

ARTICULATION AGREEMENT GUIDE

Oakland Community College – AAS in Interior Design
Eastern Michigan University – BS in Interior Design

Oakland Community College Courses:

Eastern Michigan University Courses:

Michigan Transfer Agreement (MTA) Requirements (30 credits)

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. Courses listed below for the MTA also satisfy program requirements at EMU and/or OCC. For OCC approved MTA courses go to the community college's website. Students without an MTA or MACRAO endorsement must complete EMU's general education program.

1. A course in English Composition

ENG 1510 Composition I..... 3 WRTG 120 Composition I 3

2. A course in English Composition or Communication

Choose one from: COM 1290 or COM 1600..... 3 COMM 227 (GEKS) or COMM 124 (GEEC)..... 3

3. A course in Mathematics

Choose one from the approved MTA list..... 4 General Transfer Credit..... 4

4. Two courses in Natural Sciences from different disciplines (one lab required)

Choose two from the approved MTA list 7-8 General Transfer Credit..... 7-8

5. Two courses in Humanities and Fine Arts from different disciplines

* ART 1560 Art Appreciation 3 ARTH 100 Art Appreciation (Required for EMU Program) ... 3

Choose one from the approved MTA list..... 3 General Transfer Credit..... 3

6. Two courses in Social Sciences from different disciplines

Choose one from: PSY 2510 or 2630..... 3 PSY 101 or PSY GEKS 3

Choose one from the approved MTA list..... 3 General Transfer Credit..... 3

If needed, complete additional credits in any of the above categories to meet the 30 credit minimum for the MTA.

EMU's Perspectives on a Diverse World requirement: Complete one course from the following list:

These courses also satisfy an MTA area: **Communication:** COM 2290; **Natural Science:** BIO 1500; **Humanities:** ENG 1610, 2540, 2570; HIS 1520; MUS 1585; **Social Sciences:** ANT 1540; GEO 1520; HIS 1520, 1550, 2620; POL 2530, 2610; SOC 2620

These courses apply, but do not satisfy the MTA: BUS 2150; PSY 2730; SOC 2530, 2560

OCC Interior Design Requirements (31-34 credits)

ART 1510 Basic Drawing..... 3	AD 123 Foundations Drawing I..... 3
ART 1520 Basic Design..... 3	AD 121 Two-Dimensional Design..... 3
*INT 1100 Introduction to Interior Design..... 3	IDE 111 Env Psychology & Behavior for Interior Design .. 3
*INT 1140 Sketching and Drafting for Interiors 3	IDES 110 + 120 Interior Design Studio I & 2 (6)-3..... 3
*INT 1180 Interior Design Materials..... 3	IDE 121 Interior Design Materials and Components..... 3
*INT 1200 Lighting and Color for Interiors 3	IDE 131 Interior Design Theory I 3
*INT 1300 Computer Aided Interior Design I 3	IDE 123 Computers for Interior Design I..... 3
*INT 2300 Computer Aided Interior Design II 3	IDE 219 Computers for Interior Design II..... 3
*INT 2500 Professional Practices and Presentations 3	IDE 325 Professional Practice in Interior Design 3
1* INT 2560 Interior Design Studio 3	IDES 210 Interior Design Studio III 3
Complete one of the following internship courses 1-3	AACR GEN General Transfer Credit 1-3
INT 2571, INT 2572, INT 2573	

EMU Requirements and Electives that may be Taken at OCC or EMU (3-4 credits)

*CMN 1200 Construction Building Systems and Materials 3	CNST 201 Construction Systems..... 3
Open Electives 0-1	General Transfer Credit..... 0-1

Credits at OCC: 65-67 Credits that transfer to EMU 65-67

*Required for EMU's Interior Design program. If not transferred, must be completed at EMU.

