

COMMUNICATION, MEDIA, THEATRE ARTS ARTICULATION AGREEMENT GUIDE

Washtenaw Community College – AA, AS, or AAS Degree

Eastern Michigan University – BA or BS with a Major in Communication, Media & Theatre Arts

Washtenaw Community College Courses:	Transfer to Eastern Michigan University as:
Michigan Transfer Agreement (MTA) Requirements (30 credits)	
<p>Students with the MTA endorsement on their community college transcript have satisfied EMU's General Education Core Requirements and will be required to complete only the EMU General Education Application Requirements of one Perspectives on a Diverse World course, one Learning beyond the Classroom experience, and one Writing Intensive course in the major. <u>Specific courses listed below for the MTA will also satisfy major or minor requirements at WCC and/or EMU.</u> Students who started before Fall 2014 may continue to follow the MACRAO Agreement until the end of summer 2019. MACRAO versions of articulation guides are posted online. For courses approved to satisfy the MTA go to the WCC website http://www.wccnet.edu/services/transferreresources/mta/</p>	
1. A course in English Composition	
Choose from approved MTA list.....4	University Elective4
2. A course in English Composition or Communication	
Choose from approved MTA list.....3	University Elective3
3. A course in Mathematics	
Choose from approved MTA list.....4	University Elective4
4. Two courses in Natural Sciences from different disciplines (one lab required)	
Choose from approved MTA list.....7-8	University Electives7-8
5. Two courses in Humanities from different disciplines	
Choose from approved MTA list.....6	University Elective6
6. Two courses in Social Sciences from different disciplines	
Choose from approved MTA list.....6	University Electives6
7. If needed, complete an additional course in any of the categories above to satisfy the 30 credit minimum for the MTA.	
EMU's Perspectives on a Diverse World requirement: Complete <i>one</i> course from the following list:	
<p>These courses will also satisfy an MTA area: Communication: COM 225; Natural Science: ENV 101; Humanities: ART 143, 150; COM 225; DAN 180; ENG 181, 213, 214, 224, 242; HUM 150, 175; MUS 180; Social Science: ANT 201; ECO 280; GEO 101; HST 123, 150, 210, 230, 235, 240, 270; PLS 211; PSY 107, 251; SOC 205</p>	
WCC Associate Degree Requirements (30 credits)	
¹ COM 101 Fundamentals of Speaking3	CTAC 124 Foundations of Speech Communication.....3
* COM 142 Oral Interpretation of Literature3	CTAO 210 Interpretative Reading3
² DRA 152 Acting I.....3	CTAR 158 Fundamentals of Acting3
² DRA 204 Improvisational Acting.....3	CTAR 323 Improvising and Role Play3
² Complete one course from:3	One course from:.....3
COM 130 Introduction to Mass Communication (3)	CTAT 130 Intro to Electronic Media (3)
HUM 120 Introduction to Film (3)	CTAT 145 Introduction to Film Appreciation (3)
Complete a computer and information literacy course3	University Elective3
Complete additional transferable courses12	University Electives12
<i>Complete courses that satisfy the degree of your choice</i>	
EMU Requirements that may be completed at WCC or EMU (17-34 credits)	
<p>An advisor will assist you in developing a program of study that meets your career and educational goals, as well as transfers to EMU to satisfy major and minor requirements. Students may take open electives and possibly courses for a minor at EMU. Choose your minor before completing open electives to determine how many credits must be completed at EMU. See last page for sample programs of study.</p>	
Credits at WCC..... 77-94	Credits that transfer to EMU 77-94

^{*} Required for Communication, Media, & Theatre Arts Major at EMU

² Prerequisite for upper-level courses in the CMTA Major

³ Satisfies a Restricted Elective for the CMTA Major

Sign up with us: If you let us know you are using this articulation agreement we can stay in touch with you and provide information and advising to you while you are still at your community college. Sign up at: www.emich.edu/ccr/trackingssystem/Enter.php

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Completion of a BA or BS with a Major in Communication, Media, & Theatre Arts at EMU

Major Requirements (24-27 credits)

Required Course (3 credits)

CTAO 205 Voice and Articulation (3)

Communication Elective (3 credits)

Choose one course from:

CTAC 224 Public Speaking(3)

CTAC 350 Persuasion (3)

CTAC 354 Organizational Communication (3)

CTAC 359 Small Group Communication (3)

Concentration (15 credits)

Complete one concentration, selected in consultation with the advising coordinator from the following areas: Communication; Interpretation/Performance Studies; Electronic Media and Film Studies; Theatre Arts; or Educational Drama.

Communication Writing Intensive Course (3 credits)

Choose one courses from:

CTAC 440W Public Discourse Analysis (3)

CTAC 475W Research in Speech Communication (3)

CTAC 485W Communication Theory (3)

CTAR 455W Dramaturgy (3)

CTAT 344W Continuity Writing for Electronic Media (3)

Learning Beyond the Classroom (LBC): (0-3 credits)

Minor Requirements: (6-20 credits)

Students must complete a minor of at least 20 credits, with at least six credits at the 300/400 level at EMU. Some courses for the minor may be transferred to EMU. Some minors to consider with the Communication Major are: Psychology (20), Political Science (21), Journalism (24), Nonprofit Administration (21) and General Business (21). For a complete list of EMU minors see the EMU Catalog <http://catalog.emich.edu/>. Please contact your program advisor for assistance in choosing a minor and selecting courses.

