

A DUAL DEGREE PROGRAM BETWEEN
STATE UNIVERSITY OF NEW YORK AT STONY BROOK
STONY BROOK, UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
AND
NANJING UNIVERSITY OF INFORMATION SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY (NUIST)
NANJING, CHINA

In recognition of the general importance of international education and existing ties of mutual cooperation and respect, State University of New York at Stony Brook (hereafter SBU) and Nanjing University of Information Science and Technology (hereafter NUIST) agree to develop and administer a dual degree program for undergraduate students initially admitted to NUIST in marine, atmospheric, and environmental sciences. The program is specifically designed to enable qualified participants from NUIST, as determined by both universities, to earn a Bachelor's degree from SBU.

Nominations

NUIST will nominate no fewer than 5 students and no more than 50 students with upper division standing per academic year for advanced standing at SBU for study in agreed upon upper division courses for up to 60 credits. Nominations, including credentials, complete academic records, and all other supporting documentation required by SBU, will be made available to SBU's Office of International Academic Programs by January 1 for the following Fall semester, and September 1 for the following Spring semester.

Requirements

Nominated NUIST students will have a GPA equivalent to a SBU 3.25 and a minimal TOEFL score of 80 on the internet based test, or other proof of English proficiency that meets the admissions criteria of the SBU Office of Undergraduate Admissions.

Admission

Nominations and documentation of minimal requirements will not in themselves guarantee admission to SBU. Offers of admission for NUIST nominees will be made by the SBU Office of Undergraduate Admissions in consultation with the SBU School of Marine and Atmospheric Sciences (SoMAS). Offers of admission for the fall term will be made by April 1, and offers for the spring term will be made by December 1. NUIST students who do not meet the TOEFL requirement but have passed the Chinese national Level 4 English Proficiency Test may be admitted to the SBU's Intensive English Center (IEC) and conditionally admitted to SBU's degree programs, in which case students must take IEC English courses and complete the advanced IEC level with a grade of B or better.

Tuition Costs and Fees

Admitted NUIST students will be billed for and pay out-of-state tuition directly to SBU's Bursar's Office.

Housing and Meal Plan

NUIST students will pay all appropriate SBU undergraduate fees, as well as housing and meal plan costs.

Requirements for Graduation

In order to receive an SBU diploma NUIST students will satisfactorily complete all SBU general education and major requirements and petition for graduation clearance during their final semester.

Visas

The SBU Office of Visa and Immigration Services will provide the assistance necessary for NUIST students to apply for an appropriate U.S. visa.

Transcripts

At the participating student's request, an SBU transcript will be sent directly to NUIST's registrar.

Combined Bachelor/Master Degrees

NUIST students in the dual degree program are eligible to directly enter SBU's combined Bachelor/Master programs if their academic standing meets the requirements of SBU's combined degree programs. These requirements are the same for other SBU students.

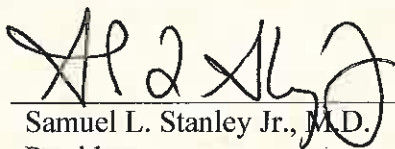
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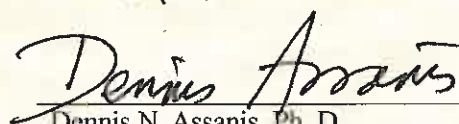
At the end of a three year period, this Agreement may be renewed by mutual consent, unless NUIST or SBU provides written notification of the intent not to renew at least six months prior to the termination date. In the event of termination, all commitments to participating students will be honored by participating parties.


For Nanjing University of Information
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