

## **POLICY TITLE: GRANTING OF ADDITIONAL ASSOCIATE DEGREES**

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### **I. Purpose**

The College recognizes that there are instances where students may require additional degrees for employment or for personal growth and satisfaction.

### **II. Scope**

This policy applies to any student who has received an associate degree from Lansing Community College or any other accredited community college

### **III. General**

Any student who has received an associate degree from Lansing Community College or any other accredited community college may be awarded a second associate degree subject to the following stipulations:

1. For each additional associate degree, a minimum of 10 semester credit hours must be completed at LCC in the division in which the degree is sought, non-repetitive of previously earned credits. (Note: The institutional associate degree requirement of 20 credits earned at LCC must be met by those students not receiving their first degree at LCC.)
2. All requirements for an associate degree in arts, applied arts, business, science, or applied science must be met.
3. The College's General Education Core requirements must be satisfied.
4. No additional degree will be granted in the same program or curriculum in which the first degree was earned.
5. An additional degree must be within a specific program or curriculum.
6. Exceptions to the above should be appealed to the office of the respective dean.

### **IV. Responsibility**

The College's Registrar is responsible for preparing procedures to implement this policy.