

Mid-Ohio Educational Service Center Lourdes Advantage Partnership

Memorandum of Understanding

OBJECTIVE:

To provide employees of the MOESC a convenient and cost-effective way to earn an undergraduate or master's degree, endorsement, or certificate at Lourdes University. Employees benefit directly from the Lourdes Advantage.

BENEFITS TO EMPLOYEES:

- Preferred Pricing – Full-time and part-time employees of MOESC will receive a tuition reduction of 15%.
 - Lourdes alumni receive an additional 5% reduction in tuition.
 - Students in programs leading to a master's degree will see the tuition reduction as a scholarship/waiver posted to their accounts.
 - Students in eligible non-degree endorsement or certificate programs will see the tuition reduction by being billed at a lower rate.
 - Student/employee will contact HR to send a letter each semester directly to finaid@lourdes.edu to verify employment
- Excellent Faculty Guaranteed with Convenient Academic Formats Available – On-campus, online, and hybrid academic programs taught by faculty in specific disciplines who are

committed to providing real-world experiences for students as a part of the curriculum.

BENEFITS TO MOESC:

- Recognition as a Lourdes Advantage Partner on the University Website.
- Ability to Support Employees' Studies at a Reduced Tuition.
- Customized Academic Delivery – The development of the best learning option for employees will be facilitated by the Lourdes Advantage Partnership team in collaboration with MOESC representatives. A needs assessment will be conducted to guide program offerings and to determine the desired academic format.
 - A hybrid program could be designed to allow for a combination of on-site, online and/or on-campus courses.

OPPORTUNITIES FOR LOURDES UNIVERSITY:

- MOESC agrees to share Lourdes University's educational opportunities with employees and to host information sessions, with scheduling agreed upon by both parties.

Note: Learners Edge and EDU 599 courses are not included in this MOU and are not eligible for discounts.

Mid-Ohio Educational Service Center

Lourdes University

Kevin Kimmel
Superintendent

Date

Dr. Kate Beutel
Provost

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