to Computer Art/Graphics	FF 140	3	ART 103 or 103H – History of Art I	Art History Elective	3
TOTAL CREDITS		15	TOTAL CREDITS		15
YEAR 2 – COMMUNITY COLLEGE OF PHILADELPHIA					
Fall	MICA Equivalent	Credits	Spring	MICA Equivalent	Credits
Gen Ed Math/Quantitative Reasoning	Academic Elective	3	ART 208 – Drawing IV	Studio Elective	3
ART 207 – Drawing III	Studio Elective	3	Gen Ed Social/Behavioral Science	Societies/Cultures	3
ART 104 or 104H – History of Art II	Art History Elective	3	Gen Ed Science	Science Elective	3
Directed Elective	Studio Elective	3	ART 205 – Modern/Contemporary Art	AH 101	3
ART 290 – Portfolio Preparation	NOT TRANSFERABLE	0	Directed Electives	Core Studio Electives	6
TOTAL CREDITS		12	TOTAL CREDITS		18
YEAR 3 – MARYLAND INSTITUTE COLLEGE OF ART					
Fall	Credits	Spring	Credits		
Philosophy/Religion Elective (300/400 level)	3	Literature/Creative Writing Elective (300/400 level)	3		
AH 205 – Ways of Seeing	3	Art History Elective	3		
IA 202, 215 or 277	3	IA 210 or 230	3		
IA 340, 365 or 390	3	IA 310, 313 or 341	3		
FF 120 – Color Design*	3	Core Studio Elective	3		
TOTAL CREDITS	15	TOTAL CREDITS	15		
YEAR 4 – MARYLAND INSTITUTE COLLEGE OF ART					
Fall	Credits	Spring	Credits		
History/Politics Elective (300/400 level)	3	Humanistic Studies Elective	3		
IA 498 – Senior Thesis I	6	IA 499 – Senior Thesis II	6		
Core Studio Elective	3	Core Studio Elective	3		
Core Studio Elective	3	Core Studio Elective	3		
TOTAL CREDITS	15	TOTAL CREDITS	15		

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TRANSFER PROGRAM PLANNER

Partner Institution/program: Community College of Philadelphia
2-year degree program: Associate of Arts in Art and Design
Incoming degree program: BFA in Ecosystems, Sustainability & Justice

YEAR 1 – COMMUNITY COLLEGE OF PHILADELPHIA					
Fall	MICA Equivalent	Credits	Spring	MICA Equivalent	Credits
ENGL 101 or 101H – English Composition I	HMST 101	3	ENGL 102 or 102H – English Composition II	Academic Elective	3
ART 105 – Drawing I	FF 160	3	ART 106 – Drawing II	Studio Elective	3
ART 125 – Design I	FF 111	3	ART 126 – Design II	FF 112	3
ART 111 – Three-Dimensional Design I	FF 120	3	ART 112 – Three-Dimensional Design II	Studio Elective	3
ART 150 – Intro to Computer Art/Graphics	FF140	3	ART 103 or 103H – History of Art I	Art History Elective	3
TOTAL CREDITS		15	TOTAL CREDITS		15
YEAR 2 – COMMUNITY COLLEGE OF PHILADELPHIA					
Fall	MICA Equivalent	Credits	Spring	MICA Equivalent	Credits
Gen Ed Math/Quantitative Reasoning	Academic Elective	3	ART 208 – Drawing IV	Studio Elective	3
ART 207 – Drawing III	Studio Elective	3	Gen Ed Socia/Behavioral Science	Societies/Cultures	3
ART 104 or 104H – History of Art II	Art History Elective	3	Gen Ed Science	Science	3
Directed Elective	Studio Elective	3	ART 205 – Modern/Contemporary Art	AH 101	3
ART 290 – Portfolio Preparation	NOT TRANSFERABLE	0	Directed Electives	Studio Electives	6
TOTAL CREDITS		12	TOTAL CREDITS		18
YEAR 3 – MARYLAND INSTITUTE COLLEGE OF ART					
Fall	Credits	Spring	Credits		
Philosophy/Religion Elective (300/400 level)	3	Literature/Creative Writing Elective (300/400 level)	3		
AH 205 – Ways of Seeing	3	Science Elective	3		
ESJ 201 – Introduction to ESJ	3	ESJ 310 – Intersectional/Environmental	3		
ESJ 300 – ESJ/Community Engaged Practice	3	ESJ 301 – Junior Studio II	3		
ESJ 302 – Junior Seminar	3	FF 120 – Color Design*	3		
Studio Elective	3	Studio Elective	3		
TOTAL CREDITS	18	TOTAL CREDITS	18		
YEAR 4 – MARYLAND INSTITUTE COLLEGE OF ART					
Fall	Credits	Spring	Credits		
Science Elective (300/400 level)	3	History/Politics Elective	3		
ESJ 401 – Senior Thesis I	3	ESJ 402 – Senior Thesis II	3		
Studio Elective	3	Studio Elective	3		
Studio Elective	3	Studio Elective	3		
Studio Elective	3	Studio Elective	3		
TOTAL CREDITS	15	TOTAL CREDITS	15		

