

**2010 - 2011**  
**ARTICULATION AGREEMENT**  
**BETWEEN**  
**RARITAN VALLEY COMMUNITY COLLEGE**  
**AND**  
**DAVENPORT UNIVERSITY**

**Article I**

Raritan Valley Community College and Davenport University will maintain the integrity of their separate programs and enter into this agreement as equal partners.

**Article II**  
**Agreement on Principles**

Raritan Valley Community College and Davenport University agree that any student who has completed an associate degree at Raritan Valley Community College may transfer credits toward a bachelor degree program at Davenport University. See the Appendix for articulated programs. The graduation requirements for students who follow this articulation agreement are as follows:

1. Earn an associate degree at Raritan Valley Community College.
2. Earn a total of at least 120 semester hours toward a bachelor degree, including the credits transferred from Raritan Valley Community College.
3. Select a major at Davenport University that is consistent with the Raritan Valley Community College degree program.
4. Meet Davenport University residency requirements within the selected bachelor degree program.

**Article III**  
**Agreement of Program Articulation**

Raritan Valley Community College and Davenport University agree that a person who has completed an associate degree at Raritan Valley Community College may transfer to a bachelor degree program and will not be required to take duplicative course work. The selection of a degree program at Davenport University will determine the extent of credit transferred.

It is further agreed that Raritan Valley Community College and Davenport University will continue to cooperate in the development of additional program plans. Such plans will come under this agreement and will be added to this document upon approval of the Articulation Specialist at Raritan Valley Community College and the Director of Transfer Articulation at Davenport University or their designees.

#### **Article IV Agreement on Communication**

Raritan Valley Community College and Davenport University agree to cooperate by communicating with each other and with common and respective publics concerning the established relationship between courses and programs at Raritan Valley Community College and Davenport University. Communication will include the development of various kinds of publications to inform people who might benefit personally from the opportunities provided by a bachelor degree program at Davenport University based on completion of an associate degree at Raritan Valley Community College.

Raritan Valley Community College and Davenport University further agree to communicate concerning curriculum changes that affect the agreed-upon relationship between articulated programs and to communicate concerning the development of plans that might lead to further opportunities for program articulation between the two establishments. Responsibility for communication related to this agreement will be given to the Articulation Specialist at Raritan Valley Community College and the Director of Transfer Articulation at Davenport University or their designees.

#### **Article V Sharing of Student Data**

Davenport University will furnish an annual summary of students and credits transferred from Raritan Valley Community College to Davenport University.

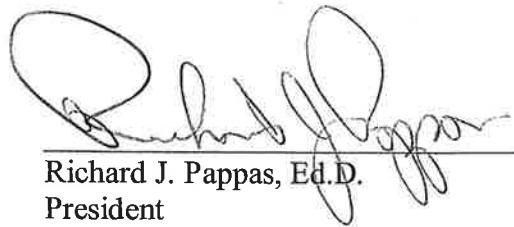
#### **Article VI Termination of Agreement**

Either party may terminate this agreement, with or without cause, by providing the other party with ninety days (90) prior written notice of termination. Raritan Valley Community College and Davenport University agree that in the event of termination students will be allowed to complete the articulated program in which they are actively pursuing at the time termination is provided.

**ARTICULATION AGREEMENT SIGNATORIES**



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