

ARTICULATION AGREEMENT

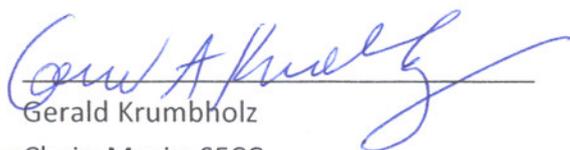
Letter of Agreement
Western Washington University
Spokane Falls Community College
2010-2014

To support students interested in a baccalaureate degree in music (BM or BA), Spokane Falls Community College offers an AFA (Associate of Fine Arts) in Music. To create a seamless transition from Spokane Falls Community College to four-year institutions, SFCC establishes and maintains articulation agreements. Please note: the AFA degree in Music is like any other degree at SFCC; it does *not* guarantee admission to a four-year institution. *The purpose of an articulation agreement is to establish the terms of transfer for students who apply and are admitted to a four-year institution based on that institution's admission standards.*

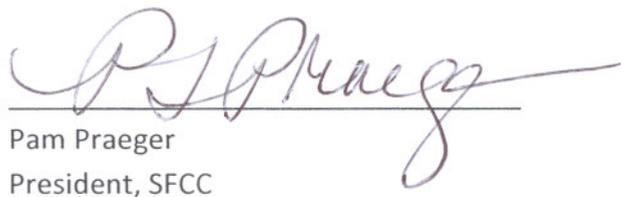
Students with an earned AFA in Music from SFCC who are admitted to WWU and WWU's Music program (pursuing a BM or BA) will transfer as follows:

- I. Contingent upon sufficient scores earned on proficiency exams in theory, keyboard and aural skills, students will transfer 30 credits of music theory (Theory I-VI) and 12 credits of class piano (Piano I-VI). These courses will be accepted as equivalent to Western Washington's two year music theory, aural & keyboard sequence. WWU's two-year sequence is 24-27 credits. SFCC students—who will have completed 42 credits total—will transfer with 24-27 credits in music and with the remaining credits (15-18) in General Electives. Proficiency exams may be taken at SFCC, proctored by SFCC music faculty in conversation with, and using agreed upon materials from, WWU music faculty.
- II. 6 credits of applied instruction in music and 12 credits in music ensemble.
- III. 40 credits General University Requirements consistent with the Western Washington University Transfer Guide for non-DTA applicants from SFCC.
- IV. AFA transfers will be accepted into third year studies as Bachelor of Arts of Music *without* an entrance audition, *unless* they wish to continue at WWU to take Applied Instruction.
- V. AFA transfers will be accepted into third year studies as Bachelor of Music (Performance, Composition, or History & Literature) contingent upon audition.

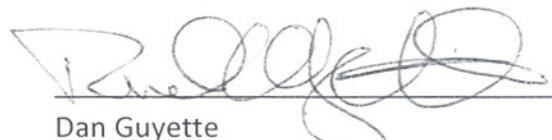
- VI. This articulation agreement will be reviewed every four years. If either party chooses to discontinue the agreement, parties will honor the agreement for any student who satisfies all three of the following conditions: A) has started on the AFA track at SFCC prior to the notice of a discontinuation of the agreement; B) is on schedule to, and does, graduate from the Falls in two years or less; C) has identified WWU as a transfer destination.
- VII. To ensure the success of AFA Music transfers at WWU, faculty of music at SFCC will review and discuss annually with WWU music faculty WWU's Music Department's expectations and standards.


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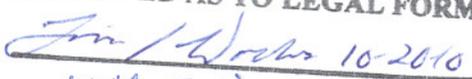

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