

Lansing Community College (LCC)

Articulation Agreement and Transfer Guide

Whether you enjoy learning how movies are made, producing your own show to broadcast over the Internet, working behind a camera or editing images and sound, the Television and Digital Media Production (TDMP) major at Ferris State University is the best way to reach your television or digital media goals. Combined, our award-winning faculty have over 100 years of experience working in professional television and digital media production settings and are well respected around the nation for preparing students for a myriad of related careers.

Communication Competency

FSU Course	FSU Course Title	FSU Cr. Hrs.	LCC Equiv.	LCC Course Title	LCC Cr. Hrs.
COMM 105 or COMM 121	Interpersonal Communication or Fund. Of Public Speaking	3	COMM 140 or COMM 130	Interpersonal Communication or Fund. Of Public Speaking	3
ENGL 150	English 1	3	ENGL 121 or ENGL 131	Composition 1 or Honors Composition 1	3
ENGL 250	English 2	3	ENGL 122 or ENGL 132	Composition 2 or Honors Composition 2	3
Varies	Oral Communication (COMM) elective – 200 level or higher; recommended COMM 221 or 251	3	No Equivalent	No Equivalent	0

Quantitative Literacy – see below or any MATH course higher than MATH 115; consult advisor for exceptions, or Official Pre-2016 MATH SAT Score of 560 or higher, or Official Post-2016 MATH SAT Score of 580 or higher, or Official MATH ACT Score of 24 or higher.

FSU Course	FSU Course Title	FSU Cr. Hrs.	LCC Equiv.	LCC Course Title	LCC Cr. Hrs.
MATH 114 or MATH 115 or MATH 117	Quantitative Reasoning for Pro 2 or Intermediate Algebra or Contemporary Mathematics	4 or 3 or 4	MATH 119 or MATH 109 or MATH 120 or MATH 119	Math-Applications for Living or Fast Track Algebra or College Algebra or Math-Applications for Living	4 4

LCC's MATH 119 or 120 will meet MTA and Program Requirements at LCC. LCC's MATH 109 or 119 or 120 will meet Program Requirements at Ferris.

Natural Sciences Competency - Two courses are required with a minimum of 6 credits: one course must have a lab.

FSU Course	FSU Course Title	FSU Cr. Hrs.	LCC Equiv.	LCC Course Title	LCC Cr. Hrs.
Varies	Natural Sciences Electives	6 – 7	Varies	Varies	6

Culture Competency - 3 courses required with a minimum of 9 credits: must be from 2 different disciplines and have at least 1 at FSU 200 level or higher course

FSU Course	FSU Course Title	FSU Cr. Hrs.	LCC Equiv.	LCC Course Title	LCC Cr. Hrs.
Varies	Culture Electives	9	Varies	Varies	9

Self and Society Competency - 3 courses required with a minimum of 9 credits: must be from 2 different disciplines and have at least 1 at FSU 200 level or higher course

FSU Course	FSU Course Title	FSU Cr. Hrs.	LCC Equiv.	LCC Course Title	LCC Cr. Hrs.
Varies	Self and Society Electives	9	Varies	Varies	9

Ferris State University General Education www.ferris.edu/gened. Students are encouraged to work with an advisor to select appropriate general education courses.

Diversity Competency – 2 Courses Required

If not met by courses taken for Culture, Self and Society, or MTA, a student must meet the following:

- 1 course with the Global Diversity attribute
- 1 course with the U.S. Diversity attribute

College Requirements – 81 Credits Required

Major Courses - 55 Credits Required

FSU Course	FSU Course Title	FSU Cr. Hrs.	LCC Equiv.	LCC Course Title	LCC Cr. Hrs.
TDMP 110	Introduction to Video Communications	3	DMAC 141	Ethics & Impact of the Media	3
TDMP 132	Digital Media Art & Technology	3	DMAC 140	Pre-production Design	3
TDMP 243	Field Production	3	DMAC 130	Digital Video	4
TDMP 255	Compositing Video	3	No Equivalent	No Equivalent	0
TDMP 326	Script Writing	3	No Equivalent	No Equivalent	0

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Major Courses continued - 55 Credits Required

FSU Course	FSU Course Title	FSU Cr. Hrs.	LCC Equiv.	LCC Course Title	LCC Cr. Hrs.
TDMP 343	Documentary Production	3	No Equivalent	No Equivalent	0
TDMP 359	Television Operations	3	DMAC 234	Studio Productions Techniques	4
TDMP 385	Television Studio Production	4	No Equivalent	No Equivalent	0
TDMP 464	Seminar in TV & Digital Media	2	No Equivalent	No Equivalent	0
TDMP 466	Instructional Design	4	No Equivalent	No Equivalent	0
TDMP 499	Advanced Producing & Directing	6	No Equivalent	No Equivalent	0
TDMP 493	TV & Digital Media Internship	18	No Equivalent	No Equivalent	0

Television and Digital Media Production Electives - 9 Credits Required - Choose 3 from the following 10 courses