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TRANSFER PROGRAM PLANNER

Partner Institution/program: Community College of Philadelphia
 2-year degree program: Associate of Arts in Art and Design
 Incoming degree program: BFA in Graphic Design

YEAR 1 – COMMUNITY COLLEGE OF PHILADELPHIA					
Fall	MICA Equivalent	Credits	Spring	MICA Equivalent	Credits
ENGL 101 or 101H – English Composition I	HIMST 10X	3	ENGL 102 or 102H – English Composition II	Academic Elective	3
ART 105 – Drawing I	FF 160	3	ART 106 – Drawing II	Studio Elective	3
ART 125 – Design I	FF 111	3	ART 126 – Design II	FF 112	3
ART 131 – Three-Dimensional Design I	FF 130	3	ART 132 – Three-Dimensional Design II	Studio Elective	3
ART 150 – Intro to Computer Art/Graphics	FF 140	3	ART 103 or 103H – History of Art I	Art History Elective	3
TOTAL CREDITS		15	TOTAL CREDITS		15
YEAR 2 – COMMUNITY COLLEGE OF PHILADELPHIA					
Fall	MICA Equivalent	Credits	Spring	MICA Equivalent	Credits
Gen Ed Math/Quantitative Reasoning	Academic Elective	3	ART 206 – Drawing IV	Studio Elective	3
ART 207 – Drawing III	DR 252	3	Gen Ed Social/Behavioral Science	Societies/Cultures	3
ART 104 or 104H – History of Art II	Art History Elective	3	Gen Ed Science	Science Elective	3
Directed Elective (ART 151)	GD 200	3	ART 205 – Modern/Contemporary Art	AH 101	3
ART 290 – Portfolio Preparation	NOT TRANSFERABLE	0	Directed Electives (ART 251 and PHOT 105)	GD 220/PH 262	6
TOTAL CREDITS		12	TOTAL CREDITS		18
YEAR 3 – MARYLAND INSTITUTE COLLEGE OF ART					
Fall	Credits	Spring	Credits		
Philosophy/Religion Elective (300/400 level)	3	Literature/Creative Writing Elective (300/400 level)	3		
AH 205 – Ways of Seeing	3	AH 241 – Graphic Design History	3		
GD 201 – Typography 1	3	GD 221 – Typography 2	3		
GD 300 – Graphic Design 3	3	GD 301 – Flexible Design Studio	3		
FF 120 – Color Design*	3	GD 320 – Graphic Design 4	3		
TOTAL CREDITS	15	TOTAL CREDITS	15		
YEAR 4 – MARYLAND INSTITUTE COLLEGE OF ART					
Fall	Credits	Spring	Credits		
History/Politics Elective (300/400 level)	3	Humanistic Studies Elective	3		
GD 400 – Advanced Design 1	3	GD 420 – Advanced Design 2	3		
GD 321 – Typography 3	3	Studio Elective	3		
GD/Approved Elective	3	Studio Elective	3		
Studio Elective	3	Studio Elective	3		
TOTAL CREDITS	15	TOTAL CREDITS	15		

* If ART 115 is taken as one of the Directed Electives at CCP, GD 200, GD 220 or PH 262 will be taken here instead.



TRANSFER PROGRAM PLANNER

Partner Institution/program: Community College of Philadelphia
2-year degree program: Associate of Arts in Art and Design
Incoming degree program: BFA in Painting

