

## ARTICULATION AGREEMENT

### **Anne Arundel Community College, Associate Arts Degree in transfer (visual arts option) and Savannah College of Art and Design Bachelor of Arts in Visual Communication with a Concentration in Photography**

Anne Arundel Community College (here after referred to as AACC), a community college in Anne Arundel County, Maryland, and Savannah College of Art and Design (here after referred to as SCAD), Georgia, agree to offer an articulated program leading to the award of a Associate Arts Degree in transfer (visual arts option) Degree and a Bachelor of Arts in Visual Communication with a Concentration in Photography. They further agree that students from AACC, through this articulation policy, will be allowed to transfer credits earned for the Associate Arts Degree in transfer (visual arts option) at AACC to, leading to the award of the Bachelor of Arts in Visual Communication with a Concentration in Photography at SCAD. The following general principles guide the operation of this Agreement:

1. The program is designed for graduates of the Associate Arts Degree in transfer (visual arts option) at AACC. A maximum of eighteen courses from AACC will be allowed toward fulfillment of the thirty-six courses required for baccalaureate completion at SCAD.
2. General education courses in the humanities and fine arts, social and behavioral sciences, mathematics, natural sciences and other subjects help students develop the analytical, verbal and critical thinking skills necessary to pursue rewarding careers and to lead personally fulfilling and socially responsible lives. The general education curriculum supports the mission of the college to prepare talented students for professional careers. At SCAD, all undergraduate students receive a strong liberal arts education to expand their capacity for intellectual inquiry, and to develop practical skills to enable them to be creative and responsible world citizens in today's global society.
3. Only grades of at least 2.0 (C) may be transferred for undergraduate credit.
4. Credit is not awarded for developmental, health or physical education courses. Credit is not awarded for training from non-collegiate institutions or experiential learning.
5. Transfer students declare their major by selecting an intended area of study on their application for admission. At this point, or at any point before graduation, a student may change their major and/or add a minor by completing an "Undergraduate Declaration or Change of Major/Minor and Catalog Year Change" form.
6. AACC students who have completed the Associate Arts Degree in transfer (visual arts option) will be eligible to compete for academic and artistic scholarships for incoming students at SCAD. U.S. citizens and legal residents may apply for federal aid by first completing an application to the college and a SCAD application for financial assistance. Applicants should then file the Free Application for Federal Student Aid with the federal processing center after January 1 each year. This can be done online at [www.fafsa.ed.gov](http://www.fafsa.ed.gov). The SCAD FAFSA code is 015022.

7. This agreement becomes effective on the date set forth on the first page of this document. AACC and SCAD agree to publicize this program. They further agree to monitor the performance of this agreement and to revise it as necessary. The agreement may be terminated by either party for due cause and after adequate notice to the other. Termination of the agreement will not affect any students currently enrolled at AACC in the Associate Arts Degree in transfer (visual arts option) at the time of termination, and they shall be able to transfer credits pursuant to this agreement.
8. If the AACC student enrolls as a result of this agreement and signs a FERPA release giving SCAD permission to share information on their academic progress, SCAD will do so upon request from administrators of AACC.

### **Overview and Summary**

For students following this agreement, the steps are as follows:

#### **Step 1:**

Complete the *A.A. Fine Arts, Visual Arts Option* at AACC.

#### **Step 2:**

1. Apply for admission to *Savannah College of Art and Design*, indicating *B.A. in Visual Communication with a concentration in Photography* as the intended major. Applications for admission are available online at [www.scad.edu](http://www.scad.edu). Supporting documents may be sent separately. Students who previously applied and were reviewed for first-time freshman admission at SCAD and then attended another college or university must reapply as a transfer student and submit all materials required to be reviewed for transfer admission and scholarship opportunities.
2. Nonrefundable application fee. \$25 if submitted online; \$50 if submitted in paper form. Both application and fee must be received by the admission office for processing to begin. Anne Arundel students may contact the admission office at 800-869-7223 to receive a promotional code to have the application fee waived when applying.
3. Official transcript from each college attended. If number of college credits earned is insufficient for evaluating performance, high school transcripts or General Equivalency Diploma and official SAT or ACT scores\* may be required. SAT or ACT scores are not required of international applicants or applicants who have been out of school for at least two years. International transcripts must be in English or accompanied by a certified English translation.
4. All applicants are automatically reviewed for academic scholarship consideration based on completed application files. Scholarships also may be awarded to admitted students based on a combination of academic and artistic achievements.