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Completion of the BS in Interior Design**Major Requirements (55 credits)****Program Requirements (49 credits)**

IDE 122	Interior Design Theory II.....	3
IDE 221	Environ Systems for Interior Designers	3
IDE 225	History of Interiors from Antiquity to 1800	3
IDE 226	History of Interiors from 1800 to Present	3
IDE 317	Lighting Systems for Interior Designers	3
IDE 318	Interior Building Codes and ADA	3
IDE 326	Portfolio Development	3
IDE 390L4	Internship in Interior Design [GELB]	1
IDE 407	Sustainable Design: LEED for Interior Design 3	
IDE 425	Mill Work Design and Detailing	3
IDE 430W	Writing for Interior Design [GEWI]	3
IDES 220	Interior Design Studio IV	3
IDES 229	Building Information Modeling	3
IDES 310	Interior Design Studio V	3
IDES 320	Interior Design Studio VI	3
IDES 410	Interior Design Studio VII	3
IDES 420	Interior Design Studio VIII	3

Restricted Electives (6 credits)

AD3D 303	Furniture Design (3)	
ARTH 161	Survey of Non-Western Art [GEGA or GEKA] (3)	
ARTH 162	Survey of Western Art I [GEKA] (3)	
ARTH 263	Survey of Western Art II (3)	
ARTH 264	Modern Art [GEKA] (3)	
ARTH 267	History of Asian Art [GEKA] (3)	
ARTH 474	History of Graphic Design (3)	
ARTS 104	Graphic Design for Non-Majors [GEKA] (3)	
ARTS 105	Photography for Non-Majors [GEKA] (3)	
ARTS 108	Furniture Design for Non-Majors (3)	
CNST 230	Construction Management Computer Apps (3)	
HIST 329	Power, Place & Image in Florence & Rome (3)	
IDE 409	Evidence-Based Design and WELL (3)	
IDE 416	Advanced Computing for Interior Design (3)	
IDE 423	Computer-Aided Design for Interiors (3)	
IDE 441	Mobility Design Small Scale (3)	
IDE 442	Mobility Design Large Scale (3)	

Credits at EMU: 55**Transfer Credits: 65-67****Total Credits: 120****Program Course Sequence**Third Year Winter (15 credits)

IDE 122 (3)
 IDE 221 (3)
 IDE 226 (3)
 IDES 220 (3)
 IDES 229 (3)

Fourth Year Fall (12 credits)

IDE 225 (3)
 IDES 310 (3)
 IDE 317 (3)
 IDE 318 (3)

Fourth Year Winter (7 credits)

IDES 320 (3)
 IDE 326 (3)
 IDE 390L4 (1)

Fifth Year Fall (9 credits)

IDES 410 (3)
 IDE 425 (3)
 IDE Restricted Elective (3)

Fifth Year Winter (12 credits)

IDES 420 (3)
 IDE 407 (3)
 IDE 430W (3)
 IDE Restricted Elective (3)

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Additional Information:

1. Each institution will determine the satisfaction of their individual program and degree requirements. Both institutions agree to accept transferable courses from each other and from other regionally accredited institutions. OCC courses indicated with an * are required for EMU's BS in Interior Design. 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. 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. Under this agreement, EMU will waive the 60-hour rule and require that a minimum of 55 credit hours must be completed in EMU courses, with at least 15 hours in the program at the 300-level or above. Of the last 30 hours completed before graduating, a minimum of 10 credit hours must be in courses offered by EMU. A minimum of 120 credit hours, completed in-residence or accepted in transfer, is required for graduation.
5. Students must satisfy all admission requirements at the time of application for admission to EMU, including submitting transcripts from all previously attended colleges. OCC students will receive equal consideration with other students for course registration and financial aid.
6. Students are encouraged to contact EMU's Undergraduate Admissions before applying to EMU. To facilitate advising and the evaluation of transcripts, bring a copy of this articulation guide to all advising sessions.

Effective Date: September 1, 2023 until August 31, 2026.

This agreement is consistent with the 2023-2024 catalog. Students have until summer 2031 to graduate from Eastern Michigan University following this agreement. In the event that a student does not complete the program within seven years, they may be required to have their credits reevaluated using the requirements of the current articulation guide.

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