

STUDENT EXCHANGE APPENDIX
to the
AGREEMENT OF COOPERATION
between
STONY BROOK UNIVERSITY, STATE UNIVERSITY OF NEW YORK
and
ISTITUTO DI SCIENZE MARINE

In accordance with Section II of the Agreement of Cooperation, the following mechanisms designed to encourage and facilitate exchange of students are hereby established:

1. Students are to be exchanged for one full academic year or for one semester. With the consent of Scienze Marine, Stony Brook may nominate students to participate in a summer program at Scienze Marine. The program will provide sufficient contact hours to earn at least 6 Stony Brook credits. If Scienze Marine provides the program at no cost to Stony Brook students, then in return, Stony Brook will accept 1 semester student from Scienze Marine per every 2 Stony Brook students who participate in the Summer Program, or some combination of students and semester's equivalent to this.
2. The number of students to be exchanged each year will be determined by mutual consent no later than February 1, of the preceding academic year. Scienze Marine and Stony Brook also agree to achieve full reciprocity for this and the prior Student Exchange Agreement, by the end of this Agreement period. This balance may be achieved by an exchange of an equal number of students or equivalent financial compensation.
3. Initial selection of students will take place at the home institution; however, the host institution reserves the right to deny admission to any student not meeting its general admission criteria.
4. Student dossiers should be received at the host institution no later than March 15 for fall admissions and October 15 for spring admissions.
5. Each host university will assist incoming students in arranging accommodation. Students will be responsible for their own housing costs.
6. The host university will waive tuition charges for the incoming exchange students and will inform them in a timely fashion concerning fees and expenses for which the student will be responsible.
7. Students shall be responsible for obtaining health insurance coverage to the satisfaction of the host institution.
8. Students must be enrolled in a full-time course load at the host university for the duration of the program and in accordance with the student's degree program.
9. Students will be free to choose courses from the full range of courses available at the hosting institution, provided they satisfy course prerequisites and space is available.
10. Students who participate in the exchange program will not be degree candidates at the Host University.

11. Upon the request of the student, at the end of a student's program overseas, each host university will send to the home institution an official record of coursework completed at the host institution.
12. Each university will assess academic work completed at the partner institution and will award credit to its students in accordance with its own academic policies and regulations.
13. In the event that there is an imbalance in the number of students wishing to exchange, the parties may agree to establish a Study Abroad program additional to the above student exchange program for Stony Brook students to study at Scienze Marine and Scienze Marine students to study at Stony Brook. Students enrolled in such a Study Abroad program will be subject to all of the conditions listed above with the exception of Clause 6 covering tuition waiver. Study Abroad students will incur a special fee as agreed by the institutions. Payment of fees for Study Abroad students undertaking studies at the host institution will be in accordance with the fee collection procedures of the host institution.
14. This Appendix shall be in effect for the same period as the Agreement of Cooperation and may be adjusted in writing upon mutual agreement of the two parties. For matters not covered in the Appendix, the universities shall consult the Agreement of Cooperation.

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