## Memorandum of Understanding on Conditional Guaranteed Admission between Hillsborough Community College and The University of Central Missouri

In order to benefit both the University of Central Missouri (UCM) and Hillsborough Community College (HCC), in the recruitment of international students, and to assist international students in their educational planning and in the completion of a baccalaureate degree, the University of Central Missouri and Hillsborough Community College wish to enter into an agreement of conditional guaranteed admission.

Under this Memorandum of Understanding (MOU), the University of Central Missouri will admit qualified current Hillsborough Community College students into the University. The University of Central Missouri agrees to define qualified Hillsborough Community College students as those who have:

- Completed or will complete an associate's degree or 60 transferable semester units;
- Achieved a minimum cumulative college-level GPA of 2.0 in all college-level academic coursework (at all colleges attended);
- Met the University of Central Missouri English proficiency and math requirements; *UCM recognizes the attainment of an associate's degree from Hillsborough Community College as sufficient proof of fulfilling these requirements.*
- Submitted a complete transfer application and all required documents by the applicable admission deadline.

The University of Central Missouri and Hillsborough Community College agree that:

- Hillsborough Community College will inform prospective international students of this 2 + 2 partnership.
- Both institutions will advertise this 2 + 2 partnership on their website.
- Hillsborough Community College will mail a "Conditional Letter of Admission" from the University of Central Missouri to all international students who indicate UCM as their intended destination.
- Hillsborough Community College will provide the University of Central Missouri with the contact information of students who chose the University of Central Missouri guaranteed conditional admission.
- UCM does hereby agree to offer a renewable Global Partners Scholarship to students from Hillsborough
  Community College, waiving the non-resident portion of their tuition. Students taking all or some IEP classes will
  also have the non-resident portion of tuition waived. Students must meet the following criteria to be eligible for
  this award:
  - Student transfers from an institution that UCM has an active partnership agreement with.
  - o Student must have a cumulative undergraduate GPA of 2.5 or higher.
  - Students must maintain a cumulative undergraduate GPA of 2.5 or better throughout the program.

This MOU will be valid when it is signed by both the University of Central Missouri Representative and the Hillsborough Community College Representative.

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