

CONTRACT
between
KYONGJU JUNIOR COLLEGE OF KOREA
and
BEMIDJI STATE UNIVERSITY OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

Preamble:

Kyoungju Junior College and Bemidji State University share a common interest in providing qualified students with access to advanced learning opportunities. Both institutions recognize their mutual responsibility for preparing students with the necessary transferable skills, knowledge and values to succeed as global citizens in the twenty-first century. It is with this understanding that both institutions enter into this memorandum of understanding.

TERMS OF CONTRACT

A. Admission

Bemidji State University agrees to consider students recommended by Kyoungju Junior College who satisfy all the admissions requirements as set forth for international students in the 1998-2000 undergraduate catalog. The admission determination shall be the responsibility of the Director of International Student Services.

B. Partial Tuition Scholarships

The Director of International Student Services at Bemidji State University shall award a minimum of five partial tuition scholarships annually to recommended students from Kyoungju Junior College who satisfy the appropriate requirements. The partial tuition scholarships will be renewed for each student who fully satisfies the continuation criteria. An awardee may receive a partial tuition scholarship award for a period of four academic years. A student should have a TOEFL score of 500 or equivalent in order to gain consideration of the partial tuition scholarship.

C. Transfer of Course Work

Bemidji State University agrees to consider courses and/or credits in transfer based on an articulation agreement to be provided to Kyoungju Junior College. Both degree recipients and non-degree recipients from Kyoungju Junior College shall be eligible for transfer consideration. All transfer consideration shall require that a letter grade of "C" or equivalent or higher has been earned in course work and/or programs at Kyoungju Junior College. A student may receive up to ninety-six quarter hour equivalents for all course work completed.

D. Health Insurance

All international students transferring to Bemidji State University are required to purchase the student health insurance program.

E. English as a Second Language

All students are required to attend the international student orientation program and to participate in the English as a Second Language Assessment Program. A student who is identified as needing English as a Second Language assistance is required to enroll in the designated course work. All English as a Second Language requirements must be completed within one academic year (i.e., nine months).

TIME FRAME FOR CONTRACT

Kyoungju Junior College and Bemidji State University agree to enter into this contract for a period of four years from the date of this agreement. In addition both Bemidji State University and Kyoungju Junior College shall participate in higher quality research, seminars and other educational activities and share information and publications upon joint agreement. The terms and conditions of the agreement will be reviewed annually or as the need may arise by the chief academic officers of the institutions or designee. Any modifications to this contract shall require written notification and agreement by both parties.

_____/S/_____

M. James Bensen
President
Bemidji State University

Date 1998. 04. 29.

_____/S/_____

Kim, Il-yun
Founder
Kyoungju Junior College

Date 98.04.29.