

ARTICULATION AGREEMENT

PILLAR COLLEGE
60 Park Place, Suite 701, Newark, NJ 07102
with
BLOOMFIELD COLLEGE
467 Franklin Street, Bloomfield, NJ 07003

I. INTRODUCTION

Based upon a mutual respect for the integrity of each academic program and in an effort to better serve students intending to pursue a career in the counseling professions, Pillar College (Pillar) and Bloomfield College (Bloomfield) hereby enter into an agreement for an articulation between the Pillar Master of Arts in Counseling with Specialization in Marriage, Couple, and Family Counseling and Bloomfield Bachelor of Arts in Psychology programs. This agreement will define course work to be completed at Bloomfield for a student intending to matriculate at Pillar and special terms of admission. Connecting these degree programs will enable students to complete their baccalaureate degree and then move seamlessly to Pillar College.

Objectives of the Agreement:

1. To attract qualified students to Bloomfield and Pillar
2. To facilitate the transition of students from Bloomfield to Pillar
3. To provide specific advisement for students of Bloomfield who intend to pursue graduate study at Pillar

II. ARTICULATION AGREEMENT

This agreement serves to record the understanding between Pillar and Bloomfield.

1. Subject to the following provisions, Bloomfield College students who complete the B.A. in one of Bloomfield's Social and Behavioral Science majors will be granted admission to the Pillar College Master of Arts in Counseling—with Specialization in Marriage, Couple and Family Counseling—program upon proper application. The provisions are:
 - ◆ A formal application
 - ◆ Admission essay
 - ◆ Three letters of recommendation*
 - ◆ Minimum cumulative grade point average of 3.0 or higher on a 4.0 scale

*Pillar College agrees to waive the requirement for a letter of recommendation from a pastor or church leadership.

2. Pillar College agrees to extend the Pillar College Alumni Grant to Bloomfield College alumni who matriculate in the Pillar College Master of Arts in Counseling program within 24 months of graduating from Bloomfield College. The Pillar College Alumni Grant is equivalent to \$100 per-credit hour (maximum of \$1200 per semester) and subject to Pillar College standard terms and restrictions.
3. Pillar College will inform Bloomfield College of the students who have applied and been admitted into the Master of Arts in Counseling program for each cohort. Bloomfield College will contact said students to confirm their intention to enroll and inform Pillar College of the results three weeks in advance of the start of a new cohort.
4. This Agreement applies only to Bloomfield students who apply for admission to the Master of Counseling program while enrolled at Bloomfield College.

III. **IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED** that Pillar and Bloomfield mutually agree that the specific courses and other information shown in the Agreement will be honored for the time period of September 1, 2018, through August 31, 2023, or until modification by mutual consent or termination with one-year written notice by either party.


IT IS FURTHER AGREED that fulfillment of the conditions enumerated in this Agreement guarantees preferred seating at Pillar.

IV. Modifications to the curriculum or course equivalencies are subject to approval of the chief academic officers of both Pillar College and Bloomfield College.

V. Each institution will inform the other in a timely manner of proposed and affected modifications of programs covered in this Agreement.

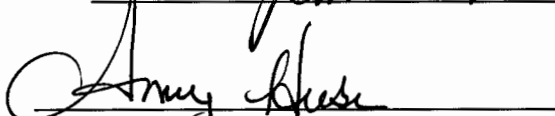
VI. This Agreement, upon approval, shall supersede all prior agreements.

For Pillar College:


David E. Schroeder, President

Date

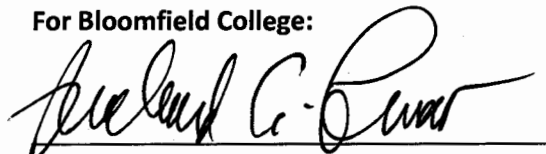
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Amy Huber, M.Ed.
Interim Vice President Academic Affairs

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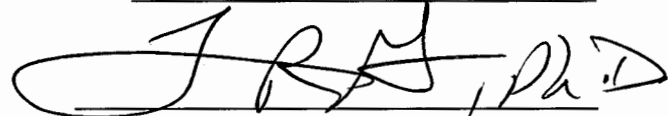
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For Bloomfield College:


Richard A. Levao, President

Date

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Tresmaine R. Grimes, Ph.D.
Vice President for Academic Affairs and
Dean of Faculty

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