



### Admission Agreement

This Admission Agreement ("Agreement") dated February 10, 2022, is between QUINSIGAMOND COMMUNITY COLLEGE, an educational corporation formed under the laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts with its principal office located at 670 W Boylston St, Worcester, Massachusetts, 01606 (hereafter referred to as "Quinsigamond Community College" or "QCC"), and NORTHEASTERN UNIVERSITY, a non-profit institution organized under the laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts with its principal office at 360 Huntington Avenue, Boston, MA 02115 (hereafter referred to as "Northeastern").

It is agreed by and between Quinsigamond Community College and Northeastern, for the mutual consideration and covenants herein contained, as follows:

1. Quinsigamond Community College and Northeastern hereby agree to an admissions arrangement as set forth in this Agreement, whereby QCC graduates may be eligible to complete a Bachelor's degree at Northeastern's College of Professional Studies (CPS). Academic programs included in this agreement are identified below. This arrangement is referred to as the Community College Pathway ("Transfer Pathway").
2. The aligned academic programs included in this agreement include
  - a. Computer Information Systems-Enterprise to Information Technology
  - b. Computer Information Systems-Health Information to Information Technology
  - c. Computer Information Systems-Transfer to Information Technology
  - d. Electronics Engineering Technology-Mechatronics to Mechatronics
  - e. Manufacturing Technology to Advanced Manufacturing
3. Terms and conditions of the Transfer Pathway are set forth in detail in Appendix A of this Agreement ("Transfer Pathway Terms"). The Transfer Pathway Terms, as updated and amended from time to time, are incorporated in this Agreement by reference. All courses must be completed in accordance with each institution's academic standards and requirements, as published in the respective current catalog of each institution and set forth in any other applicable materials published by each institution, including the Transfer Pathway Terms.
4. To be eligible for the Transfer Pathway, students must (a) successfully complete an Associate degree program at Quinsigamond Community College; and (b) fulfill the prerequisites for the chosen program and be duly admitted through a transfer admissions

process as set forth herein and in the Transfer Pathway Terms. Northeastern retains full discretion to make the final decision on each student's application, and admission is not guaranteed. Northeastern reserves the right to rescind an offer of acceptance if the student is no longer considered in good academic or disciplinary standing between the time of acceptance and matriculation.

5. Quinsigamond Community College graduates accepted into Northeastern may transfer up to 64 semester-hours of credit from an accredited two-year college and are subject to the graduation requirements of the Northeastern catalog and other published standards issued by Northeastern in the year of matriculation. In addition, QCC graduates are subject to changes that may be required to meet accreditation standards, including, but not limited to, those established by the New England Commission of Higher Education (NECHE) or those determined by Northeastern faculty as warranted to ensure a quality educational program.
6. Both institutions agree that they will communicate at the beginning of each fall term to discuss recruiting, entrance requirements, and any other concerns that either may have about the affiliation. Other communications between them may be scheduled as needs arise. Each party agrees that it will notify the other party as soon as possible of any changes to its programs that will impact this Agreement. Each institution shall provide the other with advance copies of, and an opportunity to correct or revise, any written materials that it intends to publish to describe the terms of this Agreement.
7. Both Northeastern and Quinsigamond Community College agree to make information available about the Transfer Pathway available to prospective students on the admissions pages of their website. Either party may advertise the arrangement described in this Agreement to its students, prospective students, and alumni through print, online, and interactive marketing materials such as fliers, websites, and other advertisements, subject to the guidelines and restrictions further described in this Agreement.
  - a. Each party shall provide the other with a high-resolution logo file and hereby grants the other license to use the name and/or logo as set forth above.
  - b. Use of the Northeastern name shall be "Northeastern University" in all communications. Shortened versions such as "Northeastern," "NU" or "CPS" shall not be used.
  - c. Use of the Quinsigamond Community College name shall be "Quinsigamond Community College" in all communications.
8. Neither institution shall use the name, logo, likeness, trademark, image *or* other intellectual property of the other for advertising, marketing, endorsement or any other purpose without the specific prior written consent of an authorized representative of the other Institution with respect to each such use.


9. Quinsigamond Community College students admitted under this agreement will be automatically granted the community college Transfer Pathway discount. Information on the scholarship will be made available to prospective students on the Northeastern website. Northeastern will share information on this scholarship with Quinsigamond Community College by June 30 of every year.
10. This Agreement shall continue for three years from the date of final signature unless terminated earlier by either party as provided herein. Either institution may terminate this Agreement in any year, without cause, provided that the terminating institution has given the other institution written notice at least 90 days prior to the effective date of such termination and further provided that no such termination shall adversely affect any student then attending or accepted by Northeastern pursuant to the terms of this Agreement.
11. The Agreement shall be interpreted under and governed by the laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, without regard to its conflict of laws principles.
12. The parties agree that this Agreement embodies all of the agreements made by and between them, and supersedes any prior agreements and understandings, with regard to the acceptance of QCC graduates into Northeastern. Any modifications or amendments to this Agreement must be in writing and executed by both parties in order to be effective.

*[Signature page immediately follows]*

This Agreement has been executed by a duly authorized representative of each party as of the day and year first above written.


