



## MEMORANDUM of UNDERSTANDING (MOU)

BETWEEN

ST. LAWRENCE UNIVERSITY

and

PRESCOTT COLLEGE

### I. Purpose

This MOU establishes a collaborative partnership between Prescott College and St. Lawrence University to enhance educational opportunities for students pursuing Outdoor Leadership. This partnership seeks to:

- a. Facilitate a pathway for St. Lawrence University undergraduate students in the Outdoor Leadership minor to transition into the MA in Outdoor Leadership at Prescott College.
- b. Strengthen academic and professional connections between institutions.

### II. Objectives

- a. **Pathway Creation:** Develop a seamless, guaranteed, admission process for St. Lawrence University students to enroll in Prescott College's MA in Outdoor Leadership.
- b. **Experiential Learning:** Promote field-based learning opportunities for students, leveraging the strengths of both institutions.
- c. **Program Alignment:** Ensure alignment between the curriculum of St. Lawrence's Outdoor Leadership minor and Prescott College's MA in Outdoor Leadership.
- d. **Joint Promotion:** Collaborate on outreach and promotional efforts to highlight the partnership.
- e. **Pathway Enhancement:** Explore opportunities for St. Lawrence undergraduate students to enroll in Prescott College's master's level courses prior to undergraduate graduation.

### III. Terms

- a. Prescott College will:

1. Guarantee admission to the MA in Outdoor Leadership to all St. Lawrence graduates who:
    - a. Are in good academic standing;
    - b. Have earned a minor in Outdoor Leadership;
    - c. Enroll at Prescott within five years of earning their degree;  
and
    - d. Have no academic integrity or behavioral issues.
  2. Offer information sessions and individualized support for applicants from St. Lawrence University.
  3. Promote this partnership on their website.
  4. Designate a liaison to oversee the partnership and assist incoming students.
  5. Provide materials to support the recruitment of St. Lawrence students into the MA in Outdoor Leadership.
  6. Consider St. Lawrence students for scholarships.
- b. St. Lawrence University will:
1. Promote the Prescott College MA in Outdoor Leadership to its undergraduate students and advisors.
  2. Promote this partnership on their website.
  3. Designate a contact person to collaborate with Prescott College.
  4. Share contact information for junior and senior students enrolled in the Outdoor Leadership minor at St. Lawrence University.
  5. Allow Prescott College admissions representatives to recruit at the St. Lawrence campus to promote the partnership.

#### **IV. Duration, Termination, and Modifications**

This MOU:

- a. Will remain in effect from the date of signature of both parties for a period of five years.
- b. May be terminated by either party provided a one-year written notice is given to the other party.
- c. Shall not be modified, amended, or extended except by written amendment signed by both parties.

## V. Signatures

The parties duly authorized to execute this agreement on behalf of St. Lawrence University and Prescott College have executed this agreement as of the last date indicated below.

Signed on behalf of St. Lawrence University



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Alison F. Del Rossi, Vice President of the University & Dean of Academic Affairs

Date: 2/11/26

Signed on behalf of Prescott College



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Michele Peterson, Vice President, Finance & Administration/COO

Date: 2/11/26