

**Associate of Arts Articulation Agreement
Between Seattle Community College District and
University of Minnesota Duluth**

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PROGRAMS:

Seattle Community College District
Associate of Arts programs

University of Minnesota Duluth
Baccalaureate programs

PURPOSE:

To create a clear pathway for students of the Seattle Community College District (SCCD), consisting of Seattle Central Community College, North Seattle Community College, and South Seattle Community College to transfer to and complete their baccalaureate degree at the University of Minnesota Duluth (UMD), this Direct Transfer Agreement (DTA) outlines transfer requirements, provisions, and related advertising considerations. This DTA guarantees admission to UMD; however, admission to specific majors and certain high demand programs on the UMD campus may require a grade point average higher than that required for admission to UMD and may be dependent on capacity at the time of application. SCCD students are encouraged to check with UMD for specific admission and graduation requirements.

1. Upon completion of the Associate of Arts degree (A.A.) at the Seattle Community Colleges, transferring students will be guaranteed admission to UMD provided they:
 - a. apply for admission on or before the UMD priority deadline for transfer applicants;
 - b. have a minimum cumulative grade point average (GPA) of 2.5
2. According to UMD policy, courses with grades of D (1.0) or higher or S are eligible for transfer. UMD academic programs set minimum grade requirements for courses that satisfy degree requirements. Grades such as C-, D+, D may not meet degree requirements regardless of whether or not they transfer to UMD.
3. Courses numbered lower than 100-level or otherwise indicated as college preparatory courses are not included in this DTA. Courses are evaluated individually and not all courses may transfer. Repeated courses are transferred according to UMD policy:

4. Upon completion of the A.A. degree specified above, students will have fulfilled the UMD Liberal Education Program requirements.
5. International students who complete ENG 101 and ENG 102 within the SCCD with a grade of C (2.0) or higher in each course, and completed their A.A. degree will have met the English proficiency requirements of UMD and will not need to submit separate proof of English proficiency.
6. SCCD and UMD will co-develop written and electronic materials outlining for SCCD students programs, policies and procedures relevant to the DTA. This DTA will be publicized in newsletters, course schedules and other promotional materials.

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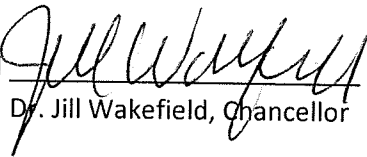
This agreement will remain in effect through 12/01/2016 or until a mutually agreed-upon change is deemed necessary. This agreement may be terminated by SCCD or UMD with appropriate notification. Each institution agrees to provide termination notice one year prior to intended change.

SCCD and UMD officially authorize this agreement on November 1, 2013 with the agreement becoming effective immediately.

AUTHORIZATIONS:

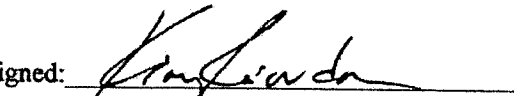
Seattle Community College District

Signed


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University of Minnesota Duluth

Signed:


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