



TRANSFER ARTICULATION AGREEMENT

between **Community College of Denver and University of Colorado, Denver**
hereafter referred to as **Partner Institutions**

Introduction to Specify Programs and Institutions

This Agreement guarantees the transfer of students within **Architectural Studies (AAS), Community College of Denver (Sending Institution) and Architecture (BS) – Architectural Studies Track, University of Colorado, Denver (Receiving Institution)** subject to completion of all parts of this agreement. Sending Institution students who have declared the Associate of Applied Science (Architectural Studies) 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 Architectural Studies 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 Community College of Denver 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. Successful completion of the 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. Students should consult CAP Undergraduate Advising at CU Denver to determine the applicability of general education transfer courses that were not GT-Pathways approved at the original institution where the course was completed. 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.

Community College of Denver

Provost

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By (Sign): Peter Lindstrom
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Name: Peter Lindstrom

Title: Vice President of Academic Affairs and
Provost

Date: 5/28/2025

Dean

Signed by:
By (Sign): Barry Hubbard
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Name: Barry Hubbard

Title: Dean of Arts, Communication, & Design
and Education Pathways

Date: 5/27/2025

University of Colorado, Denver

Provost

Signed by:
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Name: Pamela Jansma

Title: Interim Provost and Executive Vice
Chancellor for Student and Academic
Affairs

Date: 5/28/2025

Co-Dean

Signed by:
By (Sign): Ann E. Komara
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Name: Ann Komara

Title: Interim Co-Dean of the College of
Architecture and Planning

Date: 4/28/2025

Co-Dean

Signed by:
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Name: Marc Swackhamer

Title: Interim Co-Dean of the College of
Architecture and Planning

Date: 5/27/2025

Sending Institution: Community College of Denver (60 Credits)

Semester 1 (or First 15 Credits)

Course	Course Title	Corresponding Course	Credits
AEC 1110	History of Architecture	ARCH 2230 Arch. History I	3
ENG 1021 (GT-CO1)	English Composition I	ENGL 1020 English Composition I	3
MAT 1340 (GT-MA1)	College Algebra	MATH 1110 College Algebra	4
ART 1201 or ART 1002	Drawing I or Visual Concepts 2-D Design	FINE 1100 Drawing I or FINE 1400 Two Dimensional Drawing	3
GEO 1005 or GEO 1006 (GT-SS2)	World Regional Geography or Human Geography	GEOG 1102 World Regional Geography or GEOG 1302 Introduction to Human Geography	3
Total Credits			16

Semester 2

Course	Course Title	Corresponding Course	Credits
AEC 1100	Introduction to Design Theory	ARCH 1110 Introduction to Architecture	3
AEC 1500	Building Science	ARCH 3430 Construction Practices: Building Envelope	3
AEC 2220	Architectural Graphics	ARCH 1711 Visualization I or ARCH 2999AE (<i>pending portfolio review</i>)	3
ENG 1022 (GT-CO2)	English Composition II	ENGL 2030 English Composition II	3
MAT 1420 (GT-MA1)	College Trigonometry	MATH 1120 College Trigonometry	3
Total Credits			15

Semester 3

Course	Course Title	Corresponding Course	Credits
AEC 1501	Building Structures	ARCH 3340 Theory of Structures I	3
PHY 1111 (GT-SC1)	Physics Algebra-Based I with Lab	PHYS 2010 College Physics I and PHYS 2321 Intro Experimental Phys Lab I	5
HUM 1021 (GT-AH2) or PHI 2018 (GT-AH3)	Humanities: Early Civilization or Environmental Ethics	HUMN 1012 The Humanistic Tradition or PHIL 4250 Environmental Ethics	3
CAD 2220 or CAD 1115	Revit Architecture or Rhino	ARCH 3805 Beginning Revit or ARCH 1999AE	3
Total Credits			14

Semester 4

Course	Course Title	Corresponding Course	Credits
AEC 2089	Capstone	ARCH 2111 Design Studio I or ARCH 2999AE (<i>pending portfolio review</i>)	6
AEC 1502	Building Detailing	ARCH 3130 Construction Practices: Material & Structural Systems	3
AEC 2221	Architectural Visualization Concepts	ARCH 1721 Visualization II or ARCH2999AE (<i>pending portfolio review</i>)	3
AEC 2300 or AEC 2700	Sustainable Building Systems or International Building Codes	ARCH 3330 Building Systems I or ARCH 2999AE	3
			15
Total Credits for Associate Degree			60

Receiving Institution: University of Colorado Denver

(60 Credits)

Architectural Studies Track:

Semester 5

Course	Course Title	Credits
ARCH 2121	Design Studio II	6
Core Behavioral Science	Core Behavioral Science	3
ARCH 3230	Arch. History II	3
General elective	General elective	3
Total Credits		15

Semester 6

Course	Course Title	Credits
ARCH 3111	Design Studio III	6
Core International Perspectives	Core International Perspectives	3
ARCH 4230	Arch. History III	3
ARCH elective	ARCH elective	3
Total Credits		15

Semester 7

Course	Course Title	Credits
ARCH 3121	Design Studio IV	6
Core Cultural Diversity	Core Cultural Diversity	3
CAP elective	CAP elective	3
General elective	General elective	3
Total Credits		15

Semester 8

Course	Course Title	Credits
ARCH 4111 (recommended) or CAP electives	Design Studio V (recommended) or CAP electives	6
CAP elective	CAP elective	3
General elective	General elective	3
General elective	General elective	3
Total Credits		15