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MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING
BETWEEN
NORTHWESTERN STATE UNIVERSITY OF LOUISIANA
AND
Louisiana State University: Eunice

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Northwestern State University of Louisiana (NSULA) and Louisiana State University Eunice (LSU-E) agreed to enter into a Memorandum of Understanding for a 2 + 2 program between the two institutions. The 2 + 2 program will allow students to complete the Associate of Applied Science in Management at LSU-E and transfer all credit hours as designated in Appendix A to NSULA for completion of the Bachelor of Science in Business Administration. Students transferring to NSULA may complete the last two years of their course work at NSULA. Both institutions serve constituency needs and are responsive, student oriented institutions that prepare the students to become productive members of society as well as promote the academic development and improvement in the quality of life of citizens in their regions.

This partnership is mutually beneficial to both institutions for several reasons:

- Traditional and non-traditional students attending LSU-E will have the opportunity after earning the associate degree in management at LSU Eunice to transfer to an accredited Bachelor of Science program that will accept LSU-E credits.
- NSULA will have the opportunity to accept students into the Bachelor of Science in Business Administration Program who are well prepared with foundation course work.
- Both the Universities are accredited by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools.
- Both the Universities have full-time faculty with advanced academic and professional credentials and both have support resources (i.e., library, internet access and adequate administrative-faculty-staff backup).

In accordance with this Memorandum of Understanding, Louisiana State University Eunice agrees to:

- Provide academic advising to students who plan to transfer to NSULA according to agreements in Appendix A.
- Have LSU-E students who intend to transfer to NSULA sign the Intent to Transfer form and mail the completed form (Appendix B) to NSULA.
- Provide students the opportunity to obtain the LSU-E credit hours as listed in Appendix A of the Memorandum of Understanding between NSULA and LSU-E.
- Provide transferring students assistance in completing the NSULA Application for Admission into the Bachelor of Science in Business Administration.
- Provide information about the 2 + 2 Agreement in the Louisiana State University Eunice General Catalog.
- Jointly market the 2 + 2 agreement with NSULA.

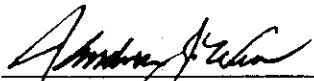
In accordance with this Memorandum of Understanding, Northwestern State University of Louisiana agrees to:

- Provide consultation to LSU-E regarding required content for the 2 + 2 curriculum.
- Receive and maintain "Intent to Transfer" forms from LSU-E students and honor the agreement regarding academic catalog in effect on the date of the student's signature and the NSULA confirmation signature. (Appendix B).

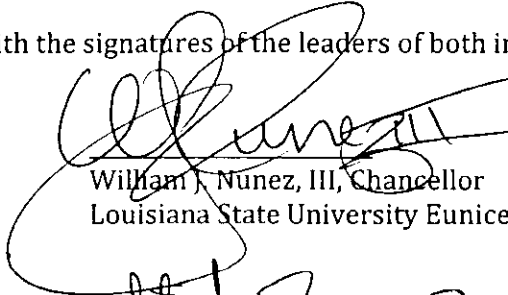
- Accept LSU-E credit hours as listed in Appendix A of the Memorandum of Understanding between Northwestern State University and Louisiana State University Eunice.
- Provide LSU-E with copies of the Application for Admission into the Bachelor of Science in Business Administration Program and other advising materials.
- Provide information about the 2 + 2 Agreement in the Northwestern State University catalog.
- Jointly market the 2 + 2 agreement with LSU-E.

By signature of President Randall J. Webb, Northwestern State University and signature of William J. Nunez, II, Louisiana State University Eunice, this 2 + 2 Memorandum of Understanding is entered into on the _____, 201__.

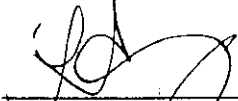
This agreement may be revised only with the signatures of the leaders of both institutions.



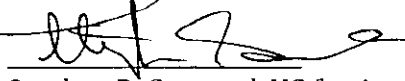
Randall J. Webb, President
Northwestern State University



William J. Nunez, III, Chancellor
Louisiana State University Eunice



Lisa Abney, VP of Academic Affairs
Northwestern State University



Stephen R. Guempel, VC for Academic Affairs
Louisiana State University Eunice

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Appendix A

2 + 2 Articulation Plan: LSU Eunice
 Bachelor of Science in Business Administration Program
 Junior/Senior Semesters at NSULA

Associate of Applied Science in Management
 2+2 Degree Transfer Program
 Northwestern State University

