



PAID INTERNSHIP CREDENTIAL PROGRAM MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

This Agreement, effective as of the date of last signature, made by and between National University, a California non-profit public benefit corporation (the "University") and [INSTITUTION], which is located at [ADDRESS], who have partnered for the purpose of providing contractual services for students, or state-supported TK-12 educational service unit, ("Institution"), with reference to the following facts:

RECITALS

- A. University is accredited by WASC Senior College and University Commission (WSCUC). University has met all of the preconditions prescribed by the California Commission on Teacher Credentialing (the "CTC") to offer the following internship credential programs (each, a "Program"): Inspired Teaching and Learning, Teacher Education Internship Credential, Special Education Internship Credential, Preliminary Administrative Services Internship Credential, and Pupil Personnel Services Internship Credential – School Counseling, Pupil Personnel Services Internship Credential – School Psychology;
- B. California Education Code Sections 44452 and 44321 authorize a public school institution, charter school or county office of education in cooperation with an approved college or University to establish an internship program meeting the provisions of applicable California statutes and CTC regulations. Institution is either a public school institution (or state-supported TK-12 educational service unit), charter school, or county office of education and University is an approved University within the meaning of Ed Code Section 44452; and
- C. Institution and University wish to partner to deliver services in support of the Programs that meet the regulations and standards of CTC. Attached as "Exhibit A" to this Agreement and incorporated herein by this reference is a list of the Programs that Institution and University will be supporting through this partnership.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS

1. Term. The term of this Agreement shall commence as of the Effective Date above and shall continue until terminated in accordance with the terms and conditions in this Agreement. Either party may terminate this Agreement for any reason or no reason at all upon thirty (30) days written notice. All Interns placed with Institution and who are in good standing with Institution and University as of the date of termination of this Agreement shall be permitted to complete their internship experience with Institution.
2. Interns and Placement. University interns are students that are certified as qualified and competent by University to provide intern services to Institution and may, at Institution's discretion, be accepted and assigned to Institution's schools to provide services as interns (each, an "Intern"). University and Institution shall coordinate the process of selection and placement of Interns. University reserves the right to make the final determination on any Intern's acceptance into the Program, while Institution reserves the right to make the final determination on any Intern's employment. Neither University nor Institution shall discriminate in the selection or acceptance of, or participation by, any Intern pursuant to this Agreement because of race, color, national origin, religion, sex, sexual orientation, handicap, age, veteran's status, medical condition, marital status, or citizenship, within the limits imposed by law. Intern(s) must remain at the Institution addressed herein for the duration of their Program, except when: (a) University terminates an Intern's assignment at Institution; (b) agreed upon in writing between University and Institution; or (c) when an Intern is terminated by Institution with good cause (e.g., an Intern's misconduct, layoff).
3. Program Requirements. Each Intern accepted into the Program must have met all of the following qualifying minimum criteria:
 - a. Recommendation to a Program by an Institution designee.
 - b. Interview and screening by Institution staff, including a background check, Institution administrator interview and paper screening, Department of Justice/FBI fingerprint clearance, and a baccalaureate degree from an accredited Institution.
 - c. Interview and screening by University staff, and verification of coursework and prior experience with TK-12 students in a multicultural, multilingual setting.
 - d. Orientation meeting with a Credential Program Specialist, the University Support Provider/Supervisor faculty member for the Program.

