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**PREAMBLE:** Siena Heights University has a long and successful history serving community college Associate graduates throughout Michigan. The administration of Siena Heights University, recognizing Washtenaw Community College as one of Michigan's most outstanding and dynamic community colleges, wishes to sign an Articulation Agreement with Washtenaw Community College (WCC). WCC offers a number of excellent Associate degree programs that qualify for articulation with the Siena Heights University's Bachelor of Arts or Bachelor of Fine Arts degrees. All parties believe this Articulation Agreement will greatly benefit Washtenaw Community College Associate degree graduates who desire or need to complete a Baccalaureate degree.

Articulation Agreement made this \_\_\_\_ day of January, 2008 for and between Washtenaw Community College (hereafter known as WCC) and Siena Heights University (hereafter known as "Siena").

- A. Effective January \_\_\_\_, 2008 the Washtenaw Community College Associate degree programs specified on page 2-4 of this Articulation Agreement partially fulfill the major requirement for all Siena student-candidates toward the Siena degree: Bachelor of Arts ("BA") or a Bachelor of Fine Arts (BFA).
- B. To receive the BA or BFA degree from Siena, WCC Graduates MUST complete and show proof of major and degree received. WCC graduates MUST submit an official academic degree transcript directly to Siena.
- C. Specific program hours will be determined by the WCC Associate degree program completed.
- D. Appropriate personnel at Siena will determine completion of liberal arts requirements for the baccalaureate degree.
- E. This agreement shall terminate 180 days after advance written notice by either party or earlier by mutual consent or by a material breach of any of the terms hereof. Substantial impairment of the reputation or of the financial liability of a party shall also be deemed material breaches hereunder. A pre-termination contractual right of a Siena/WCC student to complete, to take the course, or to receive credit towards a Baccalaureate degree shall not be nullified by termination.
- F. WCC agrees to include Siena with on-going communication to graduates and current students for recruitment into the baccalaureate degree program. Siena understands WCC will not provide the names of their students, but will mail recruiting pieces if provided with materials and postage.
- G. The parties agree to take appropriate steps to implement this agreement from time-to-time and to cooperate whenever is necessary in so doing. WCC agrees to communicate any curriculum changes with Siena.
- H. Each party shall be separately responsible for compliance with all federal and state laws, including nondiscrimination laws. The contract term includes applicable sections of the Michigan Handicappers Civil Rights Act (Act 220 of the Public Acts of 1976, as amended, being MCLA 37.1101 et seq.) and the Elliot-Larson Civil Rights Act (Act 453 of the Public Arts of 1976 as amended, being CMLA 37.2101 et seq.) and, in particular, the provision that illegal discrimination by either party may be considered a material breach of this agreement. Siena Heights University and Washtenaw Community College agree to jointly share data to assess program effectiveness and adhere to the precepts of the Family Education Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA).

