

**ARTICULATION AGREEMENT**  
Between  
*Ferris State University*  
and  
*Lambton College of Applied Arts and Technology*  
For The  
*Bachelor of Applied Science Degree in  
Industrial Technology & Management*

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THIS ARTICULATION AGREEMENT (hereinafter “Agreement”) is entered into by Ferris State University, a Michigan constitutionally-created public institution of higher education, located in Big Rapids, Michigan 49307 (hereinafter “Ferris”) and Lambton College of Applied Arts and Technology (hereinafter “Lambton College”) on this 20<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2006.

*RECITALS*

WHEREAS, Ferris is a Michigan public university with its main campus located in Big Rapids, Michigan, and offers a Bachelors of Applied Science degree in Industrial Technology and Management (hereinafter the “Bachelors Program”); and,

WHEREAS, Lambton College is a Canadian post-secondary college located in Sarnia, Ontario, Canada, and offering diplomas, advanced diplomas, and applied technology degrees (hereinafter the “Programs”); and,

WHEREAS, The Lambton College Programs include courses that may be applied toward the Ferris Bachelors Program; and,

WHEREAS, Ferris and Lambton College desire to collaborate to provide opportunities for continued education to the Lambton College graduates of the Programs through the Ferris Bachelors Program;

*AGREEMENT*

NOW THEREFORE, the parties, desiring to articulate the nature of their collaboration, hereby agree to the following terms:

1. Lambton students who graduate from the Programs with a cumulative grade point average of not less than a 2.50 on a 4.00 scale and a math grade point average of not less than 2.50 on a 4.00 scale (hereinafter the “qualified student”) or a qualified student who has earned a minimum of 56 transferable credits may apply to the Bachelors Program at Ferris. If the qualified student is admitted to Ferris for the Bachelors Program, Ferris shall permit the qualified student to transfer all credits in the Programs toward the Bachelors Program for those courses that the qualified student received a grade of C (or a 2.00 on a 4.00 scale) or higher, and for those courses

that the qualified student received a grade of Pass (hereinafter a “Pass”) for a course completed on a Pass or Fail basis, provided, however, that Lambton’s definition of a Pass does not include the equivalent of a grade lower than a grade of C (or a 2.00 on a 4.00 scale). Ferris will not grant transfer credit to courses wherein the qualified student earned less than a C (or a 2.00 on a 4.00 scale) or earned a Fail.

2. Ferris and Lambton College establish their own admissions requirements and recognize and respect each other’s autonomy in establishing such requirements. Although qualified students from Lambton College may meet the academic admissions requirements for Ferris, such qualified students may not be otherwise eligible for admission to Ferris. Ferris and Lambton College recognize that Ferris may refuse admission to any person who does not meet all admissions requirements set by Ferris.

3. Attached hereto, and made a part hereof, is a two page transfer guide for the Bachelors Program (hereinafter the “Articulation Guide”), setting forth the Bachelors Program prerequisites, including the course equivalencies for the Ferris Bachelors Program that are the subject of transfer from Lambton College to Ferris by qualified students. The Articulation Guide is subject to programmatic review and periodic change by Ferris and Lambton College. Ferris and Lambton College will communicate regularly, but not less than once every year, regarding any required programmatic changes, and shall inform each other in writing of the impact of any programmatic changes on the Articulation Guide prior to the implementation of any programmatic changes.

4. The courses delivered by Ferris to complete this Bachelors program will be delivered in Port Huron, Michigan. Canadian students interested in participating in this program must apply to Ferris as international students. International student applications are available online at: [www.ferris.edu/international](http://www.ferris.edu/international). A complete application will include official transcripts, confidential financial statement, and original bank statement. Although full time status is not currently required for international students who commute 75 miles or less, each international student must be admitted as F-1 international students and is required to obtain a SEVIS I-20 document from Ferris each semester of enrollment.

5. The in-state rate of tuition will be charged to Canadian commuter students attending this program at the Port Huron location.

6. This Agreement shall be for an initial term of three (3) years, and shall be automatically renewed for additional one (1) year terms for not more than an additional three (3) years, unless Ferris or Lambton College terminate this Agreement in accordance with the terms of this Agreement, or unless either party is in material breach of any term in this Agreement. Ferris or Lambton College may terminate this Agreement by providing the other party with written notice, by first class mail, of the termination of 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 the parties.

5. This Agreement is intended solely for the mutual benefit of the parties hereto, and there is no intention, express or otherwise, to create any rights or interests for any party or person

other than Ferris and Lambton College. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing, no rights are intended to be created for any student, qualified student, as defined herein, parent or guardian of any student, or employer or prospective employer of any student.

6. No amendment or modification to this Agreement, including any amendment or modification of this paragraph, shall be effective unless the same is in writing and signed by the party to be charged.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have executed this Agreement as of the day and year written in the preamble to this Agreement.

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