

Rachel Erkkila
Vice Provost for Academic Operations, District Office

Educational Summary

Ph.D.
Philosophy, Educational Leadership
Iowa State University, Ames, IA, 2019

M.A.
Science, Technical Communications
Metropolitan State University, St. Paul, MN, 2006

B.A.
Communications
Augsburg University, Minneapolis, MN, 1995

Summary of Professional Experience

- 2024 - Present
Dean of Enrollment Management and Guided Pathways
Des Moines Area Community College, Ankeny, IA
- 2023 - 2024
Dean of Enrollment Management and Boone Student Affairs
Des Moines Area Community College, Ankeny, IA
- 2019 - 2023
Associate Provost
Des Moines Area Community College, Ankeny, IA
- 2018 - 2024
Instructor, Mental Health First Aid
Des Moines Area Community College, Ankeny, IA
- 2013 - 2019
Director of Enrollment Services and Registrar
Des Moines Area Community College, Ankeny, IA
- 2008 - 2015
Adjunct Instructor, The College Experience
Des Moines Area Community College, Ankeny, IA
- 2007 - 2013
Registrar
Des Moines Area Community College, Ankeny, IA
- 2005 - 2005
Adjunct Instructor, Introduction to Computers
Dakota County Technical College, Rosemount, MN
- 2002 - 2007
Registrar
Dakota County Technical College, Rosemount, MN
- 1998 - 2002
University Registrar
Walden University, Minneapolis, MN

1998 - 1998

Assistant University Registrar

Walden University, Minneapolis, MN

1997 - 1998

Admissions Representative

Brown College, Mendota Heights, MN

1996 - 1997

Admissions Counselor

Finlandia University, Hancock, MI