- e. Passage of the CBEST exam or proof of basic skills assessment and verification of subject matter competence by completion of an approved program or passage of the CSET.
 - f. University Catalog requirements met including Special Education and Teacher Education programs virtual classroom/school placements will not be approved.
 - g. All service preconditions required by the CTC shall have been met.
4. Institution Site Support Provider Reimbursement. University shall reimburse the Institution's Site Support Provider with the applicable program stipend as identified in **Exhibit 1** at the completion of each semester or quarter, based on the number of units earned by the University Intern, or by an otherwise amount predetermined by University. The Institution's Site Support Provider must submit an Honorarium form and W-9 through the University's Credentials Payment Portal website (i.e., <https://www.nucredentials.net/>) to initiate the reimbursement process (the "Reimbursement Process"). Institution shall make Institution's Site Support Provider(s) aware of the Reimbursement Process. The University determines the stipend rate, but in no case shall it exceed six hundred dollars (\$600.00) per University Intern. The University will provide the stipend directly to the Institution's Site Support Provider unless the Institution elects for payment to be facilitated through the Institution's payroll through an amendment to this Agreement. In the event University terminates the assignment of a University Intern for any reason, the Institution's Site Support Provider shall receive payment on account of such University Intern for the actual time spent working with the University Intern. If a University Intern is reassigned to another Institution Site Support Provider, this shall be considered for payment purposes as an entirely new and separate assignment. Site Support Provider is not an employee of the University.
5. Insurance. The Institution and the University will obtain and maintain a broad form commercial general liability insurance policy with coverage of at least \$1,000,000 (one million dollars) for each occurrence and \$2,000,000 (two million dollars) in the aggregate, with no exclusion for molestation or abuse. The Parties will provide proof of such insurance upon execution of this Agreement to each other. For purposes of this Agreement, each of the Parties will provide workers' compensation insurance coverage for their own employees.
6. Intern Employment Status. Interns shall be Institution employees for all purposes, including for the payment of any federal, state, or local income or occupational taxes, FICA taxes, unemployment compensation or workers' compensation contributions, vacation pay, sick leave, retirement benefits or any other payments or benefits for or on behalf of Interns.
7. Reservation of Right to Payment. Pursuant to Education Code Section 44462, Institution reserves the right to request an adjustment of any Intern's salary to cover supervision services pursuant to this Agreement.
8. Non-Displacement of Certificated Employees. Pursuant to CTC requirements, upon request Institution shall provide written certification to University that each Intern placed with Institution has not displaced a certificated Institution employee, which shall enable University to verify to CTC that all statutory and CTC requirements have been met.
9. Teacher and Special Education Intern Support.
- a. To support Education Credential Interns, Institution and University will each provide a qualified supervisor to assist each Intern in a Program. Institution supervisors are called Site Support Providers ("SSP"). University supervisors are called University Support Providers ("USP"). Institution SSP will mentor, coach and consult with interns on all areas of responsibility as a teacher of record by observing lessons with pre- and post-debriefing protocols to provide weekly course planning, modeling and coaching with attention to differentiated instruction for English Learners; **assessment of language needs and progress**; and support for language accessible instruction. A minimum of two hours of support / mentoring and supervision must be provided to an intern every five instructional days.
 - b. SSP shall hold a valid Clear or Life Credential in the content area for which they are providing supervision, three years of successful teaching experience, hold a valid English Learner Authorization or CLAD Certificate issued pursuant to section 80015 or valid bilingual authorization issued pursuant to section 80015.1, and must have demonstrated exemplary teaching practices.
 - c. SSP must complete an orientation to the program's expectations to be knowledgeable regarding program curriculum and assessments. For Teacher Education and Special Education support, SSP orientation includes a minimum of 10 hours of initial orientation provided through the University. The program curriculum provides effective supervision approaches such as cognitive coaching, adult learning theory, and current content-specific pedagogy and instructional practices, program curriculum and assessments, including the Teaching Performance Expectations (TPEs) and the California Teaching Performance Assessment (Cal TPA) or Educational Specialist California Teaching Performance Assessment (EdSp CalTPA). **The orientation will include specific Literacy requirements for all candidates, pursuant to SB488, including the CA Dyslexia Guidelines: <https://www.cde.ca.gov/sp/se/ac/documents/cadyslexiaguidelines.PDF>**
 - d. SSP and USP will together meet periodically with Interns to ensure Interns are following the California standards for the specific credential each Intern is seeking to obtain.
 - e. SSP and USP will meet without the Intern to discuss the Intern's progress, as needed.

