### Transfer Credit Guide

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#### MACRAO TRANSFER AGREEMENT
will be replaced by the Michigan Transfer Agreement (MTA) effective prior to Fall 2014.

This distribution of courses fulfills the MACRAO Transfer Agreement and will satisfy the University Program portion of the CMU bachelors’ degree for students who started following the MACRAO Transfer Agreement at their Michigan community college prior to Fall 2014. Please see your community college Registrar and request to have your transcript reviewed and designated as “MACRAO Satisfied”. Students may elect to follow the MTA.

**English Composition:** 6 Semester Credits
Two Written Communication courses

**Science/Math:** 8 Semester Credits
One Science course with a lab
Intermediate and/or College Algebra, and/or Geometry

**Humanities:** 8 Semester Credits
A minimum of 8 hours from at least two different disciplines

**Social Sciences:** 8 Semester Credits
A minimum of 8 hours from at least two different disciplines

**Minimum hours required to complete MACRAO Agreement:** 30

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#### MICHIGAN TRANSFER AGREEMENT (MTA)
The MTA replaces the MACRAO Agreement effective Fall 2014 and beyond.

This distribution of courses fulfills the MTA and will satisfy the University Program portion of the CMU bachelors’ degree at CMU for students who begin attending a Michigan community college beginning Fall 2014. Please see your community college Registrar and request to have your transcript reviewed and designated as “MTA Satisfied”. Only courses with a grade of “C” or better may be applied to the MTA requirements.

**Communication:** 2 Courses
One Written Communication course
One Written or Oral Communication course

**Natural Sciences:** 2 Courses
Two natural science courses from two different disciplines. One course must be a lab science course.

**Humanities and Fine Arts:** 2 Courses
Two humanities courses from two different disciplines (excluding studio and performance classes)

**Social Sciences:** 2 Courses
Two social science courses from two different disciplines

**Mathematics:** 1 Course
One entry-level college course as defined by the three pathways.

**Minimum hours required to meet MTA:** 30

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**Central Michigan Writing Intensive & Quantitative Reasoning Requirements**

**Effective Fall 2014,** CMU has implemented a Writing Intensive (12 semester hours) and Quantitative Reasoning requirement (3 semester hours). Please note that these requirements are for both transfer and incoming Freshman students.

Any Michigan community college student transferring to CMU with their transcript designated as “MACRAO Satisfied” or “MTA Satisfied” will be given six (6) semester hours of Writing Intensive course work. The remaining six (6) semester hours must be completed at CMU. The Quantitative Reasoning requirement may be satisfied through transfer credit.

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**General Notes**

- A grade of C- or better is required for a course to transfer.
- A bachelor’s degree requires a minimum of 124 semester hours of credit. CMU will accept community college transfer credits beyond the recommended 64 semester hours; however students will need to complete a minimum of 60 semester hours from an accredited 4-year-degree granting institution. A minimum of 40 hours must be completed at the 300 level or above. A minimum of 30 semester hours of credit must be earned from CMU.
- The University Program Requirements and competencies may be fulfilled by students who satisfy the MACRAO Agreement or the MTA
- Students are required to meet CMU Competency Requirements prior to reaching 56 credit hours. Competency requirements consist of: two Written English (composition) courses, one Oral English (communication) course, and one Mathematics course be completed with a grade of “C” or above.

Any remaining required and elective courses for a bachelor’s degree will be selected in consultation with an academic advisor to ensure that CMU degree requirements are being met.
GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS (30 – 32)
Composition (6)

**ENG 131 Writing Experience I (3)
**ENG 132 Writing Experience II (3)

Group I Humanities: (6 - 8)
Select from the following: ART 111, 112; ENG 210, 236, 246, 247, 249, 252, 254, 255, 256, 257; FRN 131, 132; GER 131, 132; HIS 120, 131, 132; HUM 131; MUS 130, 131, 132, 151, 152; PHL 231, 232, 243; SPN 131, 132, 231, 232

**MACRAO requires at least 6 credits from two subjects
MTA requires two courses from two subjects

Group II Social Sciences: (6 - 8)
Select additional courses from: Select from the following: ANT 131; CRJ 111, 117; ECO 131, 132; HIS 231, 232, 233; PSY 140, 152, 245, 251, 252, 290; PLS 141; SOC 117, 121, 231, 236, 246, 219, 229, 239, 249; SOC 201, 205, 209, 210, 220, 290

**MACRAO requires at least 6 credits from two subjects
MTA requires two courses from two subjects

Group III Natural Sciences: (4 - 8)
Select from the following: BIO 110, 132, 140, 158, 161, 162, 220, 231, 232, 253, 254; CEM 131, 132, 141, 142; BIL 109, 160; NSC 131; PHY 131, 150, 151, 231, 232, 251, 252

**MACRAO requires at least one lab science course
MTA requires two courses from two subjects. At least one must be a lab science course

Mathematics: (3 - 4)

**Select from the following: MAT 133, 135, 139, 141, 151, 154, 254

**Note: MAT 133 will transfer to CMU as a quantitative reasoning (QR) course. Students may not use the same course to meet math competency and QR competency at CMU.

Additional available courses
Select one of the following: (Oral Comm. Competency)

**COM 231 Communication Fundamentals (3)
**COM 234 Public Address (3)

**COMPTENCIES (24)
Writing Competency (18)
ENG 101 Freshman Composition (3)
ENG 201 Intermediate Composition (3)
Writing Intensive (12)

Quantitative Reasoning (3)
See CMU Admissions for courses that can be used to meet QR requirements

Oral English Competency (3)
Select one of the following: COM 101, 267, 269, 290, TAI 170, 302

UNIVERSITY PROGRAM (UP) REQUIREMENTS (27)

Group I – Humanities (6)
IA – Human Events and Ideas (3)
IB – The Arts (3)

Group II – Natural Sciences (6)
IIA – Descriptive Sciences (3)
IIB – Quantitative and Mathematical Sciences (3)

Group III – Social Sciences (6)
IIIA – Behavioral Sciences (3)
IIB – Studies in Social Structures (3)

Group IV – Studies in Global Cultures and Diversity (6)
IVA – Bulletins prior to Fall 2014 only
IVB – Studies in Global Cultures (3)
IVC – Studies in Racism & Cultural Diversity in the US (3)

UP Elective (3)

Minimum Totals for Graduation: 124
- See page 1 for additional graduation requirements
- See page 3 for Specialized Studies

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*CMU competency course requires a grade of "C" or better to satisfy the requirement.
**Preferred course selection and a required graduation requirement.
***MTA applicable courses require a grade of "C" or better to satisfy the requirement.

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IMPORTANT NOTES:

• It is strongly recommended that transfer students contact CMU early in their college career to ensure proper course sequencing for their major, optimizing course scheduling, and timely degree completion at CMU.

• University Program requirements can be fulfilled by completing MACRAO or MTA, verified with a transcript stamped MACRAO Satisfied or MTA Satisfied.

• CMU competencies, except Quantitative Reasoning, may be fulfilled by completing equivalent courses for ENG 101, ENG 201, MTH 107 or higher, and COM 101 or 357 with a C or higher. QR requirements may be fulfilled at CMU.

• Credit for 6 hours of Writing Intensive coursework will be awarded by completing MACRAO or MTA, verified with a transcript stamped MACRAO Satisfied or MTA Satisfied. The remaining 6 hours must be completed at CMU.

COUNSELOR/ADVISOR NOTES