YEAR 1 – COMMUNITY COLLEGE OF PHILADELPHIA					
Fall	MICA Equivalent	Credits	Spring	MICA Equivalent	Credits
ENGL 101 or 101H – English Composition I	HMST 101	3	ENGL 102 or 102H – English Composition II	Academic Elective	3
ART 105 – Drawing I	FF 160	3	ART 106 – Drawing II	Studio Elective	3
ART 125 – Design I	FF 111	3	ART 126 – Design II	FF 112	3
ART 111 – Three-Dimensional Design I	FF 130	3	ART 112 – Three-Dimensional Design II	Studio Elective	3
ART 150 – Intro to Computer Art/Graphics	FF 140	3	ART 103 or 103H – History of Art I	Art History Elective	3
TOTAL CREDITS		15	TOTAL CREDITS		15
YEAR 2 – COMMUNITY COLLEGE OF PHILADELPHIA					
Fall	MICA Equivalent	Credits	Spring	MICA Equivalent	Credits
Gen Ed Math/Quantitative Reasoning	Academic Elective	3	ART 208 – Drawing IV	DR 298	3
ART 207 – Drawing III	DR 252	3	Gen Ed Social/Behavioral Science	Societies/Cultures	3
ART 104 or 104H – History of Art II	Art History Elective	3	Gen Ed Science	Science Elective	3
Directed Elective (ART 115)	PT 201	3	ART 205 – Modern/Contemporary Art	AH 101	3
ART 290 – Portfolio Preparation	NOT TRANSFERABLE	0	Directed Electives (ART 215/choose)	PT 202/Studio Elective	6
TOTAL CREDITS		12	TOTAL CREDITS		18
YEAR 3 – MARYLAND INSTITUTE COLLEGE OF ART					
Fall	Credits	Spring	Credits		
Philosophy/Religion Elective (300/400 level)	3	Literature/Creative Writing Elective (300/400 level)	3		
AH 205 – Ways of Seeing	3	Art History Elective	3		
FF 120 – Color Design*	3	PT 350 – Junior Independent Painting	3		
Painting Elective	3	PD 455 Professional Practices for the Visual Artist	3		
Painting Elective	3	Painting Elective	3		
TOTAL CREDITS	15	TOTAL CREDITS	15		
YEAR 4 – MARYLAND INSTITUTE COLLEGE OF ART					
Fall	Credits	Spring	Credits		
History/Politics Elective (300/400 level)	3	Humanistic Studies Elective	3		
FA 498 – Senior Thesis I	6	FA 499 – Senior Thesis II	6		
Painting Elective	3	Painting Elective	3		
Studio Elective	3	Studio Elective	3		
TOTAL CREDITS	15	TOTAL CREDITS	15		

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TRANSFER PROGRAM PLANNER

Partner Institution/program: Community College of Philadelphia
2-year degree program: Associate of Arts in Art and Design
Incoming degree program: BFA in Interdisciplinary Sculpture

YEAR 1 – COMMUNITY COLLEGE OF PHILADELPHIA					
Fall	MICA Equivalent	Credits	Spring	MICA Equivalent	Credits
ENGL 101 or 101H – English Composition I	HMST 101	3	ENGL 102 or 102H – English Composition II	Academic Elective	3
ART 105 – Drawing I	FF 160	3	ART 106 – Drawing II	Studio Elective	3
ART 125 – Design I	FF 111	3	ART 126 – Design II	FF 112	3
ART 111 – Three-Dimensional Design I	FF 130	3	ART 112 – Three-Dimensional Design II	3D Studio Elective	3
ART 150 – Intro to Computer Art/Graphics	FF 140	3	ART 103 or 103H – History of Art I	Art History Elective	3
TOTAL CREDITS		15	TOTAL CREDITS		15
YEAR 2 – COMMUNITY COLLEGE OF PHILADELPHIA					
Fall	MICA Equivalent	Credits	Spring	MICA Equivalent	Credits
Gen Ed Math/Quantitative Reasoning	Academic Elective	3	ART 208 – Drawing IV	DR 240	3
ART 207 – Drawing III	Studio Elective	3	Gen Ed Social/Behavioral Science	Societies/Cultures	3
ART 104 or 104H – History of Art II	Art History Elective	3	Gen Ed Science – Science Elective	Science Elective	3
Directed Elective (ART 109)	3D Studio Elective	3	ART 205 – Modern/Contemporary Art	AH 101	3
ART 290 – Portfolio Preparation	NOT TRANSFERABLE	0	Directed Electives	Studio Electives	6
TOTAL CREDITS		12	TOTAL CREDITS		18
YEAR 3 – MARYLAND INSTITUTE COLLEGE OF ART					
Fall	Credits	Spring	Credits		
Philosophy/Religion Elective (300/400 level)	3	Literature/Creative Writing Elective (300/400 level)	3		
AH 205 – Ways of Seeing	3	Art History Elective	3		
IS 200 – Introduction to Sculpture	3	SS 300 – Junior Seminar	3		
FF 120 – Color Design*	3	3D Studio Elective	3		
3D Studio Elective	3	3D Studio Elective	3		
TOTAL CREDITS	15	TOTAL CREDITS	15		
YEAR 4 – MARYLAND INSTITUTE COLLEGE OF ART					
Fall	Credits	Spring	Credits		
History/Politics Elective (300/400 level)	3	Humanistic Studies Elective	3		
IS 498 – Senior Independent	6	IS 498 – Senior Independent	6		
3D Studio Elective	3	3D Studio Elective	3		
3D Studio Elective	3	Studio Elective	3		
TOTAL CREDITS	15	TOTAL CREDITS	15		