- f. Concurrent with an Intern's experience at Institution, University will hold program orientation seminars for Interns and stated-approved training seminars for SSP. University representatives will review supervising techniques, establish procedures for conducting observations and provide assistance, introduce forms used in the Program, communicate seminar schedules, and offer further training and materials to SSP.
- g. Institution will include Interns in appropriate Institution support programs and regularly scheduled staff development activities.
- h. Institution will designate a liaison, to ensure supervision and support assistance is provided to Interns at a minimum of 2 hours a week while employed as the teacher of record.
- i. Institution and University will share supervision and ongoing support requirements totaling a minimum of 144 hours per school year. Interns without English Language Authorization must receive 45 hours of focused English Language instruction support per school year; (b)(5)(B) requires the employer to identify an individual with EL authorization who will be immediately available to assist an intern teacher who does not yet hold EL authorization. USP will monitor the completion of employer-provided support via an Intern Support Verification Form to verify the clockwork hours provided by SSP and/or employer support personnel. Forms must be submitted as part of the intern's clinical practice course assignments. Program faculty, program supervisors, and Institution-employed supervisors monitor and support Interns during their progress towards mastering the TPEs.
- j. Employers who hire/place or wish to backdate interns outside National University clinical practice state offerings are required to provide 100% of the state mandated support (4 hours per week of general support, and 1.25 hours of EL specific support if the intern does not hold EL authorization) until the next available start date at which point the USP will provide University support services as noted in article (8.h.).
- k. National University provides Institution-employed supervisors with a minimum of 10 hours of initial orientation to the program curriculum, about effective supervision approaches such as cognitive coaching, adult learning theory, and current content-specific pedagogy and instructional practices. The program ensures that Institution employed supervisors remain current in the knowledge and skills for Intern supervision and program expectations.
- l. Institution with interns must have a fully qualified Credentialed administrator onsite.
- m. University may request use of video capture for Intern reflection and CalTPA, EdSp CalTP, or CalAPA (California Administrator Performance Assessment) completion to reflect to the extent possible Intern's knowledge, skills, and abilities to instruct TK-12 students while meeting state-adopted academic standards. Institution shall inform Special Education Credential Interns of video recording policies in place for the CalTPA, EdSp CalTPA, or CalAPA task video capture requirement.
- n. Intern teaching schedule must reflect no less than 80% of each day in the content area of the intended credential, in a traditional, face-to-face classroom. Virtual classroom/school placements will not be approved except in emergency situations subject to University's sole discretion. Transitional Kindergarten (TK) placements are highly discouraged at this time and will require additional faculty approvals.
- o. Interns in Special Education, Teacher Education/Inspired Teaching and Learning (ITL) programs are guided by the current California Teacher Performance Expectations (TPE).
- p. The TPE include, but are not limited to, the teaching of literacy skills as described in TPE 7; specifically, 7.6. Meaning Making, 7.7. Language Development, and 7.8. Effective Expression, as in accordance with PSA 24-01.

