College of Arts and Sciences Distribution Requirements for the B.A. in Liberal Arts

University and College Requirements

- 1. Total of 120 credits, including major courses, distribution courses, and free electives.
- 2. A minimum of 45 credits earned at UMass Dartmouth, regardless of how many credits are transferred from other schools (applies to transfer students). A maximum of 60 credits may be transferred from the combination of two-year schools and advanced placement.
- 3. At least 30 credits in advanced or specialized courses <u>earned at UMass Dartmouth</u>.

 These are courses at the 300 or 400 level in any department, including courses in the major.
- 4. A minimum 2.0 GPA in all courses.
- 5. A minimum 2.0 GPA in all courses required for the major.
- 6. Not more than 8 withdrawals: transcript entries of W, WP, WF.

B.A. degree College Distribution Requiremen

Please note that College Distribution credits and credits in the Major may be used to satisfy General Education requirements. Credits in the Major may not be used to satisfy College Distribution requirements. FRESHMAN ENGLISH: ENL 101 ENL 102 LITERATURE: 6 credits, offered by Departments of English or Foreign Literature and Languages (note that not all ENL courses are "Literature" courses): _____ NATURAL SCIENCE: 9 credits, offered by Departments of Biology, Chemistry, Medical Laboratory Science, or HUMANITIES: 9 credits, History, Philosophy, Art Theory, Art History, Music Theory, Music History ("applied" courses in Art or Music do not count); not more than 6 in any one field. SOCIAL SCIENCE: 12 credits, Economics, Policy Studies, Political Science, Psychology, Sociology/Anthropology; Women's Studies (note: WMS courses should be listed in COIN as social science courses); not more than 6 in any one field. FOREIGN LANGUAGE THROUGH THE 202 LEVEL: **General Education Requirements** Cultural and Artistic Literacy, 9 CR: _____ Ethics and Social Responsibility, 3 CR: Global Awareness, 3 CR: Cultural Diversity, 3 CR: _____ Math, 3 CR: _____ Science, 6 CR: _____ Communication Skills: Written, 3 CR: ENL 260 Oral, 3 CR: Tier II Information and Computer Literacy, 3 CR: _____ **Liberal Arts Major Core Class Requirements** LAR 201: Introduction to Studies Across the Disciplines (3 credits)

LAR 401: Capstone Seminar in Multidisciplinary Studies (3 credits) ______ Humanities Concentration Area: _____ Social Sciences Concentration Area: _____