ARTICULATION AGREEMENT
Between
EDINBORO UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA
And
PRECISION MANUFACTURING INSTITUTE
For the Associate of Applied Technology

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WHEREAS, Precision Manufacturing Institute (hereafter “PMI”) offers diploma programs in
applied technology; and

WHEREAS, Edinboro University of Pennsylvania (hereafter “EUP”) offers an Associate of
Applied Science Degree in Applied Technology; and

WHEREAS, both institutions desire to facilitate the transfer of students between the diploma
programs at PMI and the Associate of Applied Science Degree in Applied Technology at EUP;

NOW THEREFORE, PMI and EUP officially confirm the following terms of this Agreement:

1. **Admission of Transfer Student.** Prior to matriculation at EUP, the PMI student
   confirms the intent to enroll by completing the EUP admissions application.
   Conversely, the EUP student wishing to complete the A.A.S. coursework prior to
   enrolling in one of the approved diploma programs at PMI confirms the intent to transfer
to PMI by completing the PMI application and competency tests.

2. **Acceptance into Associate of Applied Science Program.** EUP will acknowledge the
   student’s intent to enroll and the student must submit appropriate advanced deposits that
   will be credited toward the first semester fees. Students opting to complete all EUP
coursework and then transfer to PMI will receive the A.A.S. degree from EUP once all
requirements at both institutions are met.

3. **Student Transcript.** The student must forward an official final PMI transcript verifying
   program completion to EUP. Costs associated with the transcript will be paid by the
   student. Students completing the EUP coursework prior to completing the diploma
   program at PMI must forward an official EUP transcript to PMI, and costs associated
   with the transcript will be paid by the student.

4. **Academic Policies and Requirements.** The student while enrolled either at PMI or
   EUP shall comply with each school’s academic policies and requirements. However, the
   specific academic policies/degree requirements in effect for the Associate of Applied
   Science degree as awarded by EUP will be as such exists at the time of the student’s
   enrollment into the program.
5. **Discipline Policies.** The student while enrolled either at PMI or EUP shall comply with each school’s discipline policies and requirements.

6. **Transfer Credits and Associate of Applied Science Degree Completion.** Students will have the opportunity to transfer PMI coursework equivalent to as many as 27 EUP required credits, depending on the program completed at PMI (Exhibit A). Students who complete all EUP coursework prior to transferring to PMI to complete the diploma program will be exempt from specific courses at PMI (Exhibit B).

7. **University Representatives/Monitors.** Representatives from both PMI and EUP will be appointed to evaluate the Agreement in operation.

8. **Other Mutual Terms and Conditions.** Edinboro University’s Mutual Terms and Conditions are attached and made part of this Agreement, see Appendix A.

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**EXHIBIT A**

**ARTICULATED COURSEWORK**

Upon meeting the terms of this Articulation Agreement, students will receive the following credit for these diploma programs:

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<th>PMI Program Completed</th>
<th>EUP Courses (credits)</th>
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<tr>
<td>CNC/Machinist (1,032 clock hours)</td>
<td>27 credits</td>
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<td>CNC Operator (560 clock hours)</td>
<td>15 credits</td>
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<td>Mechatronics Technology (996 clock hours)</td>
<td>24 credits</td>
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<tr>
<td>Electric Arc Welding (560 clock hours)</td>
<td>15 credits</td>
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**EXHIBIT B**

**COURSE EXEMPTIONS**

**PMI Course Exempted if taken previously at EUP**

Technical Math I

Basic Computer Operations
APPENDIX A

MUTUAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS

a. Term of Agreement. The term of this Agreement shall be five (5) years from the date of execution. Students must enroll at EUP within five calendar years of their graduation from PMI to take advantage of the provisions of this agreement. Students graduating prior to five years before their enrollment at EUP will have their credits reviewed by the EUP Physics & Technology department.

b. Termination of Agreement. The University may terminate this Agreement for any reason with ninety (90) days notice. Either party may terminate this Agreement in the event of a substantial breach. However, should the University terminate this Agreement prior to the completion of an academic semester, all students enrolled at that time may continue their educational experience until it would have been concluded absent the termination.

c. Nondiscrimination. The parties agree to continue their respective policies of nondiscrimination based on Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 in regard to sex, age, race, color, creed, national origin, Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972 and other applicable laws, as well as the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act.

d. Interpretation of the Agreement. The laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania shall govern this Agreement.

e. Modification of Agreement. This Agreement shall only be modified in writing with the same formality as the original Agreement.

f. Relationship of Parties. The relationship between the parties to this Agreement to each other is that of independent contractors. The relationship of the parties to this contract to each other shall not be construed to constitute a partnership, joint venture or any other relationship, other than that of independent contractors.

g. Liability. Neither of the parties shall assume any liabilities to each other. As to liability to each other or death to persons, or damages to property, the parties do not waive any defense as a result of entering into this contract. This provision shall not be construed to limit the Commonwealth’s rights, claims or defenses which arise as a matter of law pursuant to any provisions of this contract. This provision shall not be construed to limit the sovereign immunity of the Commonwealth or of the State System of Higher Education or the University.

h. Entire Agreement. This Agreement represents the entire understanding between the parties. No other prior or contemporaneous oral or written understandings or promises exist in regard to this relationship.
This articulation agreement is effective upon signature of University Legal Counsel.

Signatures for Edinboro University of Pennsylvania:

Julie E. Wollman, President

Michael J. Hannan, Interim Provost
and Vice President for Academic Affairs

4/2/13

University Legal Counsel

Signatures for Precision Manufacturing Institute:

Chuck Guiste, Executive Director

Jon DeArment, Chairman, Board of Directors