



University of Colorado
Denver

TRANSFER ARTICULATION AGREEMENT

between **Arapahoe Community College Associate of Applied Science (Music Audio Technology)** and
University of Colorado, Denver Bachelor of Science (Recording Arts, Non-Audition Emphasis)
hereafter referred to as **Partner Institutions**

Introduction to Specify Programs and Institutions

This Agreement guarantees the transfer of students within *Associate of Applied Science (Music Audio Technology)*, *Arapahoe Community College* and *(Bachelor of Science Recording Arts, Non-Audition Emphasis)*, *University of Colorado, Denver* subject to completion of all parts of this agreement. Sending Institution students who have declared the Associate of Applied Science (Music Audio Technology) and are ready or preparing to graduate are covered by this Agreement.

Statement of Intent

The intent of this Agreement is to facilitate the successful transfer of a student from a Sending Institution upon earning a credential to a Receiving Institution to earn a baccalaureate degree within a 2+2 timeframe. The Sending Institution will identify students who are part of this Agreement in their student information system.

Statement of the Basic Agreement

Receiving Institution agrees to accept credits for students who have completed a(n) AAS of Music Audio Technology degree as outlined in attached Degree Map. These documents are hereby incorporated and made a part of this Agreement. This Agreement does not apply to students transferring with a different degree or choosing a different major or program at the Receiving Institution. Completing the program in 4 years per this agreement is dependent on the student following the prescribed degree map. Any variance may result in additional time to degree at the Receiving Institution.

Changes in Curriculum or Program Requirements

- a. This Agreement constitutes the entire Agreement between the parties. This Agreement shall be reviewed every five years by the parties unless significant curriculum and/or program changes mandate an earlier review—in which case, the institution will notify the other party to this Agreement in writing that changes impacting (or potentially impacting) this Agreement have occurred. If deemed appropriate, a new agreement will be generated and signed. Significant curriculum changes must be communicated in writing no later than March 30 of any academic year to the Director of Transfer Initiatives.
- b. Each Partner Institution assumes responsibility for informing their students of curricular revisions that would impact student planning and/or degree completion. In the event graduation requirements for the bachelor's degree at Receiving Institution change within this time, students who have declared this program at the Sending Institution will have their academic plan honored for 4 years beyond the date of the change.

Admission and Matriculation

- a. Students who have completed this approved associate degree from the Arapahoe Community College with at least a 2.0 GPA (C average) will be automatically accepted in the same pathway at Receiving Institution. Students who are automatically accepted to Receiving Institution will have the application fee waived. Students who complete the program at the Sending Institution will be admitted to the Receiving Institution. However, prior to admission to some programs, additional requirements, such as a background check, may be required.

b. This Agreement reflects the academic graduation requirements for degree pathway. Students may be responsible for completing non-course work requirements in effect at the Partner Institution at the time of their matriculation.

Agreement Details

a. Courses contained within the attached Degree Map will fulfill the relevant course requirements in the designated major and general education courses. Any additional courses taken in the discipline not covered by this Agreement taken at the Sending Institution may not count toward the requirements of the major at the Receiving Institution.

b. Only courses with grades of C or higher are guaranteed to transfer. All transfer general education courses must be Colorado Department of Higher Education Guaranteed Transfer (gt) Pathways approved. Should curricular changes to this Agreement occur, students identified as part of this Agreement will not be penalized nor incur credit loss.

c. To transfer under this Agreement to Receiving Institution, students must have graduated from the Sending Institution.

d. The Receiving Institution shall accept all applicable credits earned within ten (10) years of transfer to the Receiving Institution. Credits earned more than ten years earlier will be evaluated on a course-by-course basis.

General Provisions

a. In carrying out the responsibilities and obligations of this Agreement, no party shall be acting as the agent or principal of another institution with regard to dealings with third parties, including students.

Signatures

The parties hereto have executed this Agreement on the day and year of the last date accompanying the signatures.

