Online Bachelor of Liberal Studies (BLS)

Online Bachelor of Applied Studies (BAS)

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

- 24 s.h. of transferable college credit with a cumulative GPA of 2.00 or above. Maximum of 16 s.h. career/technical credits
- Must have earned a high school degree at least three years before admission to the BLS program

OR

- Earned Associate degree from a regionally-accredited institution
- 60 s.h. of transferable college credit, including career/technical credits
- Associate degree from a regionally- accredited institution
 - Cumulative GPA of 2.00 or above for graduates of lowa community colleges
 - Cumulative GPA of 2.50 or above for graduates of community colleges outside Iowa

DEGREE REQUIREMENTS

Total Hours: 120 s.h. Common Core/Gen Ed: 30 s.h.

Upper-Level: 30 s.h. Track: 30 s.h.*

Post-Admission: 30 s.h. GPA: 2.00 Cum, UI, Track, UI Track

Total Hours: 120 s.h. Core/Gen Ed: 19 s.h. Upper-Level: 45 s.h. Distribution Areas: 36 s.h.

Post-Admission: 30 s.h. GPA: 2.00 Cum, UI, UL, Post-Admission

CORE/GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS

Rhetoric (4 s.h.)

Interpretation of Literature (3 s.h.)

Natural Sciences (3 s.h.)

Global Perspectives (3 s.h.)

Domestic Diversity (3 s.h.)

Statistics or Quantitative or Formal Reasoning (3 s.h.)

Information Literacy (2 s.h.)

Critical Thinking (3 s.h.)

Leadership and Career Development (6 s.h.)

An Associate of Arts degree from an institution participating in the AA Articulation Agreement satisfies all Common Core requirements except Leadership and Career Development. Rhetoric (4 s.h.)

Quantitative or Formal Reasoning (3 s.h.)

Social Sciences (3 s.h.)

Values, Society, and Diversity (3 s.h.)

Business/Management (6 s.h.)

An Associate of Arts degree from an institution participating in the AA Articulation Agreement satisfies all Core Requirements except Business/Management.

CONCENTRATION REQUIREMENTS

Tracks (30 s.h.) – Select at least One

Expression in Writing and Arts

Family, Community and Social Support

Global Studies

Health and Human Studies

Justice and Ethics

Organizational Studies

Distribution Areas (12 s.h. each/36 s.h. total) Select 3 of 5

Humanities

Communication and Arts

Social Sciences

Natural Sciences and Math

Professional Fields

(Optional) CERTIFICATES and BAS EMPHASIS AREAS

Visit <u>distance.uiowa.edu</u> for complete online Certificate list.

Certificates

Aging and Longevity Studies Entrepreneurial Management

Event Planning Leadership Studies Museum Studies

Nonprofit Management

Writing

Emphasis Areas Certificates

Creative Writing Aging and Longevity Studies
Human Relations Entrepreneurial Management

Justice Studies Event Planning
Political Science Leadership Studies

Museum Studies Nonprofit Management

Writing