

**Contact: Rachel Boon**

**UPDATE ON COLLABORATION WITH IOWA COMMUNITY COLLEGES**

Iowa's community colleges and public universities have had long-term partnerships which assist and support the transition of students from the community colleges to the universities and which lead to increased opportunities for Iowa students. There are eight statewide agreements that provide direction regarding the transfer of students. In addition, more than 1,000 program articulation agreements have been developed by the respective faculties.

Dr. Dan Kinney, President of Iowa Western Community College will speak about the opportunities and challenges offered by our partnerships. The Southwest Iowa Regents Resource Center is co-located on the Iowa Western Community College campus.