**Quinsigamond Community College**


**Northeastern University**


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 Coordinator of Transfer & Articulation

## **Appendix A**

Terms and Conditions of the Transfer Pathway:

To be admitted to a Northeastern Bachelor's Completion Program, a student must submit:

- A completed online transfer application: [northeastern.edu/cps-apply now](http://northeastern.edu/cps-apply-now)
- Official college transcripts demonstrating completion of an AA/AS degree, or
  - o Official college transcripts showing that the student is registered and enrolled in their last academic term pending completion of their degree
- Transcripts reflecting a minimum cumulative GPA of at least 2.0.
- Official English Language Proficiency scores for students whose primary language is not English. These are required ONLY if student has not completed an AA/AS degree or two years of study (60 credits) at a U.S. institution.

These admissions requirements may be updated from time to time; for the latest admissions requirements, please visit [northeastern.edu/commcollege-transfer](http://northeastern.edu/commcollege-transfer).

Quinsigamond Community College, AS Mechatronics			Northeastern University College of Professional Studies, BS in Mechatronics		
<b>Semester 1 –(14 credits)</b>					
ELT 103	Electronics I	4	EET 2005	Circuits AC/DC/Elective	4
ELT 121	Digital Circuits	4	EET 3300	Digital Logic/ Elective	4
ENG 101	Composition I	3	ENG 1105	College Writing I	3
MAT 123 <i>OR</i> MAT 147	College Mathematics I:Pre-Calculus <i>OR</i> Mathematics for Technicians I	3	MTH 1990 <i>OR</i> MTH 2120	Elective <i>OR</i> Technical Math I	3
<b>Semester 2 –(18 credits)</b>					
CSC 141	Windows Client Operating Systems	4	ITC 1200/ITC 1990	Operating Systems (3)/Elective (1)	4
ELT 104	Electronics II	4	EET 3100/ EET 3101	Electronics I/Lab	4
ELT 130	Embedded Microcontrollers	4	EET 2990	Elective	4
ENG 102 <i>OR</i> ENG 105	Composition II <i>OR</i> Technical Writing	3	ENG 1107 <i>OR</i> TCC 2200	College Writing II <i>OR</i> Intro to Technical Writing	3
MAT 124 <i>OR</i> MAT 148	College Mathematics II:Trigonometry <i>OR</i> Mathematics for Technicians II	3	MTH 1200 <i>OR</i> MTH 1100	Precalculus <i>OR</i> College Algebra	3
<b>Semester 3 –(16 credits)</b>					
CPS 298	Pre Cooperative Education Seminar	0		<b>Non Transferable</b>	0
CSC 234	Networking Technologies	4	ITC 2990	Elective	4
ELM 251	Instrumentation and Control Technology	4	EET 2990	Elective	4
ELM 257	Introduction to Programmable Logic Controllers	4	AVM 4150/AVM 1990	Automation/ Elective	4
	Lab Science Elective <b>(Suggested: PHY 101-Physics I)</b>	4	PHY 1200/1201	Physics I/ Lab	4
<b>Semester 4 – Spring (17 credits)</b>					
EET 299	Cooperative Work Experience	3		<b>Non Transferable</b>	0
ELM 258	Mechatronic Systems	4	AVM 4100/AVM 1990	Mechatronics/Elective	4
ELM 260	Industrial Robotics	4	CET 4210/ CET 1990	Robotics/Elective	4
	Liberal Arts Elective <b>(Suggested: SOC 101-Intro to Sociology)</b>	3	SOC 1100	Introduction to Sociology	3
	Social Science Elective <b>(Suggested: ECO 215 Prin. of Macroeconomics)</b>	3	ECN 1200	Principles of Macroeconomics	3
<b>62 Credits will be transferred to Northeastern</b>					

### Courses to be taken at CPS

<b>General Foundation</b>			
<b>Course Number</b>	<b>Title</b>	<b>Credits</b>	<b>Pre-Requisites</b>
ENG 3105	Writing for the Professions-Sci and Eng	3	ENG 1105 + ENG 1106 ; co-requisite ENG 3106
ENG 3106	Lab for Writing for the Professions-Sci and Eng	1	ENG 1105 + ENG 1106; co-requisite ENG 3105
CMN 1100	Organizational Communication	3	
ITC 3620	Legal and Ethical Issues in Cybersecurity	3	
<b>General Foundation Total</b>		<b>10</b>	
<b>Major Foundation</b>			
MTH 2100	Calculus I	3	
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MTH 3300	Applied Probability and Statistics	3	
GET 1150	Foundations of Engineering Graphics and Design	3	
GET 2100	Computer Engineering Programming and Analysis	3	
MET 3300	Engineering Materials Science	3	
<b>Major Foundation Total</b>		<b>18</b>	
<b>Major Required Courses</b>			
CET 2100	Essentials of Computer Organization	3	
CET 2200	Data Structures and Algorithms	3	
CET 3100	Computer Networking and Communications Technology	3	
EET 3750	Linear Systems	3	
EET 3800	Control Systems	3	
MET 2100	Mechanics 1: Statics	3	
MET 2200	Mechanics 2: Dynamics	3	
MET 4100	Mechanical Engineering Systems Design	3	
EET 3200	Electronics 2	3	
EET 3201	Lab for EET 3200	1	
MET 2000	Engineering Computer Aided Design and Tolerance Analysis	3	
AVM 4250	Hydraulics and Pneumatics	3	
GET 4840	Engineering Technology Capstone Project Preparation and Proposal	3	
GET 4850	Engineering Technology Capstone Project Execution	3	
<b>Major Required Courses Total</b>		<b>40</b>	
<b>Open Electives Total</b>		<b>0</b>	
<b>Credits to be taken at CPS</b>		<b>68</b>	
<b>Total Credits completed for CPS BS Mechatronics</b>		<b>130</b>	