### Articulation Agreement between Goddard College and Brookdale Community College

# Purpose

The objective of this agreement is to promote the transfer of graduates of the Brookdale Community College Humanities Program Associate of Arts Degree - Creative Writing Option to the Goddard College Low-Residency Bachelor of Fine Arts in Creative Writing Program.

## Admissions Requirements:

- 1. Goddard College will accept into its B.F.A. in Creative Writing Program, Brookdale Community College Humanities Program-A.A. Degree-Creative Writing Option graduates who have completed 60 transferable credits, based on the transfer credit policy of Goddard College (see Appendix A).
- 2. Brookdale Community College graduates will submit the following application materials to the Goddard College Admissions Office for review:
  - A completed application form
  - Official Brookdale Community College transcripts (also official transcripts from previously attended schools, if applicable)
  - Application Essays as outlined on the application form

These materials are necessary for successful matriculation into Goddard College undergraduate programs; specifically, for assigning faculty advisors and academic advising on the part of Goddard College faculty and staff.

In addition, all students transferring to Goddard College from Brookdale Community College under the terms of this agreement will schedule and complete a personal interview with a member of the Goddard College Admissions staff. This can be a phone interview or attendance at Discover Goddard Day. Its primary purpose is to assure that Goddard College is a good academic fit for the prospective student from Brookdale Community College.

## **Curriculum and Graduation Requirements**

1. Brookdale Community College graduates who enroll at Goddard College with between 60 and 74 credits accepted in transfer will matriculate as first-semester, third-year undergraduate students.

- Brookdale Community College students admitted to Goddard College undergraduate programs will be required, as are all Goddard College graduates, to fulfill all Bachelor of Fine Arts degree requirements, a College Undergraduate Progress Review and Senior Study before the Bachelor of Fine Arts degree will be conferred.
- 3. To be eligible for admission to Goddard College under the terms of this agreement, Brookdale Community College graduates who enroll at Goddard College will be guaranteed the transfer of credit for courses whose grades are C or better. (Courses with grades C- or lower do not transfer.) If the transfer is more than two years after the completion of the Brookdale Community College Associate Degree, Goddard College reserves the right to review the courses and their academic content.
- 4. Brookdale Community College A.A.Degree students will be held to the policies that are in effect at the time they are admitted to Goddard College.
- 5. The Goddard College Undergraduate Student Handbook, Undergraduate Curriculum Guide, along with the B.F.A.Handbook Addendum, provide further information regarding degree requirements. Students considering transfer to Goddard College are encouraged to communicate this intention as early as possible to a Brookdale Community College advisor and the Goddard College B.F.A. in Creative Writing Program Director.
- 6. Review of this agreement shall take place between Goddard College and Brookdale Community College every three years starting in September 1, 2012. Goddard College and Brookdale Community College will inform one another of changes in course or degree requirements in conjunction with the triennial review and revise the articulation agreements as needed during this period.

## Appendix A

Brookdale Community College Humanities Program A.A. Degree - Creative Writing Option Degree Requirements:

Associate in Arts (A.A.)	
Communications	(9 cr)
Humanities	(9 cr)
Social Sciences	(6 cr)
*Mathematics	(3-8 cr)
*Sciences	(4-8 cr)
Tech. or Info. Literacy	(0-4 cr)
History	(6 cr)
Cultural & Global Awareness	(3 cr)
**Major/Program of Study	(12 cr)
Elective	(3 cr.)
Total Credits	60 credits

\*Goddard College requires the equivalent of 3 courses in Math and Science (at least one of each). Students should complete degree requirements in math and science before entering the B.F.A. program. Those who have not completed this requirement may need to do so between Goddard College semesters.

### \*\*Major/Program of Study

(12 cr) as follows:

### **Career Studies – 6-9 Credits**

ENGL 221 Creative Writing, ENGL 223 Poetry Writing Workshop ENGL 224 Fiction Writing Workshop ENGL 227 Creative Non-Fiction Workshop

### Career Studies – 3-6 credits

ENGL 128 Writing from the Female Experience ENGL 156 Introduction to Poetry ENGL 158 Introduction to Literature ENGL 168 Contemporary Plays ENGL 228 Screenwriting Basics Workshop ENGL 265 Children's Literature