Agreement for an Intercollegiate Dual Degree Program

between

The College of Engineering and Applied Science
University of Wisconsin - Milwaukee

and

University of Wisconsin - La Crosse

This document states the terms of an agreement between the College of Engineering and Applied Science, University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee and the University of Wisconsin-LaCrosse.

Beginning with the first semester of the 1994-95 school year, a dual degree program leading to a BS degree in Physics from the University of Wisconsin-LaCrosse and a BS degree in a branch of engineering from the University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee, will be available to qualified students. This dual degree program will require approximately three years of attendance at the University of Wisconsin-LaCrosse followed by approximately two years of attendance at the University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee campus.

Students who express interest in the dual degree program will be selected for entrance into the University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee portion of the program based on a minimum B (3.00) average in all course work; a minimum B (3.00) average in the chemistry, computer science, mathematics, and physics course work required by the program; and the positive recommendation of the Chair of the Department of Physics, University of Wisconsin LaCrosse, (or designee). Qualified LaCrosse applicants are assured admission in the College of Engineering and Applied Science at Milwaukee.

In the first three years of work taken through the University of Wisconsin-LaCrosse, students must complete a minimum of 88 hours. Courses must be successfully completed in each of the following areas: mathematics (calculus through differential equations), physics to satisfy the LaCrosse major requirements, chemistry (through quantitative analysis), and the LaCrosse General Education requirements. Credit, but not grades, for these courses, passed with a grade of C or better, will be transferred to the University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee transcript as credit for equivalent Milwaukee courses, even though they may not be required by the Milwaukee engineering curriculum selected by the student. Students who satisfy the General Education requirements at LaCrosse will automatically satisfy the Milwaukee General Education requirements except for English composition. The dean of the College of Engineering and Applied Science at UW-Milwaukee reserves the right to waive the English composition requirement for qualified students.
During the years at the University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee students will complete the requirements specified in the University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee Undergraduate Bulletin at the time of admission to their engineering degree programs. The course work at the University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee will also be transferred to University of Wisconsin-LaCrosse to complete the requirements for the University of Wisconsin-LaCrosse BS in Physics.

Changes in curricula, at both institutions, will be accommodated as they occur. Students will be eligible to participate in commencement ceremonies at both the University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee and University of Wisconsin-LaCrosse.

Students must apply to the appropriate financial aid office when seeking financial assistance. The LaCrosse aid office will assist the students through the transition by forwarding full financial aid transcripts and other relevant documents to Milwaukee.

When transferring to the University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee from the University of Wisconsin-LaCrosse, the student will be expected to submit applications for admission, for housing, and for financial aid on standard forms provided by the University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee. These forms must be submitted in accord with the deadlines published in the then current University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee documents.

Recruitment of students for this program will be the responsibility of University of Wisconsin-LaCrosse, with the cooperation of the University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee.

This agreement constitutes a declaration of intent and is subject to renegotiation as conditions change and experience dictates.

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