## BI -NATIONAL COOPERATIVE AGREEMENT BETWEEN LAREDO COMMUNITY COLLEGE AND UNIVERSIDAD TECNOLOGICA DEL NORTE DE COAHUILA, PIEDRAS NEGRAS, COAHUILA M EXICO

## **Basic Principles**

In a spirit of international cooperation both institutions propose to draw up a bi-national plan with the purpose of developing an interchange of educational and cultural projects with the , object of offering a series of benefits for the citizens of the United States and Mexico.

## **Objectives**

- 1. The joint offering of seminars, courses of higher education and specialized technical training with the administration of these programs by personnel of either one or both institutions.
- 2. Cultural, sport, and social interchanges.
- 3. Interchange of administrative, teaching, and student personnel in educational programs including those related to self development.
- 4. Interchange of equipment and educational material.
- 5. Interchange of fellowships of both institutions.
- 6. Interchange of the use of physical plant (classrooms, libraries, workshops, equipment and laboratories of both institutions).
- 7. Interchange of statistical, technical and educational information.
- 8. Planning research studies on the common problems of both institutions (examples:) socio-economic, ecological, and technical studies, etc.)
- 9. Development of any pilot programs of an experimental nature in different areas.

With the purpose of initiating and implementing some of these agreements, the following is agreed to:

- A. The formation of a committee composed of three representatives from each institution.
- B. Visits to the physical plants by representatives of both institutions.
- C. The initiation in the month following the signing of this agreement of interchange programs among the different administrative and academic department heads.

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