### **ARTICULATION AGREEMENT**

# Delaware College of Art and Design Associate of Arts in Animation 2D and 3D Tracks

# Maryland Institute College of Art Bachelor of Fine Arts in Animation

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This agreement is effective with Maryland Institute College of Art beginning <u>Fall 2017</u>.

This agreement will be reviewed <u>every two years</u>.

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Delaware College of Art and Design (DCAD) 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, DCAD and MICA agree to enter into this program articulation agreement for students who complete the Associate of Arts Degree in Animation (2D or 3D Track) at DCAD and transfer into the Bachelor of Fine Art Degree program in Animation at MICA. Both partners enter into this agreement as cooperating, equal partners who shall maintain the integrity of their separate programs.

### **Guiding Principles**

DCAD and MICA agree that any student who has completed the Associate of Arts Degree in Animation (2D or 3D Track) at DCAD may transfer the credits indicated on the attached Articulation Guide toward a Bachelor of Fine Arts in Animation at MICA. Guidelines for students who follow this transfer agreement are as follows:

- 1. Complete the Associate of Arts Degree in Animation (2D or 3D Track) at DCAD and complete the coordinated program of study for the Bachelor of Fine Arts in Animation 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 DCAD 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 DCAD 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 DCAD 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 DCAD. This will help to facilitate an efficient and smooth transition from DCAD 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 Animation (2D or 3D Track) – B.F.A in Animation

The following details the transfer of course agreement between the A.A. in Animation (2D or 3D Track) at DCAD and the B.F.A. in Animation at MICA.

DCAD Requirements	MICA	Explanation/Notes
A STANDARD OF THE STANDARD OF THE STANDARD OF	Equivalent	
FN131 2D Design I	FF 111 Forum	
FN121 Foundation Seminar	FF 112 Forum II	
FA151 Drawing I	FF 161 Drawing: Tradition and	
	Innovation	
FA152 Drawing II	FF 162 Drawing: Contemporary	
	Practices	
FN141 3D Design I	FF 130 Form & Space	
FN152 4D Design	FF 140 Systems & Time	
FN132 2D Design II	FF120 Color & Design	
AN209 Drawing for Animation	Animation Elective 1	
AN210 Storyboard/Story Telling	Animation Elective 2	
AN201 Animation I	AN 202 Principles of Animation	
AN205 Digital Technology for Animation	AN 255 Digital Tools for Animation	2D Track Only
AN204 Principles of 3D Animation	AN 203 or 225 Tier 1 Animation Elective	3D Track Only
AN202 Character Animation (2D Track)	AN 363 or 364 or 340	3.5
or	2D or 3D Character Animation	
AN208 3D Character Animation (3D		
Track)		
AN213 Digital Video	Studio Elective	
Studio Elective	Not transferrable (due to MICA's	
	60 credit transfer max)	
ENG102 Writing for the Arts	HMST101 Critical Inquiry	
ENG201 Writing About Modern	HMST Elective	
Literature		
ENG101 Reading & Composition	Academic Elective	
AH111 Art History I	AH 100 Art Matters	
AH211 Art History III	AH 211 Modernism and After	
AH112 Art History II	Art History elective	
AS224 Moving Pictures	Art History elective	
Liberal Arts Elective	Not transferrable (due to MICA's	
7 h	60 credit transfer max)	