

University of Northern Colorado



國立體育大學

National Taiwan Sport University

AGREEMENT TO ESTABLISH A THREE-YEAR INTEGRATED MASTER PROGRAM

Between

University of Northern Colorado

And

National Taiwan Sport University

WHEREAS, in accordance with the cooperative agreement between the National Taiwan Sport University, Taoyuan, Taiwan (NTSU) and the University of Northern Colorado, Greeley, Colorado, United States of America (UNC) signed in April 2012, we now agree to collaboratively deliver a Master Degree from NTSU in Taiwan and a Master Degree from UNC School of Sport and Exercise Science in the United State of America.

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of the foregoing, the parties mutually agree to the following general terms and conditions.

GENERAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS:

It is agreed that:

1. UNC and NTSU will collaborate to provide NTSU students with a Three-Year Integrated Master Program leading to a Master of Business Administration (MBA) degree from NTSU and a Master of Science (MS) degree at UNC.
2. Participants in the program will be drawn from the Sport Management graduate program within the Department of Recreation and Leisure Industry Management at NTSU. Under the Integrated Three-Year Master Program, students in the Sport Management graduate program at NTSU will enter the School of Sport and Exercise Science at UNC at the beginning of their second year of graduate study. They will be enrolled initially as graduate students taking graduate courses specified in the Integrated Program. While studying at UNC, the students will need to complete requirements for the Master Degree program at UNC. The students will be enrolled on a voluntary basis as needed in supplemental non-credit English-language classes to further their language proficiency. The English classes could begin during the summer prior to their first full semester at UNC.
3. Criteria for admission to the Integrated Program will be based upon admission standards at both NTSU and UNC. These criteria will be enforced by NTSU as students apply for admission to the Program. All applicants to UNC must complete all application materials and meet the admission criteria for the UNC Graduate School and the SES program. Each applicant must take the TOEFL and score a minimum of 550. Exemptions to the minimum qualifications of 550 TOEFL will be

addressed on a case-by-case basis following recommendations from UNC and may necessitate additional English-language classes.

4. NTSU students registering at UNC will pay full non-resident graduate tuition and student fees to UNC. They will be exempt from paying these fees at NTSU while registered at UNC. NTSU students will be eligible to apply for an international student scholarship.
5. Beginning fall term 2012, two students from NTSU, who are eligible for admission to the Graduate School at UNC, will enroll in the SES program, not to exceed three qualified students per academic year.
6. Neither UNC nor NTSU will be responsible for the cost to students of room, board, travel, or personal expenses including books and insurance. The parties acknowledge that participants will be required to pay these expenses.
7. UNC will assist arriving NTSU students to secure suitable housing for the period of time they will be on UNC's campus.
8. NTSU students will be required to purchase UNC health insurance or provide proof in English that they have existing coverage that meets or exceeds that offered by UNC.
9. UNC will assist NTSU, consistent with UNC admission procedures, to obtain visas and other documents required by the U.S. government. While attending UNC, NTSU students will be required to obtain and maintain an appropriate non-resident student visa (F-1 or J-1). In order to

comply with U.S. government regulations, students from NTSU will be required to guarantee that they have the financial resources to meet all expenses. After the submission of a satisfactorily completed application UNC will issue documents necessary to secure a visa.

10. All applications for admission from NTSU will need to be received by UNC no later than January 1st prior to the date of arrival.
11. The student's work and progress will be monitored by an Advisory Board consisting of faculty members from both NTSU and UNC. These faculty members will be responsible for student advising and assessment and will provide assistance to those who may need supplemental instruction in order to succeed in the program of study. The Advisory Board will determine whether individual students need to extend the length of the Three-Year Master Program, based on the student's overall performance.
12. Students enrolled in the MS program at UNC will have access to all offices and services of UNC, including academic advising offered by the School of Sport and Exercise Science. They will be encouraged to become involved in the events and activities offered by the Center for International Education.
13. The relationship of NTSU and UNC under this agreement shall be that of independent contractors, and a party shall not be deemed, nor hold itself out as being, a partner or agent of the other party. Neither NTSU nor UNC shall be liable for acts of the other, nor shall they be liable for the acts of students participating in this program.

14. This agreement will be in effect for a period of five years from the date it is signed. At the end of the five-year period, it will be subjected to a comprehensive evaluation. Depending on the results of the evaluation, this Agreement can be continued without changes or it can be modified upon the mutual agreement of the parties; or it can be terminated by either party in its discretion.

Termination would not affect students already engaged in the Three-Year Integrated Master Program.

15. Both NTSU and UNC will determine at the fifth anniversary whether the potential exists to expand this agreement to include additional areas of study and degrees, particularly a degree program leading to the MBA and Master of Sport Administration.

For the University of Northern Colorado
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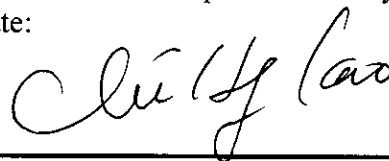


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