Institutional Alignment & Partnership Approval

Process Documentation

Stage	Documentation Requirements	Approval Requirements
Stage 1 (Outline Approval)	Due Diligence To be completed by the Partnerships Officer	 Partnerships Managers (Development and Oversight) Dean of Partnerships
	Institutional Alignment and Partnership Approval Form To be completed by a representative from the University, i.e. Partnerships Team, Regional International Office, Academic Department Partner Self-Evaluation Form To be completed by a representative from the partner institution Financial Appraisal	 Faculty Executive Deans Dean of Partnerships All new partnerships that progress through Stage 1 will be submitted to the Partnerships Advisory Group for information and comment Proposals may also be referred to University Steering Group by the Faculty Executive Deans, Dean of Partnerships or PAG if further consideration or input is required.
	Financial Appraisal To be completed by the Partnerships Team with input from the Finance Team	
Stage 2 (Alignment)	General Policies, Procedures and Processes Mapping Document To be completed by a member of the Partnerships Team with input from the partner institution	Institutional Alignment & Partnership Approval Panel
	Completed Alignment Documentation Checklist and associated documentation Documents to be collated by a member of the Partnerships Team with input from the partner institution	
Stage 3 (Conditions and Recommendations)	Institutional Alignment & Partnerships Approval Report To be completed by a member of the Partnerships Team Response to Conditions and Recommendations To be completed by a member of the Partnerships Team in response to the conditions and recommendations listed in the Institutional Alignment & Partnerships Approval Report	 Academic Quality Standards Committee (for course approval only; otherwise for information) Education Committee Senate Council
Completion	Legal Agreement To be completed by a member of the Partnerships Team with input from the partner institution	Signed by Registrar and Secretary