



**MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING**  
**BETWEEN**  
**H.WAYNE HUIZENGA SCHOOL OF BUSINESS & ENTREPRENEUSHIP**  
**NOVA SOUTHEASTERN UNIVERSITY**  
**AND**  
**MIAMI DADE COLLEGE**  
**SCHOOL OF BUSINESS**

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The H. Wayne Huizenga School of Business and Entrepreneurship (Huizenga School) of Nova Southeastern University (NSU) would like to form a partnership with Miami Dade College (MDC) to increase opportunities for graduate business education (Master's degree programs) for students and alumni who have earned MDC's Bachelor's in Applied Science (BAS) degree in Management and Supervision. This MOU addresses tuition discounts available to qualified MDC students, alumni, staff, and faculty.

#### **TUITION**

The Huizenga School will reduce tuition in its Masters Program by 25% per credit hour based on the cost for ground classes; with the exception of Leadership (see the Huizenga School Master's programs at <http://www.huizenga.nova.edu/FutureStudents/Masters/overview.cfm>). In fiscal year 2012/2013, the rate for a ground course per credit hour is \$682. A discount of 25% off the ground rate for a course is \$170.50. Therefore, this reduces the cost per credit hour for ground courses from \$682 to \$511.50 and from \$777 to \$606.50 per credit for online courses.

This rate will be honored for incoming students from MDC's BAS degree in Supervision and Management as of the signing of this memorandum by both parties. This tuition rate is also extended to alumni, faculty, and staff of MDC. The 25% reduction based on the ground course rate will be honored until the student completes their master's degree at the Huizenga School at NSU. Thus, while tuition rates are subject to change every July, the Huizenga School will honor the 25% discount from the prevailing ground rate that year for these students.

#### **ADMISSIONS**

1. The Huizenga School agrees to waive the non-refundable fee for the Master's Application for Admissions.

2. GMAT or GRE scores are not required for students who have earned MDC's Bachelor's in Applied Science (BAS) degree in Management and Supervision with a cumulative GPA of 2.5 or higher.

## **COLLABORATION**

MDC will facilitate promotion of the partnership in various ways. This includes:

- Facilitating the distribution of information to MDC BAS graduates, produced and paid by NSU.
- Providing opportunities for NSU recruiting personnel to attend classes, meeting, and other functions to speak to students or alumni of the BAS degree.
- Providing opportunities for NSU recruiting personnel to meet with MDC School of Business academic advisors to brief them on the programs at the Huizenga School so as to provide accurate information to MDC students.

## **TERM, TERMINATION AND OTHER PROVISIONS**

This MOU is effective at the beginning of the 2012/2013 academic year of both institutions, whichever is earlier. For MDC, the beginning of the 2012/2013 academic year is September 1, 2012. The term of the MOU shall remain in effect for each successive academic year, unless otherwise cancelled by either institution.

If the MOU is cancelled by either party, it will not affect students who have been accepted and are enrolled in the Huizenga School's Master's program as of the date of MOU cancellation.

Either party may terminate the MOU upon written notice to the other party, at least one full academic year in advance of such termination date. At the time of cancellation, any BAS alumni fully admitted to an NSU Master's program in business will have the aforementioned tuition rate structure honored as a sign of good faith between our institutions.

This MOU between Nova Southeastern University's H. Wayne Huizenga School of Business and Entrepreneurship and Miami Dade College for its School of Business was approved by the participating entities on this 5th day of July, 2012.

**NOVA SOUTHEASTERN UNIVERSITY**

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J. Preston Jones, D.B.A.  
Interim Dean, H. Wayne Huizenga School of  
Business & Entrepreneurship  
Date: 13 JUNE 2012

Witnessed:

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Print Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Print Title: \_\_\_\_\_

**MIAMI DADE COLLEGE**, a public institution of higher education and a political subdivision of the State of Florida organized under the laws of the State of Florida

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Dr. Rolando Montoya  
College Provost  
Date: June 5<sup>th</sup>, 2012

Witnessed:

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Print Name: Michael Reiner

Print Title: Associate Provost