

STATEMENT OF COOPERATIVE PROGRAM AFFILIATION WITH
BEMIDJI STATE UNIVERSITY

Institution: Minnesota State Community and Technical College (Fergus Falls and Moorhead)

Recognition/Accreditation Status: *NCA*

Degree(s)/Credentials Provided: *Associate in Science*

University/College Officials:

Bemidji State University: *Dr. Jon Quistgaard, President*

Minnesota State Community and Technical College (Fergus Falls and Moorhead): *Dr. Ann Valentine,
President*

Cooperative Program Coordinators:

Bemidji State University: *Dr. Patrick Guilfoile, Chair, Biology Department*

Minnesota State Community and Technical College (Fergus Falls and Moorhead): *Dr. Tom Prieve*

Field of Study:

Biology, Bachelor of Science

Description of Cooperative Program:

Students receiving the Associate of Science degree in Biological Sciences from the Minnesota State Community and Technical College (Fergus Falls and Moorhead) will satisfy partial completion of BSU's Bachelor of Science in Biology degree by meeting specific course equivalents as listed under the Curriculum and Instruction section of this agreement provided that all Bemidji State University transfer policies as stated in the BSU catalog at the time of admissions are fully satisfied. All general education coursework completed at Minnesota State Community and Technical College (Fergus Falls and Moorhead) will transfer into BSU's liberal education according to the Minnesota State Community and Technical College (Fergus Falls and Moorhead) placement of those courses in their MnTC goal areas. Students who do not have the MnTC completed must meet BSU's liberal education requirements to graduate with a BSU degree.

All transfer consideration shall require that a letter grade of "C" or higher has been earned in coursework unless the course is part of a completed Associate of Arts Degree or the completed Minnesota Transfer Curriculum (MnTC).

Period of Agreement:

June 30, 2006 to July 1, 2008

The principles and practices contained in this cooperative agreement are subject to modification in accordance with changes in the policies of MnSCU or any subsequent board. In all such instances, students currently enrolled in a program of study at Minnesota State Community and Technical College (Fergus Falls and Moorhead) shall be considered under the transfer policies contained in the Bemidji State University's catalog at the time of admission. Applicants who have completed coursework, an Associate of Applied Science degree, an Associate of Science degree, a diploma, or a certificate program who do not

Off campus program requires a complete Center for Extended Learning application along with a \$20 processing fee and official transcript(s) from previously attended post-secondary institutions. If fewer than 24 transfer credits, the application packet must also include an official high school transcript.

Admission Requirements into Collaborative Program:

Associate of Science degree in approved program is required.

Registration Procedures:

*Registration for courses may occur once student has been admitted to Bemidji State University. **No students will be allowed to attend classes without being fully admitted and registered for the courses.** Registration procedures will be sent to students in advance.*

Academic Advising:

***Dr. Patrick Guilfoile** will provide academic advising at BSU.
Dr. Tom Prieve will provide academic advising Minnesota State Community and Technical College (Fergus Falls and Moorhead).*

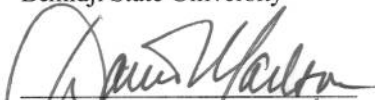
Financial Aid:

*Contact the Financial Aid Office at Bemidji State University. **Note: Financial Aid can be received from only one institution.***

Other terms and conditions of the collaborative program:

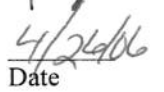
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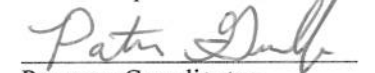
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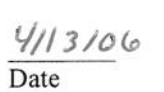

Registrar


Date

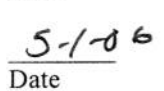

Transfer Specialist

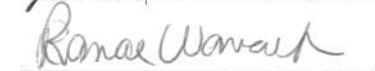

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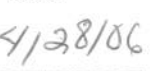

Program Coordinator


Date

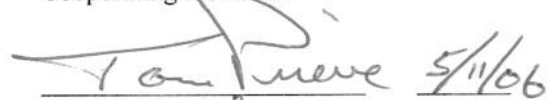

Vice President - Academic Affairs

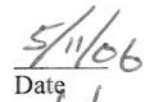

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Dean, College of Social
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Cooperating Institution

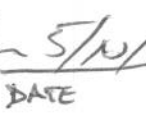

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