10. School Counseling Intern Support

- a. To support Services Credential Interns, Institution and University will each provide a qualified supervisor to assist each Intern in a Pupil Personnel Services Credential: School of Counseling.
- b. SSP shall refer to an employee of the Institution holding a valid Pupil Personnel Services or other credential issued by the CTC or equivalent certification recognized by the Institution typically with two (2) or more years' experience as a school counselor.
- c. Clinical practice shall refer to the participation by an Intern in the duties and functions of a school counselor and may include school attendance worker under the direct supervision and instruction of one (1) or more Clinical Practice Supervisors holding a PPS School Counseling Credential.
- d. As required by the CTC, the School Counseling Paid Internship requires a minimum of 800 clock hours field experience. Interns must obtain hours in two (2) out of the three (3) levels (e.g., elementary, middle, and high school) over the 800 clock hours. Interns must have opportunity to gain supervised experience in comprehensive student support systems that provides prevention and intervention services on behalf of students around crisis and trauma, including but not limited to: suicide and homicide risk and assessment and school shootings. Interns must have the opportunity to work with students of diverse backgrounds (150 hours) as part of the 800 clock hours, including socioeconomic disadvantages, English learners, homeless youth, foster youth; students with disabilities (including Section 504 plans), students experiencing suspension and expulsion from school, sexual minority youth (LGBTQ+), racial and ethnic minorities. See CTC (May 2020) Pupil Personnel Services: School Counseling Preconditions, Program Standards, and Performance Expectations, Page 6 – Fieldwork at https://www.ctc.ca.gov/docs/default-source/educator-prep/standards/pps-school-counseling-pdf.pdf?sfvrsn=28e552b1_4.

- e. Institution and University shall independently determine the qualifications of their respective supervisors. Interns must meet with their SSP for one (1) hour of individual or one-and-one half (1.5) hours of small group SSP supervision per week. Small groups shall not exceed eight (8) Interns per group.
- f. SSP and USP will together meet periodically with Interns to ensure Interns are following the California standards for the services credential each intern is seeking to obtain.
- g. SSP and USP will meet without the Intern to discuss the Intern's progress, as needed.
- h. Concurrent with an Intern's experience at Institution, Institution may hold Program orientation seminars for Interns. An initial meeting is held with the SSP' training, University representatives to review supervising techniques, establish procedures for conducting observations and providing assistance, introduce forms used in the Program, and communicate intern schedules.
- i. Institution will include Interns in appropriate Institution support programs and regularly scheduled staff development activities.
- j. Institution will designate a liaison to ensure supervisory and support assistance to Interns at Institution.
- k. USP will maintain contact with Interns remotely on a regularly scheduled basis to monitor each Intern's progress.
- l. School Counseling Fieldwork Intern Duties (may include, but are not limited to):
 - i. Attend regular supervision sessions with PPS credentialed site supervisor.
 - ii. In collaboration with site supervisor, provide individual counseling to students with social, emotional, and behavioral issues.
 - iii. Be an advocate to all students.
 - iv. Assist with Special Education consultation.
 - v. Collaborate and consult with parents and teachers to provide appropriate referrals.
 - vi. Collaboration with special education teachers and general education teachers in implementing RTI.
 - vii. Review of Special Education/Cumulative Records.
 - viii. Conduct classroom observations in General Ed./Special Ed. classrooms.
 - ix. Attend Individual Educational Plan (IEP) meetings.
 - x. Facilitate Group Counseling sessions.
 - xi. Provide teacher/parent consultation.
 - xii. Design and implement behavioral Interventions.
 - xiii. Participate in Student Study Teams (SST's).
 - xiv. Help provide school-wide positive behavioral intervention support.
 - xv. Provide intervention and consultation activities with students and families from culturally and linguistically diverse backgrounds.
 - xvi. Provide comprehensive school counseling services as required by the American School counseling Association's (ASCA) National Model.