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<b>Requirements at Washtenaw Community College</b>	<b>Requirements at Siena Heights University B.F.A. Degree</b>
ART 111 Basic Drawing I	Art 109 Foundation III: Drawing Concepts
ART 122 Basic Drawing II	Art Studio Elective
ART 112 Basic Design	Art 105 Foundation I: Core Concepts
ART 102 Color	Art 107 Foundations II: Core Concepts
ART 108 3D Design	Foundations V: 3-D Concepts
Arts/Humanities Elective I and II Select two from ART 143, HUM 101, HUM 102 , GDT 101, PHO 103	Two Art History Requirements
ENG 111 Composition I	English Liberal Arts Studies Requirement (ENG 101)
ENG 226 Composition II	English Liberal Arts Studies Requirement (ENG 102)
COM 101 Fundamentals of Speaking	Art Core Media Studies Requirement
Select from Math Options MTH 160, 180, 181, 182, 191, 192, 197, 293, 295	Math Liberal Arts Studies Requirement or General Elective if Science is selected instead*
Social Science Elective Select from: ANT 201; ECO: 110, 111, 211, 222, 280; GEO: 101, 103, 212; PLS: 112, 150, 211, 220, 250; PSY: 100, 107, 150, 200, 206, 207, 209, 210, 220, 232, 240, 257, 260, 273; SOC: 100, 205, 207, 230	Social Science Liberal Arts Studies Requirement
Social Science Elective	Art Core Media Studies Requirement
Natural Science Elective Select from BIO: 101, 103, 111, 215; CEM: 105, 111, 122, 140; PHY: 111, 122, 211, 222	Science Liberal Arts Studies Requirement or General Elective if Science is selected instead*
<b>PHOTOGRAPHY CONCENTRATION ELECTIVES</b>	
Elective Select PHO 111 Photography I	Art 117 Photography I
Elective Select PHO 127 Digital Photography I	ART 257 Digital Photography I
Elective Select GDT 140 Photoshop Graphics	SHU ART 111 Foundations IV: Digital Concepts
Elective Select PHO 228 Digital Photography II	ART 357 Digital Photography II
Elective Select PHO 210 Alternative Processes	ART 358 Alternative Processes
60 REDITS	

\*BFA students must select from Math or Science for their Liberal Arts Requirement

*Students must apply and be accepted to SIENA HEIGHTS UNIVERSITY*

**Required for Completion of the Bachelor of Fine Arts Degree in Art at  
Siena Heights University**

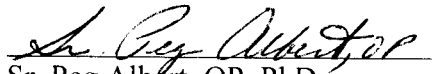
**Liberal Arts:** Las 401, Religious Studies or Philosophy course

**Art Major:** Apply to the BFA Program at an art faculty critique before the senior year, six semester hours in Art History (one course at the 300/400 level), ART 395 Portfolio and ART 495 Senior Exhibition, nine semester hours of advanced photography courses to complete a concentration, twelve semester hours of core media studies (any introductory level art course except in the area of concentration), fifteen semester hours of approved art studio electives, six hours in Academic Cognate Requirements (select from any Religious Studies, History, Literature, Philosophy and/or Social Science courses; these courses must be in addition to the Liberal Art Studies courses; they may not be double counted), and a solo senior exhibition.

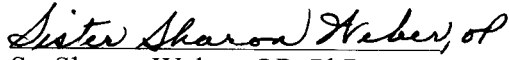
**NOTE:**

1. Art majors must earn a grade of “C” or better in all art courses.
2. Any student wishing to continue in sequential art courses must have earned a grade of “C” in all designated prerequisites.
3. Transfer students must complete a Siena Heights library skills assessment.

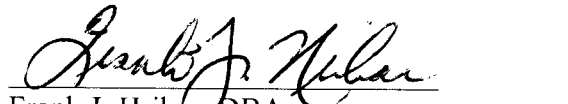
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President

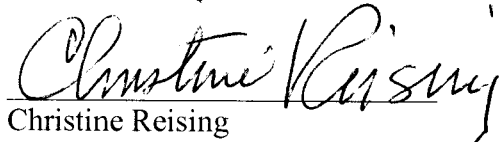
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Sr. Sharon Weber, OP, PhD  
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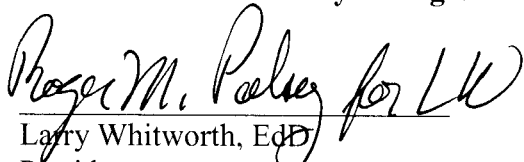
  
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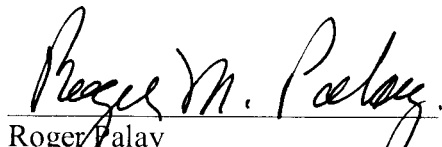
  
Christine Reising  
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President

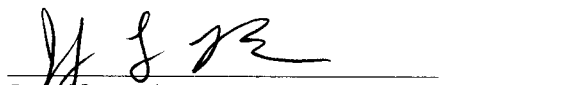
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