

# ARTICULATION AGREEMENT

FOR

Henry Ford Community College 2010

AND

SIENA HEIGHTS UNIVERSITY

**PREAMBLE:** Siena Heights University has a long and successful history serving community college Associate of Applied Science graduates throughout Michigan. The administration of Siena Heights University, recognizing Henry Ford Community College as one of Michigan's most outstanding and dynamic community colleges, wishes to update our Articulation Agreement with Henry Ford Community College (HFCC). HFCC offers a wide array of excellent health sciences, occupational, and technical Associate of Applied Science degrees that qualify for the Siena Heights University's Bachelor of Applied Science degree program. All parties believe this Articulation Agreement will greatly benefit Henry Ford Community College Associate of Applied Science degree graduates who desire or need to complete a Baccalaureate degree.

Articulation Agreement made this 16 day of March 2010 for and between Henry Ford Community College (hereafter known as HFCC) and Siena Heights University (hereafter known as "Siena").

- A. Effective March 16, 2010 the Henry Ford Community College Associate degree programs specified on page 2 of this Articulation Agreement fulfill the major requirement for all Siena student-candidates toward the Siena degree: Bachelor of Applied Science ("BAS");
- B. To receive the BAS degree from Siena, HFCC Graduates MUST complete and show proof of major and degree received. HFCC graduates MUST submit an official academic degree transcript directly to Siena.
- C. Specific program hours will be determined by the HFCC 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/HFCC student to complete, to take the course, or to receive credit towards a Baccalaureate degree shall not be nullified by termination.
- F. HFCC agrees to include Siena with on-going communication to graduates and current students for recruitment into the BAS program.
- 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. HFCC agrees to communicate any curriculum changes that HFCC 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.

*Sr. Peg Albert*  
Name Date  
President  
Sr. Peg Albert, O.P., Ph. D., Siena

*Gail Mee 3-17-10*  
Name Date  
President  
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## ARTICULATION AGREEMENT

### Henry Ford Community College

Associate of Applied Science Degree

### Siena Heights University

Bachelor of Applied Science Degree

#### ARTICULATED APPLIED SCIENCE PROGRAMS

Candidates for the Bachelor of Applied Science in Health Sciences, Occupational, and Technology fields are expected to have successfully completed an associate degree program in:

Architecture/Construction Technology	Electronic Technology
Automotive Service (ASSET)	Energy Technology – Alternative Energy
Automotive Service Management – Technical Concentration	Energy Technology – HVAC
Automotive Technology	Energy Technology – Power/Building Engineer
Biotechnology	Firefighter/Paramedic
Building Construction Trades	Fitness Leadership
CAD – CAM Technician	Hotel/Restaurant Management
CAD Technology – Industrial Drafting	Manufacturing Trades
CNC – Computer Numerical Control	Medical Practice – Clinical Management
CNC – Computer Numerical Control/Manufacturing Productivity Systems	Multi-Skilled Facility Maintenance Technician
Computer Information Systems	Ophthalmic Technician
Computer Information Systems – Information Assurance	Paralegal Studies
Computer Information Systems – Network Administration	Paramedic
Criminal Justice—Corrections/Probation and Parole	Physical Therapist Assistant
Criminal Justice—Law Enforcement	Plant Maintenance Trades
Culinary Arts	Radiographer
Culinary Arts and Hotel Restaurant Management	Respiratory Therapist
	Surgical Technologist

Candidates with an associate degree are required to present an official transcript verifying a major in one of the specific technology fields. The completed associate degree will be accepted in full to Siena. Other previously offered AAS degrees or those to be developed subsequent to this agreement shall be reviewed for acceptability as qualifying BAS majors.

#### GENERAL DEGREE REQUIREMENTS—BAS at Siena Heights University

A candidate for the Bachelor degree must successfully complete a minimum of 120 semester hours of college level credit; 30 semester hours must be earned in residence with Siena. Candidates must maintain a minimum of 2.0 GPA for course work completed at Siena. Up to 90 semester hours of HFCC, credit may be applied to a Siena baccalaureate degree including 6 credits in developmental classes. Grades of 2.0 and above will transfer. The grade of "D" will transfer provided that grade was earned within a degree completed at HFCC. In total, 30 of the 120 semester hours required must be coursework earned at the junior or senior level (300/400); a minimum of at least 15 semester hours of this junior/senior level work must be completed with Siena.

Candidates for the Bachelor's degree must fulfill a liberal arts requirement and must demonstrate proficiency in writing and mathematics.

#### LIBERAL ARTS EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS

*Based on 60+ semester hours of transfer*

ENG 131 and 132 or 135	6
Math* OR Laboratory Science	3- 4
Social Science, History, Fine & Performing Arts or Literature	3

\* Must be Math 141 or higher at HFCC except Math 221 and Math 225

*Liberal Arts Requirements to be completed at Siena Heights University*

Philosophy or Religious Studies at the 300/400 level	3
LAS 301 The Adult Learner	3
LAS 401 Senior Seminar Integrative Experience	3

#### SEMESTER HOURS

**CONTACT INFORMATION FOR SIENA HEIGHTS UNIVERSITY**

It is important to consult with an advisor to develop a specific bachelor degree completion plan and to identify all transferable learning experiences.

Metropolitan Detroit

Those students interested in completing their baccalaureate degree through the Metropolitan Detroit campus should contact the Admissions Representative at 1-800-787-7784. Courses are available on ground and online.

[www.sienaheights.edu/mdp](http://www.sienaheights.edu/mdp)

Totally On-line and other locations in Michigan

Those students interested in completing their baccalaureate degree in a totally on-line program, or at any other Siena site location in Michigan, should contact the Director of Distance Learning Programs at 1-866-937-2748. Please consult the university Web site for other locations: [www.sienaheights.edu](http://www.sienaheights.edu).

Adrian

Those students interested in completing their baccalaureate degree in a more traditional environment should contact the Adrian campus and the Coordinator of Transfer Services at 1-800-521-0009 extension 7185.

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NOTE:

Siena offers over 37 majors and a number of baccalaureate degrees in the liberal arts area. Siena does not offer all degrees and/or majors at all site locations. All Associate in Science, Associate in General Studies, Associate in Arts, and Associate in Business degrees granted by HFCC will be accepted as elective credit, and will be reviewed for acceptance into available baccalaureate programs and majors offered by Siena. All transfer students that graduate from HFCC with an Associate degree must complete the Siena General Degree Requirements, Liberal Arts Education Requirements, and complete an approved major offered by Siena.