11. School Psychology Intern Support

- a. To support Services Credential Interns, Institution and University will each provide a qualified supervisor to assist each Intern in a Pupil Personnel Services School Counseling, Pupil Personnel Services School Psychology, and Administrative Services Programs.
- b. SSP shall refer to an employee of the Institution holding a valid Pupil Personnel Services or other credential issued by the CTC or equivalent certification recognized by the Institution typically with two (2) or more years' experience as a psychologist.
- c. USP shall refer to an employee of the University holding a valid Pupil Personnel Services or other credential issued by the CTC or equivalent certification recognized by the Institution typically with two (2) or more years' experience as a psychologist.
- d. Clinical Practice Assignment shall typically refer to a full day of Clinical Practice consisting of five (5) days a week for twelve (12) to eighteen (18) weeks, dependent upon the program. Clinical Practice Assignment shall satisfy all requirements set by the commission.
- e. The School Psychology Internship totals a minimum of 1,200 clock hours field experience. Interns must obtain hours in two (2) out of the three (3) levels (e.g., elementary, middle, and high school) over the 1,200 clock hours.
- f. Clinical practice shall refer to the participation by an Intern in the duties and functions of a psychologist or school attendance worker under the direct supervision and instruction of one or more Commission qualified Clinical Practice Supervisors.
- g. Institution and University shall independently determine the qualifications of their respective supervisors.
- h. SSP and USP will together meet periodically with Interns to ensure Interns are following the California standards for the services credential each intern is seeking to obtain.
- i. SSP and USP will meet without the Intern to discuss the Intern's progress, as needed.
- j. Concurrent with an Intern's experience at Institution, Institution may hold Program orientation seminars for Interns and training seminars for SSP. Institution representatives will review supervising techniques, established procedures for conducting observations and providing assistance, introduce forms used within the Institution, communicate needs, and/or offer further training and materials to support Interns and Institution needs.

- k. Institution will include Interns in appropriate Institution support programs and regularly scheduled staff development activities.
- l. Institution will designate a liaison to ensure supervisory and support assistance to Interns at Institution.
- m. USP will visit Interns at their sites on a regularly scheduled basis to monitor each Intern's progress.
- n. School Psychology Internship Intern Duties (may include, but are not limited to):
 - i. Special Education IEP Consultation & Presentation of Psycho-Educational Assessment Results.
 - ii. Writing Psycho-Educational Reports which shall be reviewed by the Institution Supervisor.
 - iii. Collaborate and consult with parents and teachers to provide Referrals to Parents/Teachers.
 - iv. Design and Implement RtI/MTSS Interventions – both academic and behavioral/mental health.
 - v. Review of Special Education/Cumulative Records.
 - vi. Conduct Classroom Observations in General Ed./Special Ed. Classrooms.
 - vii. Conduct Psycho-Educational Assessments-Full.
 - viii. Facilitate Group/Individual Counseling.
 - ix. Teacher/Parent Consultation.
 - x. Design and Implement Behavioral Interventions.
 - xi. Participate in Study Team Consultation.
 - xii. Participate in Mandatory On-going weekly Supervision with Credentialed School Psychologist for a minimum of two hours a week.
 - xiii. Documentation of services (e.g., assessment logs, evaluations) required by Institution and verified by the supervising school psychologist.
 - xiv. School-wide positive behavioral intervention support.
 - xv. Assessment, intervention and consultation activities with students and families from culturally and linguistically diverse backgrounds.
 - xvi. Comprehensive and balanced school psychological services as required by the National Association of school Psychologists (NASP) Domains of Practice and Internship experience.

12. Preliminary Administrative Services Intern Support

Preliminary Administrative Services Interns must complete a range of activities in educational settings. Settings must:

- a. Support the Intern's ability to complete the CalAPA.
- b. Demonstrate commitment to collaborative student-centered practices and continuous program improvement.
- c. Support partnerships with education, social, and community entities that support teaching and learning for all students.
- d. Create a learning culture to support all students.
- e. Understand and reflect socioeconomic and cultural diversity.
- f. Support the Interns to access data, work with other educators, and observe teaching practice.
- g. Permit video capture for Intern reflection and CalAPA completion to reflect to the extent possible Intern's knowledge skills, and abilities to instruct TK-12 students while meeting state-adopted academic standards. Institution shall inform Credential Intern of video recording policies in place for the CalAPA task video capture requirement.
- h. SSP and USP will meet periodically with Interns to ensure Interns are following the California standards for the specific credential each Intern is seeking to obtain.