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TRANSFER PROGRAM PLANNER

Partner Institution/program: Community College of Philadelphia
2-year degree program: Associate of Arts in Art and Design
Incoming degree program: BFA in General Fine Arts

YEAR 1 – COMMUNITY COLLEGE OF PHILADELPHIA					
Fall	MICA Equivalent	Credits	Spring	MICA Equivalent	Credits
ENGL 101 or 101H – English Composition I	HMST 101	3	ENGL 102 or 102H – English Composition II	Academic Elective	3
ART 105 – Drawing I	FF 160	3	ART 106 – Drawing II	Studio Elective	3
ART 125 – Design I	FF 111	3	ART 126 – Design II	FF 112	3
ART 111 – Three-Dimensional Design I	FF 130	3	ART 112 – Three-Dimensional Design II	Studio Elective	3
ART 150 – Intro to Computer Art/Graphics	FF 140	3	ART 103 or 103H – History of Art I	Art History Elective	3
TOTAL CREDITS		15	TOTAL CREDITS		15
YEAR 2 – COMMUNITY COLLEGE OF PHILADELPHIA					
Fall	MICA Equivalent	Credits	Spring	MICA Equivalent	Credits
Gen Ed Math/Quantitative Reasoning	Academic Elective	3	ART 206 – Drawing IV	DR 206	3
ART 207 – Drawing III	DR 252	3	Gen Ed Social/Behavioral Science	Societies/Cultures	3
ART 104 or 104H – History of Art II	Art History Elective	3	Gen Ed Science	Science Elective	3
Directed Elective	Studio Elective	3	ART 205 – Modern/Contemporary Art	AH 101	3
ART 230 – Portfolio Preparation	NOT TRANSFERABLE	0	Directed Electives	Studio Electives	6
TOTAL CREDITS		12	TOTAL CREDITS		18
YEAR 3 – MARYLAND INSTITUTE COLLEGE OF ART					
Fall	Credits	Spring	Credits		
Philosophy/Religion Elective (300/400 level)	3	Literature/Creative Writing Elective (300/400 level)	3		
AH 205 – Ways of Seeing	3	Art History Elective	3		
GFA 220 – Introduction to General Fine Arts	3	GFA 320 – Junior Independent Studio	3		
FF 120 – Color Design*	3	PD 455 Professional Practices for the Visual Artist	3		
Studio Elective	3	Studio Elective	3		
TOTAL CREDITS	15	TOTAL CREDITS	15		
YEAR 4 – MARYLAND INSTITUTE COLLEGE OF ART					
Fall	Credits	Spring	Credits		
History/Politics Elective (300/400 level)	3	Humanistic Studies Elective	3		
FA 49B – Senior Thesis I	6	FA 499 – Senior Thesis II	6		
Studio Elective	3	Studio Elective	3		
Studio Elective	3	Studio Elective	3		
TOTAL CREDITS	15	TOTAL CREDITS	15		

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TRANSFER PROGRAM PLANNER

Partner Institution/program: Community College of Philadelphia
2-year degree program: Associate of Arts in Art and Design
Incoming degree program: BFA in Animation

