

**MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT
BETWEEN
NORTHWEST MISSOURI STATE UNIVERSITY
AND
CONCEPTION SEMINARY COLLEGE
UNDERGRADUATE STUDENT EXCHANGE PROGRAM**

This agreement is between Northwest Missouri State University, a moderately selective, public, four-year, institution of higher education located in Maryville, Missouri (hereafter "NORTHWEST") and Conception Seminary College, an accredited, four-year college located in Conception, Missouri (hereafter "CONCEPTION SEMINARY") for the purposes set forth below.

PREAMBLE

WHEREAS NORTHWEST is recognized as an institution that provides a quality education with high rates of student retention and success and high levels of student satisfaction;

WHEREAS NORTHWEST wishes to be a partner with another educational institution in the Northwest region.

WHEREAS CONCEPTION SEMINARY offers a unique and quality academic program in seminary studies for priesthood; and

WHEREAS CONCEPTION SEMINARY wishes to further strengthen the offerings available to their students by closer collaboration with NORTHWEST; and

WHEREAS both NORTHWEST and CONCEPTION SEMINARY believe that partnering in an effort to expand and strengthen the relationships they currently have is in their mutual interest, including but not limited to conserving the academic and financial resources of both institutions, providing students an opportunity to maximize use of unique offerings at each institution and to simplify the enrollment procedures between the two institutions; and

WHEREAS such a partnership is consistent with state law as reflected in Section 173.005.2(6) RSMo, which encourages institutions of higher education to promote and facilitate the transfer of credit between such institutions;

The goal of this MOA is to extend and develop the terms of the Undergraduate Student Exchange Program. NOW THEREFORE NORTHWEST and CONCEPTION SEMINARY agree as follows:

1. Any student wishing to participate in the Student Exchange Program must complete and submit the free online Student Exchange Program application for admission.
2. Students in the Student Exchange Program will be admitted as non-degree students.
3. Any undergraduate student enrolled at CONCEPTION SEMINARY or at NORTHWEST qualifies for participation in the Student Exchange Program.
4. It is intended that students will co-enroll between institutions at their discretion.
5. Course enrollment may include any course that is to be counted toward the undergraduate degree and for which the student has the necessary pre-requisites. A student may earn up to

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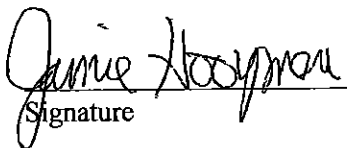
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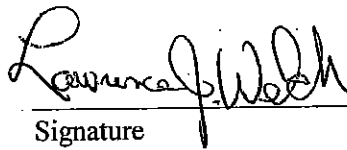
1. This agreement is for a period of one year from its effective date, with four one-year renewal option. This agreement is renewable by mutual agreement of both parties.
2. Either Party may terminate this Agreement for convenience, provided that it has given the other Party at least 120 days prior written notice of its intent to terminate.
3. Termination shall be without penalty to either Party.

This Agreement is effective as of the last date of the signatures contained below.

Northwest Missouri State University
By:

Conception Seminary College
By:


Signature _____ Date 2-27-24


Signature _____ Date 2-20-2024

Name: Dr. Jamie Hooyman
Title: Provost

Name: Dr. Lawrence J. Welch
Title: Academic Dean

Glossary of Terms:

Home – Institution at which a student is degree seeking and from which federal, State and institutional aid will be awarded.

Host – Institution at which the student is visiting or non-degree student.