Northeastern University
Seattle

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Bellevue College
Bachelor of Science in Computer Science
Bachelor of Applied Science in Information Systems and Technology
Application Development
Business Intelligence
Cybersecruity

to

Northeastern University, College of Computer and Information Science
Master of Science in Computer Science Degree &
Master of Science in Computer Science ALIGN Degree

2018-2019 Articulation Agreement

The purpose of this agreement is to foster a spirit of collaboration between Bellevue College (BC) and Northeastern University, College of Computer and Information Science (NU-CCIS). This agreement will facilitate qualified students in the Bachelor of Science in Computer Science (BS-CS) and the Bachelor of Applied Science in Information Systems Techology, Application Development (BAS-AD) concentration to, and completion of the Masters of Science in Computer Science (MS-CS) program at NU-CCIS.

This agreement will also facilitate qualified students in the Bachelor of Applied Science in Information Systems Techology, Business Intelligence (BAS-BI) and Cybersecurity (BAS-CS) concentration programs at BC in their application to, admission to, and completion of the Masters of Science in Computer Science ALIGN (MS-CS ALIGN) program at NU-CCIS.

Qualified student applicants must meet the minimum requirements of admission to the College of Computer and Information Science of NU and will be evaluated individually by the MS-CS Program Director and Graduate Committee.

Overview of Student Benefits:

- All students that graduate from BC with at leat a 3.5 GPA will be admitted directly into the NU Computer Science program
- The application fee wil be waived
- Students from BC with a GPA less than 3.5 are still encouraged to apply and the application fee will be waived
- All admitted MS in CS students from BC receive a 25% tuition discount for the duration of the program, provided they remain in good academic standing

The minimum requirements to enter the NU-CCIS programs are:

- Four year bachelor's degree
- 3.0 GPA or above
- Personal Statement
- Three letters of recommendation
- Official transcripts from all colleges/universities attended
- Recent professional resume

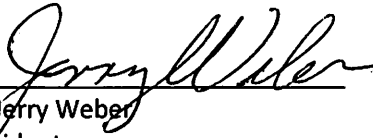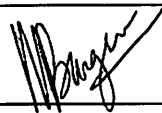Under this agreement the NU-CCIS programs will:

- Provide prospective students access to NU-CCIS advisors for assistance in preparing the degree program application
- Advise students of any graduate scholarship opportunities specifically for BC BS-CS, BAS-AD, BAS-BI & BAS-CS students
- Conduct a graduate program information session 3-4 times per year on the BC campus
- Attend career fairs at BC
- Allow BC BS-CS, BAS-AD, BAS-BI & BAS-CS students onto the NU Seattle campus once per year for a tour of the campus
- Provide informational documents for distribution to potential students
- Conduct other communication efforts to prospective students as agreed upon between the institutions

Under this agreement the BC BS-CS, BAS-AD, BAS-BI & BAS-CS program will:

- Communicate to junior and senior students the pathway to the MS-CS & MS-CS ALIGN degree. Communication will include verbal, written, and/or electronic notification to potential students in a timely manner. The communication will include but is not limited to:
  - Posting flyers marketing the pathway
  - Dedicating classroom time for NU-CCIS program visits and information sessions
- Conduct other communication efforts to prospective students as agreed upon between the institutions including notifications of NU program info sessions on Bellevue or NU campuses

It is agreed upon and understood that each party has the right and responsibility to make changes to its curricula and enrollment standards to maintain its academic integrity and meet accreditation standards. Such changes, if any, will be communicated in writing between respective administrators as they occur.

This articulation agreement, once signed will be effective immediately and must be reviewed and re-approved in the same manner at least once every two years.

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