YEAR 1 – COMMUNITY COLLEGE OF PHILADELPHIA					
Fall	MICA Equivalent	Credits	Spring	MICA Equivalent	Credits
ENGL 101 or 101H – English Composition I	HMST 101	3	ENGL 102 or 102H – English Composition II	Academic Elective	3
ART 105 – Drawing I	FF 160	3	ART 106 – Drawing II	Studio Elective	3
ART 125 – Design I	FF 111	3	ART 126 – Design II	FF 112	3
ART 111 – Three-Dimensional Design I	FF 130	3	ART 112 – Three-Dimensional Design II	Studio Elective	3
ART 150 – Intro to Computer Art/Graphics	FF 140	3	ART 103 or 103H – History of Art I	Art History Elective	3
TOTAL CREDITS		15	TOTAL CREDITS		15
YEAR 2 – COMMUNITY COLLEGE OF PHILADELPHIA					
Fall	MICA Equivalent	Credits	Spring	MICA Equivalent	Credits
Gen Ed Math/Quantitative Reasoning	Academic Elective	3	ART 208 – Drawing IV	Studio Elective	3
ART 207 – Drawing III	DR 252	3	Gen Ed Social/Behavioral Science	Societies/Cultures	3
ART 104 or 104H – History of Art II	Art History Elective	3	Gen Ed Science	Science Elective	3
Directed Elective	Studio Elective	3	ART 205 – Modern/Contemporary Art	AH 101	3
ART 290 – Portfolio Preparation	NOT TRANSFERABLE	0	Directed Electives	Studio Electives	6
TOTAL CREDITS		12	TOTAL CREDITS		18
YEAR 3 – MARYLAND INSTITUTE COLLEGE OF ART					
Fall	Credits	Spring	Credits		
Philosophy/Religion Elective (300/400 level)	3	Literature/Creative Writing Elective (300/400 level)	3		
AH 205 – Ways of Seeing	3	AN 240 – History of Animation	3		
AN 202 – Principles of Animation	3	AN 255 – Digital Tools for Animation	3		
AN 245 – Animation Pre-Production	3	AN 203 or 225 3D or Stop-Motion Animation	3		
FF 320 – Color Design*	3	Animation Project Course	3		
TOTAL CREDITS	15	TOTAL CREDITS	15		
YEAR 4 – MARYLAND INSTITUTE COLLEGE OF ART					
Fall	Credits	Spring	Credits		
History/Politics Elective (300/400 level)	3	Humanistic Studies Elective	3		
AN 438 – Animation Senior Thesis I	3	AN 499 – Animation Senior Thesis II	3		
AN 460 – Sound for Thesis	3	AN 460 – Sound for Thesis	3		
AN 363 or 364 – 2D or 3D Character Animation	3	Animation Project Course	3		
Animation Project Course	3	Art History Elective	3		
TOTAL CREDITS	15	TOTAL CREDITS	15		

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TRANSFER PROGRAM PLANNER

Partner Institution/program: Community College of Philadelphia
 2-year degree program: Associate of Arts in Art and Design
 Incoming degree program: BFA in History of Art, Design and Visual Culture

YEAR 1 – COMMUNITY COLLEGE OF PHILADELPHIA					
Fall	MICA Equivalent	Credits	Spring	MICA Equivalent	Credits
ENGL 101 or 101H – English Composition I	HMST 101	3	ENGL 102 or 102H – English Composition II	Academic Elective	3
ART 105 – Drawing I	FF 160	3	ART 106 – Drawing II	Studio Elective	3
ART 125 – Design I	FF 111	3	ART 126 – Design II	FF 112	3
ART 111 – Three-Dimensional Design I	FF 130	3	ART 112 – Three-Dimensional Design II	3D Studio Elective	3
ART 150 – Intro to Computer Art/Graphics	FF140	3	ART 103 or 103H – History of Art I	AH 102	3
TOTAL CREDITS		15	TOTAL CREDITS		15
YEAR 2 – COMMUNITY COLLEGE OF PHILADELPHIA					
Fall	MICA Equivalent	Credits	Spring	MICA Equivalent	Credits
Gen Ed Math/Quantitative Reasoning	Academic Elective	3	ART 208 – Drawing IV	Studio Elective	3
ART 207 – Drawing III	DR 252	3	Gen Ed Social/Behavioral Science	Societies/Cultures	3
ART 104 or 104H – History of Art II	AH100	3	Gen Ed Science	Science	3
Directed Elective (PHOT 101, 104 or 105)	PH/FILM Elective	3	ART 205 – Modern/Contemporary Art	AH 101	3
ART 290 – Portfolio Preparation	NOT TRANSFERABLE	0	Directed Electives	Studio Electives	6
TOTAL CREDITS		12	TOTAL CREDITS		18
YEAR 3 – MARYLAND INSTITUTE COLLEGE OF ART					
Fall	Credits	Spring	Credits		
Philosophy/Religion Elective (300/400 level)	3	Literature/Creative Writing Elective (300/400 level)	3		
AH 205 – Ways of Seeing	3	AH 306 or 343 – Methods or Criticism	3		
AH World Arts Elective	3	AH World Arts Elective	3		
FF 120 – Color Design*	3	Electronic Arts Studio Elective	3		
Studio Elective	3	Studio Elective	3		
TOTAL CREDITS	15	TOTAL CREDITS	15		
YEAR 4 – MARYLAND INSTITUTE COLLEGE OF ART					
Fall	Credits	Spring	Credits		
History/Politics Elective (300/400 level)	3	Humanistic Studies Elective	3		
AH 498 – Senior Thesis I	3	AH 499 – Senior Thesis II	3		
AH Elective	3	AH Elective (400 level)	3		
AH Elective (100 level)	3	Studio Elective	3		
Studio Elective	3	Studio Elective	3		
TOTAL CREDITS	15	TOTAL CREDITS	15		

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