English (6 s.h.)	Credit Hours	Transfer	NSU Transfer Course
ENGL1001	3	Y	ENGL1010
ENGL1002	3	Y	ENGL1020
General Education Humanities/Fine Arts (3 s.h.)			
Humanities or Fine Arts Elective	3	Y	
Mathematics (6 s.h.)			
MATH1021	3	Y	MATH1020
MATH1431	3	Y	MATH2010
General Education Natural/Physical Science (3 s.h.)			
Science sequence 1	3	Y	Science sequence 1
General Education Social Science Elective (3 s.h.)			
ECON2000	3	Y	ECON2000
Communications Course (3 s.h.)			
CMST1061	3	Y	COMM 1010
Core Courses (24 s.h.)			
ENGL2002/BIT2300	3	Y	BUAD2200
ACCT2001	3	Y	ACCT2000
ACCT2101	3	Y	ACCT2010
BADM1001 or approved transfer elective ISDS2000	3	Y	BUAD2120
ISDS2100	3	Y	BUAD1800
BADM2001 or Approved Transfer Course (FIN 2020)	3	Y	FIN 2150
MGMT2999 or Approved Transfer Course (MGMT2251)	3	Y	MGMT2500
MKTG2999 or Approved Transfer Course (MKTG2423)	3	Y	MKTG2200
Area of Concentration (12 semester hours) (APPROVED ELECTIVES)			
ECON2010	3	Y	ECON2010
ACCT2102	3	Y	CIS 2000
PSYC2000	3	Y	PSYC1010
Science Sequence 2	3	Y	Science sequence 2

Total Hours (60)

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Approved Transfer Electives include

LSUE Course Numbers

ACCT2102 Microcomputer Accounting with Excel
Statistics
PSYC2000
HIST 1001, 1003, 2055, 2057

ART1440 or 1441

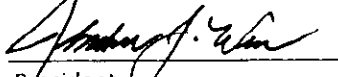
3 semester hours
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NSU Course Numbers

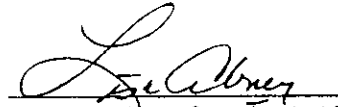
CIS 2000
BUAD 2120
PSYC1010
HIST1010, 1020, 2010,
or 2010 (1 course only)
FA1040

Approved by:


Northwestern State University of LA Administration




President



Vice President of Academic Affairs



Registrar

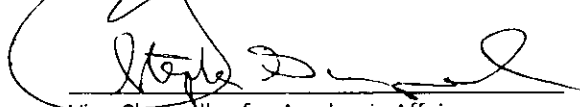


Dean, College of Science, Technology and Business


LSU-Eunice Administration



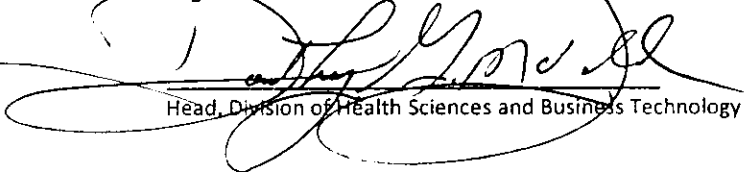
Chancellor



Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs



Registrar



Head, Division of Health Sciences and Business Technology

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Appendix B
INTENT TO TRANSFER

LSU-E Associate of Applied Science in Management Program to NSULA BS-BUAD Program

Student: Name: _____
SSN: _____
Address: _____

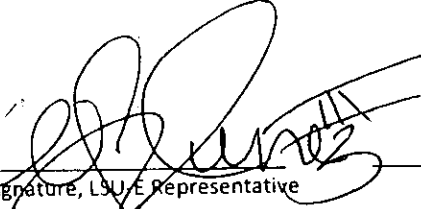
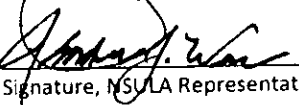
Phone: _____
Email: _____

Upon completion of freshman and sophomore courses at Louisiana State University Eunice, I intend to enter Northwestern State University to pursue the Bachelor of Science in Business Administration.

I expect to enter Northwestern State University (Semester/Year) _____.

The NSULA catalog under which I intend to graduate from NSULA is _____.

I understand that by signing this statement of intent, the NSULA degree program requirements I must satisfy to complete my degree will be those in the catalog in effect on the date this form is signed by me and the NSULA representative. I also understand that I must maintain continuous registration in this major, with no more than one semester not being in attendance, at LSU-E and/or NSULA, and that I must complete the curriculum within seven (7) years. If I fail to meet any of these requirements, I will be subject to the curriculum requirements in the catalog current at the time I return to school.

	_____	_____
Signature, LSU-E Representative	Title	Date
	_____	_____
Signature, NSULA Representative	Title	Date

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