Arapahoe Community College

Provost

DocuSigned by:
By (Sign): Cheryl Calhoun
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Name: Cheryl Calhoun

Title: Provost and Vice President

Date: 9/25/2024

Dean

Signed by:
By (Sign): Tom Coakley
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Name: Tom Coakley

Title: Dean of Business Humanities Art and Design

Date: 9/24/2024

Chair

Signed by:
By (Sign): Charles Haarhues
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Name: Charles Haarhues

Title: CTE Music Program Chair

Music Audio Technology

Date: 9/18/2024

University of Colorado, Denver

Provost

DocuSigned by:
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Name: Constancio Nakuma

Title: Provost and Executive Vice Chancellor for

Student and Academic Affairs

Date: 9/25/2024

Dean

Signed by:
By (Sign): Lucinda Bliss
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Name: Lucinda Bliss

Title: Dean of the College of Arts and Media

Date: 9/18/2024

Sending Institution: Arapahoe Community College**(60 Credits)****Semester 1**

Course	Course Title	Corresponding Course	Credits
ENG 1021	English Composition I: GT-COI	ENGL 1020 – Core Composition I	3
PHY 1105	Conceptual Physics	PHYS 1000	4
MUS 1010	Music Theory I	PMUS 1100 Music Theory I	3
MUS 1012	Ear Training and Sight Singing Lab I	PMUS 1110 Ear Training/Sight Singing I	1
MUS 1031	Music Class I (class piano)	PMUS 1023 Piano Class I + 1 cr Music Elective	2
MUS 1061	Computer Music Applications I	Recording Arts Elective	3
Total Credits			16

Semester 3

Course	Course Title	Corresponding Course	Credits
MUS XXXX	Music Elective	General elective	3
MUS 1021 or 1022 or 1025	Music History I or II or History of Jazz	Music History Elective or Core Arts	3
MUS 2041	Applied Composition (electronic music)	Music Elective	2
MUS 1063	Music Audio Production I	MUSC 1541 Audio Production I	3
MUS 1067	Music Business	MUSC 2700 Intro to Music Business	3
Total Credits			14

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Semester 2

Course	Course Title	Corresponding Course	Credits
COM 1250	Interpersonal Comm—GT-SS3	COMM 1041	3
SOC 1001	Intro. Sociology: GT-SS3	SOCY 1001	3
MAT 1240	Math for Liberal Arts: GT-MA1 Also accepted: any transferable Math 3 credits or higher	MATH 1010 Math for Liberal Arts	4
MUS 1013	Ear Training and Sight Singing Lab II	PMUS 1210 Ear Training/Sight Singing II	1
MUS 1008	Acoustics	MUSC 1800 Acoustics for Audio	3
MUS 1062	Computer Music Applications II	Recording Arts Elective	3
Total Credits			17

Semester 4

Course	Course Title	Corresponding Course	Credits
MUS 2084	Internship	Recording Arts Elective	1
MUS 1011	Music Theory II	Recording Arts Elective	3
MUS 2060	Business of Live Music Performance	Recording Arts Elective	3
MUS 1064	Music Audio Production II	MUSC 1560 Audio Production II	3
MUS 2065	Live Audio Engineering	MUSC 3530 Live Sound	3
			13
Total Credits for Associate Degree			60

*Arts Core requirement will be fulfilled upon completion of AAS.

Receiving Institution: University of Colorado Denver

(60 Credits)

Semester 5

Course	Course Title	Credits
MUSC 1542	Pro Tools 101 <i>(Fall only)</i>	1
MUSC 2580	Audio Production III <i>(Fall only)</i>	3
MUSC 2550	Critical Listening <i>(Fall only)</i>	3
PMUS 3832	Music in Culture	3
XXXX	Recording Arts Elective	3
ENGL 2030	Core Composition II	3
Total Credits		16

Semester 6

Course	Course Title	Credits
MUSC 2590	Mastering & Digital Audio <i>(Spring only)</i>	3
PMUS XXXX	Group instrument #2	1
XXXX	Non-Lab science (SC-2)	3
XXXX	Recording Arts Elective	3
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Total Credits		13

Semester 7

Course	Course Title	Credits
MUSC 3505	Intro to Audio Post <i>(Fall only)</i>	3
PMUS 1500	General Recital #1	1
XXXX	Recording Arts Elective	3
XXXX	Recording Arts Elective	3
XXXX	International Perspectives	3
MUSC 32XX	Music Marketing or Artist Mgmt.	3
Total Credits		16

Semester 8

Course	Course Title	Credits
MUSC 4580	Audio Seminar <i>(Spring only)</i>	3
XXXX	Music History Elective or Core Arts	3
XXXX	Core Humanities	3
XXXX	Non-major Arts	3
XXXX	Cultural Diversity	3
Total Credits		15
Total Credits for Bachelor Degree		120

*Students should consult Recording Arts faculty for approved Recording Arts elective options