#### **Credit Recognition**

between

# University of the West of England, Bristol

and

## National Taiwan Normal University

## 1. Recognition of academic credit to achieve a UWE Bristol award and a NTNU-Arts award

1.1 Students accepted and enrolled on one of the NTNU- Arts programmes; M.F.A. Fine Art, M.D. Design, or M.A. Art History and who achieve at least 9 credits and complete 4 semesters at NTNU, will be eligible to apply to UWE Bristol to complete one of the following programmes: MA Graphic Arts, MA Design or MA Multidisciplinary Printmaking. Each institution may accept up to a maximum of 3 students per semester.

1.2 Students who achieve 180 credits (full programme) at UWE Bristol can receive the UWE Bristol award. Students who completed the minimum total credit hours for graduation at NTNU, and pass a final thesis defense to demonstrate mastery of fundamental principles of the work included in their course of study through a thesis project under the direction of the student's advisor(s) at NTNU-Arts and approved by NTNU- Arts thesis committee can receive the NTNU- Arts award. NTNU- Arts students will be assigned 1 academic advisor by NTNU- Arts and NTNU requires the thesis and oral examination to

be approved by NTNU-Arts thesis committee and oral examination committee.

- 1.3 Students who completed the graduation requirements of both UWE Bristol and NTNU can receive the UWE Bristol and NTNU-Arts degree award.
- 1.4 Students will be subject to the academic regulations of the host institution at which they are studying. To be eligible for an award, students must meet the requirements for that award as set out in the home institution's academic regulations. Any student

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withdrawing from a programme prior to completion will be subject to the withdrawal policy and regulations of the host institution. Any student withdrawing from a UWE Bristol programme who has not successfully passed all of the requirements for one of the masters programmes may be eligible to receive an interim award.

1.5 Credit recognition is recognition by NTNU-Arts of academic credit for students who have completed a programme at UWE Bristol. To be granted a Master's degree from NTNU-Arts, students should finish at least 1/3 credit hours of the graduation requirements of NTNU-Arts. Any credit transferred from UWE Bristol to NTNU-Arts for the purpose of awarding an NTNU programme, will need to be recognised by the department the student is enrolled with.

## 2. <u>UWE Bristol English Language Entry Requirements</u>

2.1 The current UWE Bristol English Language entry requirements are detailed at <u>http://www1.uwe.ac.uk/comingtouwe/internationalstudents/internationalstudyatuwe/englishlanguagerequirements.aspx</u> UWE Bristol English Language entry requirements are subject to change.

## 3. Fees and Scholarship Details

- 3.1 Current tuition fees for Students studying at UWE Bristol for any year are detailed at: <u>http://www1.uwe.ac.uk/students/feesandfunding/tuitionfees.aspx</u>. The tuition fees detailed on this webpage are provided as a guide only. The fee level is subject to change each academic year. NTNU- Arts will impose tuition fees on students at the standard rate for international students.
- 3.2 Information regarding available scholarship and bursary schemes for Students studying at UWE Bristol is summarised at <a href="http://www1.uwe.ac.uk/students/feesandfunding/fundingandscholarships/internationalstudentfunding/uweinternationalstudentfunding/uweinternatips/internatips/internationalstudentfunding/uweinternationalstu

- 3.3 A partnership scholarship of £3500 will be awarded to NTNU- Arts students who apply through this agreement and who enrol on-MA Graphic Arts, MA Design or MA Multidisciplinary Printmaking at UWE Bristol. The partnership scholarship is given as a tuition fee remission.
- 3.3 Students will be responsible for the cost of their education during each institution (including application fees and students' fees at each Institution as applicable) as well as all travel/ transportation and personal expenses and living costs. NTNU- Arts students need to enroll at NTNU while studying at UWE Bristol.

#### **Application Process**

All students must apply through the regular application process of the Host Institution and meet entry requirements of the Host Institution. This agreement does not guarantee that students of the Home Institution will be accepted into the Host Institution. The Host Institution reserves the right of final approval on the admission of a student from the Home Institution.