

Articulation Agreement – Western Technical College A.A.S. Agri-Business Science Technology to Viterbo University B.B.A. Business Leadership

This Articulation Agreement (the “Agreement”) by and between Viterbo University (“VU”), with its principal address at 900 Viterbo Drive, La Crosse, Wisconsin, and Western Technical College (“WESTERN”), with its principal address at 400 7th Street North, La Crosse, Wisconsin, is entered to facilitate the seamless transfer of students between WESTERN and VU and to raise students’ awareness of the opportunities afforded by this Agreement. Accordingly, in consideration of the promises and mutual covenants contained in this Agreement, VU and WESTERN (collectively “the Parties”) agree as follows:

Terms of the Agreement

1. WESTERN students who have successfully completed an Associate Degree Agri-business Technology who apply for admission and meet VU’s standard admission are guaranteed acceptance of all 60 credits of the Associate Degree. VU and WESTERN will collaborate to ensure continued alignment of lesson plan templates and curriculum components. See appendix A.
2. The student must have a minimum cumulative grade point average of 2.25 on a 4.0 scale at WESTERN in order to receive the benefits of this articulation agreement.
3. Students who have not completed the associate degree will be evaluated on an individual basis.
4. In order for courses to transfer, the student must have completed the courses within the last five (5) years of being admitted to VU.
5. VU requires, among other requirements, that all of its candidates for the bachelor’s degree accomplish the following:
 - a. fulfill its core curriculum/general education requirements;
 - b. complete all courses required for its major(s) and minor(s), if applicable
 - c. earn a minimum of 120 credits;
 - d. earn a minimum of 30 upper-division credits (courses numbered 300 and higher)
 - e. achieve a minimum grade point average of 2.0; and
 - f. complete a minimum of the last 30 consecutive credits at Viterbo University, excluding alternative credits (CLEP, portfolio).

Services Provided to Western Technical College by Viterbo University

- Onsite or online advising services
- Annual updates to the transfer guide

Services Provided to Viterbo University by Western Technical College

- The opportunity for representatives to meet with WESTERN students on an ongoing basis
- Assistance in the distribution of updated degree and transfer materials to alumni and current students
- Posting of the transfer guides and other college information on the transfer website to market opportunities for students

Longevity of Agreement and Conditions for Change

1. This agreement shall remain in force until terminated by either party, with or without cause, upon 60 days written notice to the other party. Upon termination of this agreement, students previously admitted to VU pursuant to this Agreement shall continue to receive the benefits contemplated by this Agreement and the applicable VU catalog for a period not to exceed four (4) years. Proposed changes in policies or curricula by either party will be communicated annually.
2. Transfer guides and literature will be updated on an annual basis. In the event of cancellation of this articulation agreement, ninety-day notice must be given and both parties agree to continue to honor the terms of this agreement until any cohorts that are currently taking classes have completed their sequence of courses.

Effective Date: This agreement is effective on the date fully executed below and takes effect for students beginning January 2023.

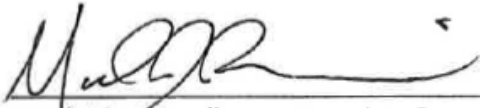
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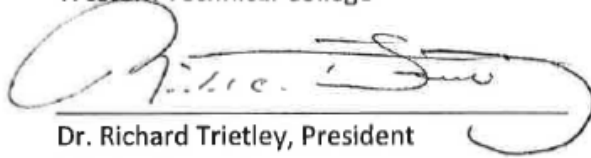
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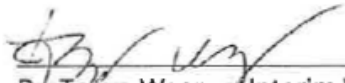
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