13. Academic Responsibility. University shall have exclusive control over all academic issues involving the Programs, which shall include, without limitation: selection of course content and required textbooks; delivery of instructional programs; selection and approval of faculty; admission, registration, and retention of Interns; evaluation of Interns' prior experience and education; evaluation of Interns' academic progress; scheduling courses; awarding academic credit; and conferring degrees.

14. Duration of Internship. Once an Intern has been accepted as an intern by Institution, and if the Intern remains in good standing in the Program at University and within the Institution's policies and performance standards, the Intern will be permitted to finish their internship at Institution. However, an Intern who performs below acceptable Institution or University standards, after appropriate support and advice efforts have been exhausted, may be removed from the paid internship position by the Institution and/or removed from their Program by the University. All services provided by University and Institution pursuant to this Agreement shall terminate upon an Intern's removal from the Institution or termination of participation in a Program.

15. Assessment. Assessment is a function of Clinical Practice in the Teacher Education Internship program (for the Teacher Education Internship Credential), and the Specialist Education Internship (for the Special Education Internship Credential), Intern Field Experience course (for the Preliminary Administrative Services Internship Credential) the School Counseling and School Psychology (for the Pupil Personnel Services Internship Credential) programs. Interns in those classes will pre-assess their teaching or administrative skills, develop a plan for growth, and assess their growth at the close of the course(s). This pre-assessment, development and post-assessment will occur in collaboration with the SSP and the USP.

16. Video Assessment. Institution and University agree the use of video recording equipment on any Institution property, including but not limited to, Institution classrooms, is solely for the purpose of assessing Interns as part of the credentialing process. The Institution shall provide University Site Support Providers and Interns with any or all applicable rules, regulations, and instructions relating to the assessment. The University and Institution agree no video recording of any Intern will occur without prior written notification of the name of the Intern as well as date, time, and location of the video recording to the principal of the school where the video recording is to take place. Principal of the Institution shall provide written approval of said recording; subject to the parent/guardian authorizations set forth in this section. The University and Institution agree no video recording of any Institution student shall be permitted to occur without the express written approval and authorization from the students' parent/guardian.
17. Control, Supervision, Evaluation of Video Recording. The control, supervision, evaluation, and/or direction of all Interns and any other University personnel in connection with the assessment of the Interns, including, but not limited to, all classroom video recording of the Interns, shall be at the University's sole discretion.
18. Indemnity. The Institution shall defend, indemnify and hold the University, its officers, employees, and agents, harmless from and against any and all liability, loss, expense (including reasonable attorney's fees), or claims for injury or damages arising out of the performance of this Agreement but only in proportion to and to the extent such liability, loss, expense, attorneys fees or claims for injury or damages are caused by or result from the negligent or intentional acts or omissions of the Institution, its officers, employees, or agents.

The University shall defend, indemnify and hold the Institution, its officers, employees, and agents, harmless from and against any and all liability, loss, expense (including reasonable attorney's fees), or claims for injury or damages arising out of the performance of this Agreement but only in proportion to and to the extent such liability, loss, expense, attorneys fees, or claims for injury or damages are caused by or result from the negligent or intentional acts or omissions of the University, its officers, employees, or agents.