FSU Course	FSU Course Title	FSU Cr. Hrs.	LCC Equiv.	LCC Course Title	LCC Cr. Hrs.
TDMP 136	Audio Production	3	DMAC 120 & DMAC 122	Digital Audio Production 1	4
TDMP 240	Entertainment Arts & Production	3	No Equivalent	No Equivalent	0
TDMP 276	Lighting for Film & Video	3			
TDMP 314	Remote Television	3	No Equivalent	No Equivalent	0
TDMP 318	Film & Digital Media Practicum	3	DMAC 246	Workshop: Video	2
TDMP 328	Streaming Media Production	3	No Equivalent	No Equivalent	0
TDMP 355	Advanced Compositing for Video	3	No Equivalent	No Equivalent	0
TDMP 365	Color Grading	3			
TDMP 376	Digital Cinematography	3	DMAC 231	Digital Cinematography 2	4
TDMP 497	Special Studies in TDMP	1 - 4	No Equivalent	No Equivalent	0
DAGD 100	3D Modeling & Animation 1	3	No Equivalent	No Equivalent	0

Electives – 17 Credits Required (consult with your advisor)

FSU Course	FSU Course Title	FSU Cr. Hrs.	LCC Equiv.	LCC Course Title	LCC Cr. Hrs.
TDMP	TDMP General Credit	4	DMAC 232	Video Post-Production 2	4
TDMP	TDMP General Credit	2	DMAC 240	Employment Issues in Media	2
TDMP	TDMP General Credit	2	DMAC 295	Media / Cinema Portfolio	2
Varies	Electives	9	Varies	Electives	9
Total Credits Required for Degree					120

Program Delivery Locations and Contact Information:**Main Campus, Big Rapids****College of Business****School of Digital Media**

(231) 591-2712 | burgor@ferris.edu | <https://www.ferris.edu/HTMLS/colleges/educatio/DigitalMedia/homepage.htm>

Select courses may be delivered online and/or in a mixed delivery format (i.e. a mix of online and face-to-face instruction at the Ferris Main Campus or at an off-campus location)

General Admission Criteria**Transfer Student**

- Must have a 2.0 GPA
- 12 credits

New Student Admission Requirements for incoming freshman refer to the Ferris Catalog. www.ferris.edu/catalog

Steps to Apply

1. Complete a free application at www.ferris.edu/apply.
2. Submit Official transcripts from every school attended to:
 - Ferris State University Admissions Office, 1201 S. State St, CSS 201, Big Rapids, MI 49307
 - Transfer@ferris.edu
3. Submit Test Scores (if required)
 - ACT Scores; go to www.act.org. Ferris State University School Code: 1994
 - SAT, CLEP and AP Scores; go to www.collegeboard.org. Ferris State University School Code: 1222

Advising Notes

It is recommended that potential applicants meet with an advisor to review the degree, course schedule, and have any questions answered prior to completing an application. Students who are completing the MTA may have different general education course requirements for the particular degree selected. Meeting with a Ferris advisor prior to the selection of general education or elective course work may reduce the chance of completing a course that will not apply toward the selected degree. Once admitted, students must continue to meet with an advisor as they work toward graduation.

Transfer Student Orientation

All new students to Ferris State University are required to complete an orientation.

Reverse Transfer Agreement

Lansing Community College and Ferris have entered into a partnership in order to work collaboratively and creatively to increase student completion of associate and bachelor’s degrees. The partners work together to provide a seamless transfer experience and increase student retention and completion at both Lansing Community College and Ferris.

Michigan Transfer Agreement (MTA)

Ferris participates in the Michigan Transfer Agreement (MTA). This agreement will facilitate the transfer of general education requirements from one Michigan institution to another. Students may complete the MTA as part of a degree program or as a stand-alone package. The MTA consists of a minimum of 30 general education credit hours as identified by the college or university.

Students transferring to Ferris with the Michigan Transfer Agreement (MTA) and entering a degree program will have met a 30-hour block of lower-level general education courses. However, this does not exempt students from completing program specific prerequisites or higher-level general education course requirements. Students should contact their advisor regarding classes that meet the MTA.

Students must work with their Ferris advisor to declare a Minor or Concentration and for selection of Directed Electives.

Original Signed Articulation Agreement

The original, signed document is kept on file in the Office of Transfer and Secondary School Partnerships. To obtain a copy of the original, signed document, contact the Office of Transfer and Secondary School Partnerships at (231) /591-5983 or email your request to otssp@ferris.edu.

This Agreement may be executed in counterparts, each of which shall be deemed an original, but all of which together shall be deemed to be one and the same agreement. A signed copy of this Agreement delivered by facsimile, e-mail, or other means of electronic transmission shall be deemed to have the same legal effect as delivery of an original signed copy of this Agreement.

Indemnification

To the extent permitted by law, Ferris State University and the Community College agree to indemnify and hold one another harmless from any and all claims initiated by student participants, their parents, survivors, or agents, arising from any negligent acts or omission on the part of either institution or any of their employees.

Articulation Agreement

Effective Dates: July 1, 2021 – July 1, 2024

This Agreement shall commence as of July 1, 2021 and shall be for an initial term of three years. Minor updates to the agreement may be made during this time. This agreement may be renewed at the end of three years. Either party may terminate this agreement by providing the other party with written notice of the intent to terminate the agreement. The agreement shall terminate not less than one hundred eighty (180) days from the date of the termination notice, unless otherwise agreed in writing by both parties.

Signatures

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