#### MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

#### BETWEEN

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### Northwestern State University

#### AND

## South Louisiana Community College

Northwestern State University (NSU) and South Louisiana Community College (SLCC) have 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 Science in Criminal Justice (Law Enforcement Concentration) at SLCC and transfer credit hours applied to the Criminal Justice degree as listed in Appendix A to Northwestern State University in partial fulfillment of degree requirements for the Bachelor of Science Degree in Unified Public Safety Administration Concentration A: Law Enforcement Administration at NSU. Both institutions serve the needs of their constituency and are responsive, student oriented institutions that prepare their 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 SLCC have said that they want and need an opportunity after completing their criminal justice studies from SLCC to transfer to a related baccalaureate degree program.

Both institutions have full-time, faculty with advanced academic and field experience credentials.

Both institutions have extensive support resources (i.e., library, on-line access, service courses, and adequate administrative – faculty – staff backup).

Northwestern State University has notable on-line instructional programs. The Unified Public Safety Administration baccalaureate degree is one example of available programs via the internet. Building a 2 + 2 degree will provide a model well suited to the students' interest and learning styles.

Northwestern State University has a partial tuition exemption for students employed full-time as law enforcement officers enrolled as Criminal Justice majors.

In accordance with this Memorandum of Understanding, South Louisiana Community College agrees to:

Have SLCC students who plan to transfer to NSU complete a Bachelor Degree in Unified Public Safety Administration Concentration A: Law Enforcement Administration file an intent to transfer form with NSU to establish the catalog of record for their graduation from NSU.

Jointly with Northwestern State University, market the 2+2 Agreement to prospective students.

Provide information about the 2+2 Agreement in the South Louisiana Community College catalog.

SLCC will offer credit hours as listed in Appendix A of the Memorandum of Understanding between NSU and SLCC for students.

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

Accept South Louisiana Community College credit hours as listed in Appendix A of the Memorandum of Understanding between Northwestern State University and South Louisiana Community College.

Along with South Louisiana Community College, jointly market the 2+2 Agreement.

By signature of President Randall J. Webb, Northwestern State University and signature of Chancellor Jan Brobst, South Louisiana Community College, this 2+2 Memorandum of Understanding is entered into on the 16 of December, 2008.

Dr. Randall J. Webb D

Date

Date

# Memorandum of Understanding between Northwestern State University

## South Louisiana Community College Appendix A

#### ENGLISH ( 6 sem. hours):

SLCC COURSE	NSU COURSE
ENGL 1010	ENGL 1010
ENGL 1020	ENGL 1020

MATHEMATICS ( 6 sem. hrs):

SLCC COURSE	NSU COURSE
MATH 1100	MATH 1020
MATH 2040 or	MATH 1060 or
MATH 2020	SOC 3200
MATH 2050	MATH 2010

NATURAL/PHYSICAL SCIENCES: (9 sem. hrs).

SLCC COURSE	NSU COURSE	٦
BIOL 1000	BIOL 1010	
BIOL1020	SCI 2020	
CHEM 1010	CHEM 1070	

HUMANTIES: (9 sem hrs)

SLCC COURSE	NSU COURSE	
ENGL 2010 or 2020	ENGL 2050	
ENGL 2030 or 2040	ENGL 2060	
HIST 2010 or 2020	HIST 2010 or 202	
SPCH 1010 or 1200	COMM 1010	

FINE ARTS: (3 sem hrs)

SLCC COURSE	NSU COURSE
	FA 1040

SOCIAL/BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES: (12 sem hrs.)

SLCC COURSE	NSU COURSE
POLI 1100	PSCI 2010
PSYC 1010	PSYC 1010
	PSYC 2450
SOCI 2010	SOC 1010
SOCI 2020	SOC 2020
HIST 1040, 1041, 2010 or 2020	HIST 1010, 1020, 2010, or 2020

HEALTH AND PERSONAL FITNESS (4 sem hrs.)

SLCC COURSE	NSU COURSE	
HLTH 1160	HED 1010	
HLTH 1150	HED 1090	

ORIENTATION COMPONENT: (1 sem hr)

SLCC COURSE	NSU COURSE
	OR 1010 (waived)

# COURSES IN MAJOR

SLCC COURSE	NSU COURSE
CJUS 1010	CJ 1100
CJUS 2010	CJ 2300
CJUS 2030	CJ 2500
CJUS 2040	CJ 2400
CJUS 2080	CJ 2160

ELECTIVES: (17 sem hrs required)

SLCC COURSE	NSU COURSE	
Elective (2 <sup>nd</sup> semester)	Elective	
Elective (4 <sup>th</sup> semester)	Elective	
Elective (computer)	Elective	
Elective (or CJ Practicum)	Elective	
ARTS, MUSC, or THEA	Elective	

Highlighted courses transfer directly from CJUS degree toward UPSA degree.

Use 42 hours from SLCC curriculum,

Waive the Orientation Course

Give 15 hours for Criminal Justice courses for UPSA concentration - total hours 58 of 69

Need to complete second year (Engl 1020, Math 1060, Engl lit, BIOL 1011 (Lab), PSCI 2010, UPSA 2400, UPSA 2700). These courses could be taken at either institution.