#### ARTICULATION AGREEMENT

#### 2017-2018

### Buena Vista University

and

### Iowa Western Community College

This articulation agreement is made and entered into by Buena Vista University and Iowa Western Community College hereafter referred to as BVU and IWCC. This agreement is based on a mutual commitment to provide educational opportunities to students.

## BVU and IWCC agree to these conditions of transfer:

A student who has earned an Associate of Arts, Associate of Science and/or Associate of Applied Science degree with a minimum of 56 credit hours from IWCC will be accepted as a transfer student with junior class standing at BVU.

A student with an Associate of Arts Degree from IWCC will be considered to have met the general education requirements for BVU. Students will be required to complete the Transfer Seminar (1 credit hour) and Interdisciplinary Studies requirement (3 credit hours) at BVU.

Students will be required to complete all specific program requirements and all university degree requirements as stated in the Buena Vista University catalog in effect at the time of their BVU matriculation.

Students are required to complete 128 credit hours to receive a Bachelor of Arts degree at BVU. Sixty of these hours must be earned at a four-year baccalaureate institution. The final 30 credit hours must be completed at BVU. A maximum of 68 community college credits hours can be transferred into BVU.

Students intending to transfer to BVU are encouraged to consult with both their IWCC advisors and BVU personnel.

IWCC agrees to allow BVU to inform potential transfer students about the programs and services of the university.

BVU agrees to engage in the reverse transfer process with IWCC. This process will assist students who transfer to BVU to complete an Associate degree at IWCC. IWCC agrees to accept BVU courses for an Associate degree. This is at the discretion of and subject to the degree and residency requirements of the community college, which is the associate degree, diploma, or certificate granting institution, and Buena Vista University,

which is the Bachelor's degree granting institution. The courses for reverse transfer will need prior approval by BVU and IWCC.

BVU agrees to provide information on students who transfer from IWCC in accordance with FERPA regulations.

IWCC and BVU reserve the rights to update, change, or eliminate programs and courses. Such changes will be communicated to the appropriate parties.

# Terms of Agreement:

Under this agreement, Iowa Western Community College may list this agreement in their catalog and brochures and BVU may do likewise, provided both institutions have approved the wording of all catalog and brochure copy referring to this agreement.

This agreement will go into effect for the academic year of 2017-2018. This agreement may be modified or terminated upon reasonable notice and mutual discussion by representatives of the two institutions and is subject to regular review to assure currency with the respective degree requirements.

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