



PROGRAM AGREEMENT
BETWEEN THE UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS
RIO GRANDE VALLEY
AND
VORONEZH STATE UNIVERISTY



WHEREAS, The University of Texas at Rio Grande Valley (hereon referred to as UTRGV) and Voronezh State University (hereon referred to as VSU) have previously executed an Agreement of Cooperation.

WHEREAS, UTRGV and VSU desire to implement the provisions of such Agreement of Cooperation by providing students enrolled at each institution with a student exchange opportunity at the other's institution.

NOW THEREFORE, subject to the terms, conditions, and provisions of such Agreement of Cooperation, the parties agree as follows:

1.0 Program Students and Admission.

1.1 The exchange shall be limited to the equivalent of up to 3 full year students or 6 semester students per academic year from each institution during the term of the Agreement. Both institutions will review the exchange program on a regular basis for any imbalances in the number of students exchanged and will adjust the numbers as necessary to maintain a well-balanced program.

1.2 UTRGV shall notify VSU of the students nominated by UTRGV to participate in the program as set in the determined deadlines by both universities. VSU shall notify UTRGV of the students nominated by VSU as stated in the deadline.

1.3 UTRGV and VSU shall select students to participate in the exchange program based on demonstrated academic achievement and completion of curriculum that are a prerequisite for participation in the program.

UTRGV/VSU will recommend students for the program who have sufficient language proficiency to effectively participate in the instruction program offered at the host university.

UTRGV/VSU graduate students, or, undergraduate students who have completed at least one year of undergraduate study are eligible to participate in the program.

1.4 Students participating in the program will be subject to and must abide by all the rules and regulations of the host institution.

2.0 Course of Study. The exact program of study will be determined by a student with the mutual approval of responsible persons at the sending and hosting institutions.

3.0 Grade Reports. Within four weeks of the end of each semester, each institution will forward grade reports to the home institution for each student in the program.

4.0 Program Payments. UTRGV students will register for a full course load and remain registered at UTRGV while attending VSU and will pay UTRGV tuition to UTRGV. UTRGV

students will be exempt from all such tuition at VSU. VSU students will register for a full load and remain registered at VSU while attending UTRGV and will pay VSU tuition to VSU. VSU students will be exempt from all such tuition at UTRGV. Students will pay medical insurance and other fees as required by the host institution.

5.0 Housing/Travel/Meals. Each institution will provide housing for or provide information regarding locating housing for UTRGV/VSU students during their semester(s) of attendance. Housing cost, travel and meals will be paid by the student.

6.0 Term. This Agreement shall be effective from the date of its execution and terminate on November 30th, 2020.

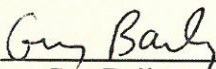
7.0 Designated Liaison. Each party designates the following officials to serve as its liaison to coordinate and facilitate activities under this Program Agreement and to address any concerns or disputes that may arise relating to the terms and conditions of this Program Agreement.

7.1 UTRGV: Alan Earhart, Director of International programs & Partnerships, ESTAC 3.128 1201 W. University Dr. Edinburg, Texas 78539, alan.earhart@utrgv.edu, 956-665-3655

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8.0 Signatures.

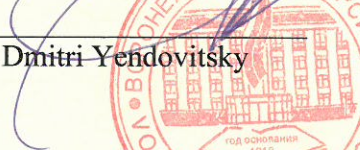
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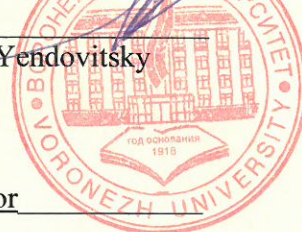
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