19. Relationship of Parties. Nothing in this Agreement is intended nor shall be construed to create an employer/employee relationship, or a joint venture, partnership, or agency relationship between the parties.
20. Publicity. Neither University nor Institution shall cause to be published or disseminated any advertising materials, either printed or electronically transmitted, which identifies the other party or its facilities with respect to this Agreement, without the prior written consent of the other party. In addition, neither party may use the names, logos, or trademarks of the other party without its prior written consent.
21. Records. It is understood and agreed that all employment records shall remain the property of Institution, and all student records, including Intern assessments, will remain the property of University.
22. Confidentiality of Student Intern Records. For purposes of this Agreement and pursuant to the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974 (FERPA), University designates Institution and its facilities/educational sites as having a legitimate educational interest in the educational records of any student who participates in the Internship Credential Program to the extent that access to the records is required by Institution programs or facilities to which the Intern is assigned to carry out the relevant educational experience. Institution and its organizational components (i.e., programs) agree to maintain the confidentiality of each Intern's educational record in accordance with the provisions of FERPA.
23. Confidentiality of Institution Pupil Records. No Intern will have access to or have the right to receive any Institution pupil records, except to the extent necessary in the regular course of assisting in providing services to pupils as part of the Internship program. The discussion, transmission, or narration in any form by Interns of any individually identifiable pupil information, educational, medical, or otherwise, which is obtained in the course of the Internship program, is forbidden except as a necessary part of the practical Internship experience. To the extent an Intern is given access, they are subject to the privacy regulations outlined in the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act, 20 U.S.C. § 1232g; 34 C.F.R. Part 99, as amended ("FERPA"). Otherwise, Interns shall use de-identified information only (and not personally identifiable pupil information) in any discussions about the internship experience with University, its employees, agents or others.
24. Limitation of Liability. Except for obligations to make payment under this Agreement, liability for indemnification, liability for breach of confidentiality, or liability for infringement or misappropriation of intellectual property rights, in no event shall either Party or any of its representatives be liable under this Agreement to the other Party or any third party for consequential, indirect, incidental, special, exemplary, punitive, or enhanced damages, lost profits or revenues or diminution in value arising out of, or relating to, and/or in connection with any breach of this Agreement, regardless of whether such damages were foreseeable, whether or not it was advised of the possibility of such damages and the legal or equitable theory (contract, tort, or otherwise) upon which the claim is based.

25. Certificate of Clearance. In accordance with California Education Code Section 44320, each credential Intern prior to assignment to Institution must obtain at their sole expense a "Certificate of Clearance," which includes a complete Live Scan Service. The University will ensure that Interns receive a Certificate prior to beginning their assignment in the Institution or hold a valid document issued by the CTC accounting for fingerprint clearance.
26. Tuberculosis Clearance. In accordance with the California Education Code Section 49406, each Intern must obtain, at the Intern's sole expense, an examination by a licensed physician or surgeon within the past sixty (60) days to determine that they are free of active tuberculosis, prior to beginning the Intern's assignment in the Institution.
27. Infectious Diseases. Institution shall inform and advise Interns and any USP regarding the current status of infectious diseases at Institution prior to arriving on site as well as provide appropriate PPE.
28. Non-Discrimination and Commitment to Equity, Diversity, and Inclusion. University and Institution agree not to discriminate against any individual under this Agreement because of race, color, religion, sex, gender, ancestry, age, national origin or disability (as defined in The Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990, 42 USC 12101, et seq. and any regulation promulgated thereunder) or any other unlawful basis. Institution agrees to recognize and support the University's commitment to diversity, equity, and inclusion.
29. Title IX. University strictly adheres to Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972, the federal Campus Sexual Violence Elimination Act; United States Department of Education regulations and directives; and the University's sexual harassment policy and procedures (collectively, "Regulations"). Specifically, the Regulations apply to all students, employees, visitors, and other third parties on University-controlled or affiliated property, including institutions and entities with whom University places its employees or students. Further, such Regulations prohibit unequal treatment on the basis of sex/gender as well as sexual harassment, misconduct and violence. As a condition of employment, enrollment, doing business, or being permitted on University-controlled or affiliated property, the above-mentioned individuals, organizations, and entities must agree to: (1) Report any and all allegations of discrimination, harassment, (including sexual harassment, or violence) promptly to the Title IX Coordinator via the reporting form at the following link: <https://www.nu.edu/reportit/>, or by using one of the other methods of communication with the Title IX Coordinator found at the following link: <https://www.nu.edu/title-ix/erp/>; (2) Cooperate with University's investigation; and (3) Cooperate fully with all sanctions that University may impose against those who are found to have violated the Regulations. If the individual, organization, or entity fails to adhere to any of the aforementioned requirements, University reserves the right to take appropriate action, including but not limited to: immediate removal from University-controlled or affiliated property, discipline of employees and students (including termination of employment and/or enrollment); and/or termination of business or contractual relationships.
30. Arbitration. In the event of any dispute, claim, question, or disagreement arising from or relating to this agreement or the breach thereof, the parties hereto shall use their best efforts to settle the dispute, claim, question, or disagreement. To this effect, they shall consult and negotiate with each other in good faith and, recognizing their mutual interests, attempt to reach a just and equitable solution satisfactory to both parties. If they do not reach such solution within a period of 60 days, then, upon notice by either party to the other, all disputes, claims, questions, or differences shall be finally settled by arbitration administered by the American Arbitration Association in accordance with the provisions of its Commercial Arbitration Rules.
31. Entire Agreement and Severability. If a court or arbitrator holds any provision of this Agreement to be illegal, unenforceable, or invalid, the remaining provisions will not be affected. This Agreement contains the entire agreement between the parties pertaining to the transaction and may not be amended unless in writing, signed by both parties.
32. Assignment. Neither party shall assign its rights or delegate its duties under this Agreement without the prior written consent of the other party.
33. Notices. All notices or other communications given under this Agreement will be in writing and sent to the addressee listed below (unless a party has changed its address by giving notice), and will be effective upon receipt if delivered personally or by overnight mail, or effective three days after mailing if by certified mail, return receipt requested.
34. Supersedes Prior Agreements. This Agreement supersedes any prior agreements between the parties with respect to the subject matter hereof, whether written or oral, and any such prior agreements are cancelled as at the date of this Agreement but without prejudice to any rights which have already accrued to either of the parties.
35. Representations. Each party represents that: (a) it will abide by all applicable federal, state, or local statutes or regulations; (b) the individual signing this Agreement has the authority to do so; and (c) it has the ability and authority to perform each of its obligations under this Agreement. These representations will continue after the Agreement terminates.

