



Student Exchange Agreements

Faculty who wish to pursue an international student exchange program can initiate the process through UNM's Global Education Office (GEO).

A Student Exchange Agreement is Appropriate When:

1. UNM and the proposed partner institution want to exchange a limited number of non-degree-seeking students for one or two semesters
2. There will be demand from UNM students to take classes at the partner institution. Maintaining such demand requires UNM faculty and his/her associated department to actively recruit outbound students. Student exchange agreements that fall out of balance must be suspended, thus active outbound recruitment is critical to a successful agreement
3. The partner institution's students want to take classes at UNM

Application Questions:

Would you like the agreement to include student exchange? YES or NO

If yes, provide answers to the following:

I am filing this petition on behalf of _____ (academic department).

Name: _____ Email: _____

Partner Institution: _____ Country: _____

Partner Institution URL: _____

Partner Contact: _____ Partner Contact Email: _____

1. Does the partner have an international student office that will assist UNM students? YES or NO

2. What is the language of instruction at the host campus? _____

3. Are there opportunities for advanced study of the local language at the host campus? YES or NO

4. URL with list of specific courses or programs that UNM students will take at the partner institution to fulfill pre-major and/or major/minor requirements:

5. How many students does your department intend to send on the exchange program per semester? _____

6. How will your department promote this exchange to students?

7. What scholarships are available for students?



Recommendations

Department Chair Yes No Signature _____

Education Abroad Director: Yes No Signature _____

Comments:

If approved, next steps would include the creation of an articulation plan that will assist advisors and students in your department in considering this new partner as a study abroad destination.