**ARTICULATION TRANSFER AGREEMENT**  
**SAVANNAH COLLEGE OF ART AND DESIGN**  
 Bachelor of Arts in Visual Communication with a Concentration in Photography  
**and**  
**ANNE ARUNDEL COMMUNITY COLLEGE**  
 Associate of Arts Degree, A.A. – transfer (visual arts option)  
**2/18/2009**

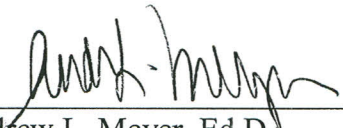
*Students must apply and be accepted to SCAD.*


<b>Requirements at Anne Arundel Community College</b>	<b>Requirements at Savannah College of Art and Design</b>
ART 125 Drawing 1	DRAW 100 Drawing I
ART 126 Drawing 2* (Course is subject to portfolio review to determine transferability.)	DRAW 101 Drawing II*
ART 100 Two-Dimensional Design	DSGN 100 2-D Design
Elective. Select ART 103 Color	DSGN 101 Color Theory
ART 102 3-D Design: Introduction to Sculpture	Studio Elective
ART 209 History of Western Art 1	ARTH 100 Survey of Western Art I
ART 210 History of Western Art 2	ARTH 110 Survey of Western Art II
ENG 111 Composition and Introduction to Literature 1 or ENG 121 Composition and Literature	ENGL 123 Composition
ENG 112 Composition and Introduction to Literature 2 or ENG 200 if ENG 121 taken	English Elective
Mathematics general education requirement. (MAT 135 will not fulfill requirement at SCAD.)	MATH 100 Basic Mathematics+
Social and Behavioral Sciences general education Requirement (American Studies, Geography, History and Women Studies courses will not fulfill requirement at SCAD.)	Social/Behavioral Sciences Requirement
Arts and humanities general education requirement. Select COM 111 or COM 116 Fundamentals of Oral Communication	COMM 105 Speech and Public Speaking
HUM 101 Introduction to Fine Arts	General Education Elective
Biological and Physical Sciences Lab Science general education requirement	General Education Elective
Biological and Physical Sciences general education requirement	General Education Elective
Elective. Select ART 121 Black and White Photography* (Course is subject to portfolio review to determine transferability.)	PHOT 113 Photographic Foundations I*
Social and Behavioral Sciences general education requirement	Elective
Computer Technology general education requirement	Elective
Health/fitness/wellness general education Requirement**	Not transferable but necessary to meet the degree requirement for transfer
ART 230 Art Portfolio Development**	
<b>Maximum quarter hour credits transferring to SCAD is 90.</b>	<b>Maximum quarter hour credits transferring to SCAD is 90.</b>
<b>Total BA degree requirements (quarter hours) is 180.</b>	<b>Total BA degree requirements (quarter hours) is 180.</b>

The courses listed with SCAD equivalencies are currently transferable under the 2008 SCAD course catalog for specific SCAD requirements for the Bachelor of Arts in Visual Communication with a concentration in Photography. Students are subject to the requirements of the SCAD course catalog in effect at the time of his or her entry and registration at SCAD. Students may choose to fulfill requirements of any subsequent SCAD course catalog within five years of their first enrollment at SCAD. This document is specific to Anne Arundel Community College's Associate of Arts degree and the Savannah College of Art and Design's Bachelor of Arts in Visual Communication with a concentration in Photography. In order for a class to be considered for transfer, it needs to be at least three semester credit hours or five quarter hours. A grade of "C" or higher must be earned in the class. A course transferred from Anne Arundel Community College may fulfill only one SCAD course requirement. A maximum of 18 courses may transfer into the SCAD BA program of study. In some instances, a student's course selection may fulfill a different requirement than listed above. In those specific instances, it may be advantageous in the student's course of study to allow the course to fulfill a different requirement rather than a general education or free elective.

*\*Courses are subject to portfolio review at SCAD to transfer. Students not passing portfolio reviews may be required to complete more than 90 quarter hours at SCAD.*

**\*\*These courses are required to earn an Associate of Arts, A.A. – transfer (visual arts option) degree from Anne Arundel Community College.**

  
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