36. Force Majeure. Neither University nor Institution shall be liable to the other party for any failure to perform any of its obligations (except payment obligations) under this Agreement during any period in which such performance is delayed by circumstances beyond its reasonable control including, but not limited to, fire, flood, pestilence, war, pandemic, embargo, strike, riot or the intervention of any governmental authority (each a “Force Majeure” event). In such Force Majeure event, however, the delayed party must promptly provide the other party with written notice of the Force Majeure event, shall suspend performance only for such period of time as is necessary as a result of the Force Majeure event, and shall use reasonable efforts to resume performance as quickly as possible. If the Force Majeure event lasts longer than thirty (30) days, the other party may immediately terminate this Agreement by giving written notice to the delayed party.
37. General Provisions. The Agreement: (a) will be binding and enforceable by the parties and their respective successors or assigns, but not by any individual or organization not a party to this Agreement; (b) may be executed in counterparts and effective with original or facsimile signatures; and (c) will be governed by California law.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Parties have executed this Agreement effective the date first written above.

University: National University

Institution: _____

By: _____
John Cicero, Ph.D.
Provost and Chief Academic Officer

By: _____

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EXHIBIT A

Internship Programs

Institution and University wish to partner to support the following Programs:

- Inspired Teaching and Learning Teacher Education Internship Credential
- Special Education Internship Credential
- Preliminary Administrative Services Internship Credential
- Pupil Personnel Services Internship Credential: School of Counseling
- Pupil Personnel Services Internship Credential: School of Psychology

Honorariums:

Honorarium amount of \$300.00 per course is paid to the following programs:

- Inspired Teaching and Learning Teacher Education Internship Credential
- Special Education Internship Credential

Honorarium amount of \$150.00 per course is paid to the following programs:

- Pupil Personnel Services Internship Credential: School of Counseling
- Pupil Personnel Services Internship Credential: School of Psychology

There is no honorarium provided for the following program:

- Preliminary Administrative Services Internship Credential