

**COOPERATIVE AGREEMENT  
NORTHWEST VISTA COLLEGE  
AND  
UNIVERSIDAD TECNOLOGICA DEL NORTE DE  
COAHUILA**

**BASIC PRINCIPLES**

In a spirit of international cooperation, Northwest Vista College and UT del Norte de Coahuila propose a binational cooperative agreement for the purpose of facilitating the development of exchanges of educational and cultural projects for the benefit of students, faculty, staff and for the citizens of México and the United States.

**OBJECTIVES**

- The joint offering of seminars, courses on higher education and specialized training utilizing, staff, faculty and administrators of both institutions.
- Exchanges of a cultural, athletic and social nature.
- Exchanges of administrative, teaching and student personnel for the purpose of professional development.

Exchange of equipment and educational materials.

- Costs associated with items 1,2 and 3 would be negotiated on a case by case basis within the regulations and policies of both institutions.
- Scholarships and fellowships from either institutions to the extent possible would be made available to exchange and visiting students and faculty from the two institutions.
- Joint use of classrooms, libraries, workshops, equipment and laboratories of both institutions where feasible.
- Exchange of technical and statistical information for educational and planning purposes.
- Planning and implementing of research studies on problems common to both institutions such as on issues of technology, socio-economics pedagogy and the environment.
- Development of pilot programs of an experimental nature that might link the institutions with business and industry as well as programs and courses using distance education and internet technology.

In order to initiate this agreement and to begin its implementation the institutions agree to the following:

A. All information relative to this agreement will be coordinated through:  
NVC-Sandra Uribe  
UTNC-José Arnulfo Vargas

B. Visits by representatives of each of the two institutions.

C. The implementation of a minimum one activity within six months of the signing of this agreement.

This agreement will be valid for three years effective with the signing of this document. It may be automatically renewed on the anniversary date or may be modified as agreed to by both institutions.

<p>NORTHWEST VISTA COLLEGE</p> <p><b>DR. JACQUELINE CLAUNCH</b> PRESIDENT</p> <p><b>SANDRA URIBE</b> INTERNATIONAL EDUCATION</p>	<p>UNIVERSIDAD TECNOLOGICA DEL NORTE DE COAHUILA</p> <p><b>LIC. JAIME UEVARA</b> RECTOR</p> <p><b>JOSE ARNULFO VARGAS</b> VINCULACION</p>
--	---

DATE: JUNE 29, 2001.