PRESENTATION AT IOWA STATE UNIVERSITY: 
“The Co-Curricular Transcript: Helping Students Track Their Personal and Professional Development”

**Action Requested:** Receive the presentation.

**Executive Summary:** Laura Doering, Pete Englin, and George Micalone will provide an overview of ISU’s co-curricular transcript initiative. This new initiative, to be launched in Fall 2016, will help students track their personal and professional development, and build a more complete portfolio of their activities and accomplishment.

The transcript features a combination of verified co-curricular activities and recognitions, such as Dean’s List, learning community participation, internships, study abroad, and self-reported activities, such as leadership experiences, student organization involvement, community service, and intramurals. In the future, the university will be able to access co-curricular transcript data to correlate it to student success. The initiative supports Objective 1.3 of the Board of Regents 2016-2021 Strategic Plan (working draft), which states “The Regent institutions will provide curricular, co-curricular, and extra-curricular experiences to prepare undergraduate students for successful transitions to their personal, professional, and civic lives.”

Laura Doering is the ISU Registrar. She has been with the Registrar's Office since 1996, serving as assistant registrar, associate registrar, and senior associate registrar and director of transfer relations, before moving into her current position in 2012. Doering holds a B.A. from Western Michigan University and a M.S. in Education from ISU. Her thesis on learning communities helped ISU’s program become a national leader. Prior to joining ISU, Doering worked at Des Moines Area Community College as director of student activities, and as assistant registrar. She serves on numerous university- and state-wide committees and has been president of UMACRAO, the Upper Midwest Association of Collegiate Registrars and Admissions Officers. She has received the Exemplary Service Award from UMACRAO and regularly presents at regional and national conferences.

Pete Englin has served as director of the Department of Residence since 2005. His ISU career includes 21 years in Residence and six years in the Dean of Students office, including five years as dean. Englin holds a bachelor’s degree in zoology and a master’s degree in education, both from North Dakota State University, and a Ph.D. in Family Consumer Sciences and Hospitality Management from ISU. In addition to his current role, Englin also co-chairs the University Student Success Council and the Student Affairs Student Success Committee; he is an adjunct faculty member in the School of Education’s Higher Education program. Englin has been active in several professional and community organizations throughout his career, including the National Association of Student Personnel Administrators, Association of College and University Housing Officers-International, and Iowa Student Personnel Association.
George Micalone is the director of student activities and assistant director of the Memorial Union. He received a bachelor of science degree in business administration, with a concentration in accounting and computer information systems, from Bryant University (RI) and a master of science degree in college counseling and student development from St. Cloud State University (MN). He joined the university in 2008 and is responsible for the recognition process for nearly 900 student organizations, leadership development and community service programs, and arts and entertainment programming for the Memorial Union and campus. He currently serves on the Regional Leadership Team and National Conference Program Team for the Association of College Unions International and Concert Management Institute staff for the National Association for Campus Activities.