Additional Requirements for the BA Degree

If a Bachelor of Arts (BA) degree is desired, one year of college credit in a foreign language is required. There are no additional requirements for the Bachelor of Science (BS) degree.

Credits at EMU:30-47

Transfer Credits77-94

Minimum Credits to Graduate: 124

See sample major/minor combinations on last page.

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Sample Programs of Study

Students should meet with a faculty advisor to choose a minor and develop an actual plan of study.

Major: Communication, Media and Theatre Arts

Minor: Journalism

At WCC (82-85 credits)

Michigan Transfer Agreement (MTA) Requirements (30 credits)

WCC Associate Degree Requirements (30 credits)

Journalism Minor Requirements (9 credits)

JRN 111 = JRNL 215

Restricted Elective Courses: Choose two

COM 155 = CTAT 334 (3)

ENG 115 = CTAT 344 (3)

GDT 104 = CMT 121 (3)

JRN 210 = JRNL 000 (3)

JRN 217 = JRNL 000 (3)

JRN 220 = JRNL 000 (3)

Open Electives (13-16 credits)

At EMU (39-42 credits)

Communication, Media & Theatre Arts Major Requirements 24-27 credits

Journalism Minor Requirements 15 credits

JRNL 213 (3)

JRNL 306W (3)

JRNL 307 (3)

JRNL 313 (3)

JRNL 455 (3)

Total Combined Credits (124 credits)

Major: Communication, Media and Theatre Arts

Minor: Nonprofit Administration

At WCC (79-82 credits)

Michigan Transfer Agreement (MTA) Requirements (30 credits)

WCC Associate Degree Requirements (30 credits)

Nonprofit Administration Minor Requirements (3 credits)

Restricted Elective Choose one:

PSY 206 = EDPS 325 (3)

PSY 207 = PSY 322 (3)

PSY 200 = PSY 321 (3)

SOC 205 = SOCL 214 (3)

Open Electives (16-19 credits)

At EMU (42-45 credits)

Communication, Media & Theatre Arts Major Requirements 24-27 credits

Nonprofit Admin Minor Requirements 18 credits

ACC 246 (3)

PLSC 336 (3)

PLSC 352 (3)

PLSC 435 (3)

Specialty Course (3)

PLSC 480 Field Seminar in Political Science/Public Administration (3)

Total Combined Credits (124 credits)

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Additional Information:

1. Each institution will determine the satisfaction of their individual program and degree requirements. For the purpose of this articulation agreement, both institutions agree to accept transferrable courses from each other and from other institutions. WCC courses indicated with an * are required for EMU's Communication Major. Substitutions for these courses must be approved by the EMU program coordinator.
2. Students with the MTA endorsement on their community college transcript have satisfied EMU's General Education Core Requirements and will be required to complete only the General Education Application Requirements of one "Perspectives on a Diverse World" course, one "Learning beyond the Classroom" experience, and a "Writing Intensive" course in the major. The Perspectives on a Diverse World requirement may be transferred to EMU.
To use the Michigan Transfer Agreement (MTA), students must have an official community college transcript, with the "MTA Satisfied" endorsement sent to EMU's Admissions Office. Students who do not have "MTA Satisfied" on their community college transcript, will be required to satisfy EMU's general education requirements as applied to transfer students. The MTA may be completed after admission to EMU, however, students should inform their advisors or they may be advised to complete additional courses for the general education program. Students who enrolled in college prior to September 2014 will have until the end of August 2019 to complete the MACRAO agreement. If already on the transcript, the MACRAO designation will be accepted at EMU after August 2019.
3. Only courses with a grade of "C" or better (2.0 on a 4.0 scale) will be accepted for transfer to either institution.
4. EMU will waive the 60-hour rule and require that a minimum of 30 credit hours must be completed at EMU, of which 9 hours in the major and 6 hours in the minor must be at the 300-level or above. A minimum of 124 total credits is required to graduate. Of the last 30 hours completed before graduating, a minimum of 10 credit hours must be in courses offered by EMU. A minimum of 124 credit hours, completed in-residence or accepted in transfer, is required for graduation.
5. Students must meet all admission requirements at the time of application for admission to EMU, including submitting transcripts from all previously attended colleges. Washtenaw students will receive equal consideration with other students for course registration and financial aid.
6. To facilitate advising and the evaluation of transcripts, sign up for this articulation agreement using this link www.emich.edu/ccr/trackingsystem/Enter.php and bring a copy of this articulation guide to all advising sessions.

Effective Dates: September 1, 2015 until August 31, 2018

If this agreement is not renewed at the end of the effective period, students who already started the program will be given three additional years to be admitted to EMU under the terms of this agreement. Students who enrolled at Washtenaw Community College prior to the effective period may use this agreement.

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