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Please accept this letter as an addendum to the original Orthotics and Prosthetic Program Articulation Agreements between First College and Century. Please attach signed copies to your original agreements.

Century College students who complete **both** the Orthotic Technology A.A.S. degree and Prosthetic Technology A.A.S. degree, by this addendum, will receive the following additional credits in transfer to Metropolitan State University:

- Additional 10 program credits (for a total of 50 program credits) to be included in the Focus of the Individualized Degree Plan in First College.
- First College will accept 4 credits of the 10 as applying toward the upper division requirement for graduation at Metropolitan State University.
- Any additional general education credits completed in the MnTC ten goal areas.
- Note: For students who only complete one program and degree, either Orthotics or Prosthetics, the original agreement remains in place.

Metropolitan State University

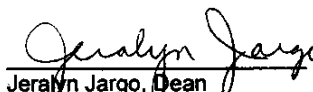


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**Century College  
and Metropolitan State University  
First College  
Articulation Agreement Regarding:  
Orthotic Technology A.A.S. Degree**

This agreement has been entered into by Century College and Metropolitan State University (First College) for the benefit of students and prospective students at the two institutions.

**The purpose of the agreement is to provide a pathway for students to pursue an Individualized Bachelor of Arts degree from Metropolitan State University (First College), and to insure programs of high academic quality, to encourage student achievement, to facilitate the transfer of course credits, and to provide a smooth transition from one related degree program to the other.**

Program Articulation

1. For graduation, students will need to complete a total of 124 semester credits including at least 40 upper division credits. A minimum of 30 semester credits must be completed while at Metropolitan State University.
2. The courses required for the Orthotic Technology A.A.S. Degree Program at Century College and their relationship to Metropolitan State requirements are listed in Attachment A.
3. Community college courses will be accepted toward meeting Metropolitan State University general education requirements consistent with Minnesota Transfer curriculum and goal areas.
4. All Metropolitan State students must complete eight upper-division credits of liberal studies course work.

Duration of Agreement


This agreement becomes effective upon the date it is signed and remains in effect until terminated by either party. It may be terminated or amended for succeeding academic years by either institution on or before June 30 of each year.


Persons Responsible/Evaluation


The Dean of First College at Metropolitan State University and the Dean of External Education and Health at Century College will be responsible for implementing this articulation agreement. Each institution will conduct an outcomes assessment, and the persons responsible will meet regularly to review the agreements.


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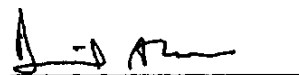
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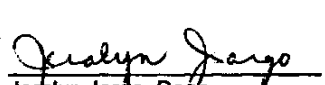
  
Wilson Bradshaw, President      2/20/06  
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Larry Litecky, President      1/23/06  
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William Love, Provost & Vice  
President, Academic Affairs      1/15/06  
Date

  
John O'Brien, Vice President,  
Academic Affairs      1/23/06  
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Daniel Abebe, Dean,  
First College      2/14/06  
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John Burton, Department  
Chair      2/14/06  
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Attachment A

**Orthotic Technology A.A.S. Degree  
Century College**

**Program Core Requirements:**

OrTe 1020 Introduction to the Orthotic Lab and Basic Hand Skills – 5 cr.  
OrTe 1030 Spinal Fabrication – 5 cr.  
OrTe 1040 Foot Orthotic Fabrication and Shoe Modification/Repair – 3 cr.  
OrTe 1050 Stirrup Layout and Fabrication – 3 cr.  
OrTe 1060 Ankle-Foot Orthosis Fabrication – 3 cr.  
OrTe 1070 Knee-Ankle-Foot Orthosis Fabrication – 5 cr.  
OrTe 2000 Leather Work for the A.F.O. and K.A.F.O. Orthosis – 4 cr.  
OrTe 2010 Thermo-Plastic Orthosis – 4 cr.  
OrTe 2020 Upper Limb Fabrication – 4 cr.  
OrTe 2780 Orthotic Technician Clinical – 4 cr.

**Total Requirements: 40 Credits**

**General Education Courses:**

Four MnTC credits beyond the minimums are needed to reach 24 credits. Students select general education coursework from the following goal areas:

**Goal 1 – Communication – 7 cr.**

**Goal 2 – Critical Thinking – Automatically fulfilled if other goal areas are met.**

**Goal 3 and/or Goal 4 – Science/Math/Logical Reasoning – 3 cr.**

**Goal 5 – History/Social and Behavioral Sciences – 3 cr.**

**Goal 6 – Humanities and Fine Arts – 3 cr.**

**Goals 7 – 10 – 3 credits in one of these four goal areas.**

**Total General Education: 24 Credits**

**Additional Requirements:**

Sufficient credits to total 64.

**Transfer of credits to Metropolitan State University will be accepted as follows:**

- 40 credits from the program core requirements and electives to be included in the First College individualized degree plan focus area.
- 24 General Education credits.
- Total accepted in transfer for the Associate in Applied Science Degree is 64 credits.

**Students admitted to First College must complete PRSP 301 Perspectives: Educational Philosophy and Planning and PRSP 499 First College Capstone as a part of their degree program.**