

**TRANSFER PATHWAYS AGREEMENT**

**BETWEEN**

**GENESEE COMMUNITY COLLEGE**

**AND**

**CAZENOVIA COLLEGE**

**NOVEMBER 2017**

This agreement establishes a pathway to transfer between Genesee Community College and Cazenovia College. Genesee Community College students are, upon completion of a directed sequence of coursework leading to an associate degree from Genesee Community College, guaranteed admission to Cazenovia College at junior status. A full-time student can complete the specific Cazenovia College degree in two years, as long as the required course work is followed with the minimum passing grades.

### **OBJECTIVES**

1. To provide a pathway for qualified Genesee Community College students to pursue a bachelor's degree at Cazenovia College while maintaining the integrity of GCC's academic programs and the State University of New York's completion initiative.
2. To recognize the academic preparation and achievements of GCC, applying eligible course credit to the student's program of study at Cazenovia College.
3. To provide the student clear and realistic recommendations in regards to course selection.

### **TERMS**

To qualify under this program:

1. Students must have a minimum of a 2.5 cumulative grade point average for acceptance to Cazenovia College. Students below the 2.5 minimum average may be considered for conditional acceptance.
2. Students must have earned or be on target to earn an associate degree from GCC in the specified partnered program. Students will provide an official final GCC transcript indicating completion of the degree.
3. Coursework with a grade of "C-" or higher will transfer.
4. Students who complete a specified associate-to-bachelor degree partnership, and who have followed the recommended guidelines as stated in the transfer pathway guide, will enter Cazenovia College at junior status.
5. Traditionally, transfer students who complete an associate degree will have completed many of the 100/200-level general education requirements upon enrolling at Cazenovia College. Coursework at the 300/400 level will be completed at Cazenovia College although certain exceptions apply.
6. It is strongly recommended that students complete a second English Writing course prior to transferring to Cazenovia College. If a second course has not been completed (grade of "C" or higher), the student will be required to complete EN201: Academic Writing II during their first semester at Cazenovia College.

### **STUDENT ACADEMIC ADVISEMENT**

Genesee Community College staff and faculty in cooperation with Cazenovia College assume responsibility for advising students who enter into the agreement. Transfer Pathway guides will be used to communicate degree requirements to students, including recommendations for course selection. While these guides will be reviewed once per year for necessary revisions, any changes to coursework or academic curriculum will warrant an immediate revision.

Genesee Community College's Transfer Coordinator and Cazenovia College's Associate Director of Transfer Admissions will be designated as contact persons and coordinators of the agreement.

**TRANSFER ADMISSION**

Students are encouraged to apply for admission to Cazenovia College at the start of their final semester at Genesee. The application fee for students seeking admission in accordance with the agreement will be waived and the application will be given priority status.

***Recommended Application Deadlines:***

While Cazenovia College practices rolling admission, the following recommended deadlines should be considered when applying for admission through this agreement.

*Fall - January 30<sup>th</sup>*

*Spring - September 30<sup>th</sup>*

**BACCALAUREATE DEGREE PROGRAMS**

*The following academic programs are acceptable for the Transfer Pathways Agreement between Genesee Community College and Cazenovia College.*

**GENESEE COMMUNITY COLLEGE**

**CAZENOVIA COLLEGE**

Fashion Business: Fashion Design (A.A.S.)	Fashion Design (B.F.A.)
Fashion Business: Fashion Merchandising Management (A.A.S.)	Management: Fashion Merchandising (B.P.S.)

***Course Selection:***


Students should utilize the accompanying Transfer Pathway guide to determine the courses that are acceptable within the terms of this agreement. In the event a recommended course is unavailable or there are extenuating circumstances where a student is unable to enroll, the student or student advisor should communicate directly with Cazenovia College to confirm an acceptable substitution.

***Additional Options for Transfer Students:***

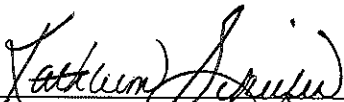
In addition to these specific academic program partnerships, Cazenovia College recognizes the achievements and goals of all students and will consider students wishing to transfer from all accredited programs to Cazenovia College. Students may inquire about options by contacting Cazenovia College's Office of Admissions.

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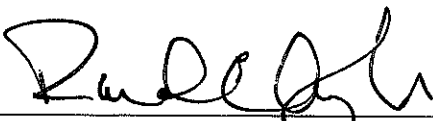
*This Agreement shall remain in force from the date on which it is signed until such time as either institution elects to terminate it. Termination by either institution will be announced with sufficient anticipation to assure any students enrolled in the program the opportunity to be admitted to Cazenovia College under its terms.*

  
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James Sunser, E.D.  
President


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