

ARTICULATION AGREEMENT
Cleveland University-Kansas City
And
Donnelly College

This agreement is entered into this 22nd day of March, 2016, by and between Cleveland University-Kansas City hereinafter referred to as "CU-KC," and Donnelly College hereinafter referred to as "DC".

***WHEREAS,** DC and CU-KC desire to coordinate curricula so graduates transfer easily to CU-KC; and*

***WHEREAS,** DC and CU-KC desire the effective use of their resources to provide those seeking higher education with a wider range of options in achieving their educational goals; and*

***WHEREAS,** the most important reason for this document is to facilitate the transfer of graduates from DC's associate degree to CU-KC's bachelor degree program; and*

***WHEREAS,** it is hoped that the agreement will stimulate communication and interchange between the faculties of the two institutions and thus enhance the educational quality of both institutions; and*

***WHEREAS,** the cooperation and coordination outlined in this agreement will be an ongoing, continuous process which will be further defined and amplified over time;*

***NOW, THEREFORE,** the parties agree to cooperate in the following ways to articulate programs so that students may take full advantage of educational opportunities best suited to their individual needs:*

***ARTICLE I. General Conditions of the Agreement:** During the period of this agreement, CU-KC will agree to the following terms relative to DC's graduates seeking admission to a Graduate degree:*

- (A) The DC Associate of Arts degree shall be recognized as the basis for admission to bachelor degree programs of study at CU-KC.*
- (B) DC graduates admitted to a bachelor degree program under the terms of this agreement shall be governed by the graduation requirements set forth in CU-KC's catalog in effect at the time of the student's initial enrollment.*
- (C) The grading policies as established by DC and the grades given will be honored by CU-KC.*
- (D) CU-KC has full authority to decide program academic requirements for their degree programs.*
- (E) DC graduates admitted into a bachelor degree program at CU-KC will be given consideration for any applicable scholarships or financial aid resources by CU-KC.*

***ARTICLE II. Detail Distinctions of this Agreement:** Guaranteed admissions to CU-KC.*

- (A) Students admitted via this agreement will have full access to all CU-KC support services including admission and financial aid representatives, academic advising, Student Affairs staff, etc.*
- (B) Those students who transfer to CU-KC under the terms of this agreement will benefit from all privileges assigned to other students, including access to programs, course registration, and beyond.*

- (C) CU-KC guarantees the acceptance of all Associate of Arts degree program credits hours, as long as the course grades for the transfer credit hours are C or higher and the credit course number is 100 or higher. * (transfer guide)

ARTICLE III. Academic Rules and Regulations: Unless stated otherwise in this agreement all academic rules and requirements stated in the applicable CU-KC catalog will apply.

ARTICLE IV. Obligations of DC: During the period of this agreement with CU-KC, DC will agree to the following:

- (A) The Articulation Agreement between DC and CU-KC will be publicized among its faculty and students.
- (B) Information on the recommended core requirements of CU-KC will be made available to all interested DC faculty, counselors, and students.

ARTICLE V. Equal Opportunity: The parties agree to provide equal enrollment opportunities to all persons regardless of race, color, religion, sex, age, national origin, sexual tendency, economic status, disability, or marital status during the term of this agreement, implementing the rules and regulations prescribed by the Kansas Commission on Human Rights.

ARTICLE VI. Third Party Obligations: This Agreement is made solely for the benefit of the parties thereto, and is not intended to create third party beneficiaries.

ARTICLE VII. Applicable Law: This Agreement shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of the State of Kansas.

ARTICLE VIII. Parties Bound: This Agreement shall apply to bind the parties hereto, together with their respective heirs, successors and assigns.

ARTICLE IX. Other Provisions: DC agrees to cooperate with CU-KC admission personnel in arranging conferences with students who are interested in transferring to CU-KC.

ARTICLE X. Termination/Modification: This Agreement may be terminated by either party by sending written notice of the termination to the other party. The notice shall state the effective date of termination, which shall be at least sixty (60) days after the date on which the notice is received by the other institution. The terms of the agreement shall be in effect with respect to all students who were enrolled in DC during the term of the agreement prior to termination. Those students shall continue to receive the benefits of the agreement after termination.

Any modifications, additions, or deletions to this agreement must be in writing and signed by both parties.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have executed this Agreement the day and year first above written.

CLEVELAND UNIVERSITY-
KANSAS CITY



President

Date

Dr. Carl Cleveland III

DONNELLY COLLEGE



President

Date

Monsignor Stuart Swetland