



October 2, 2020

Northumbria University  
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**RE:** Renewal of the Program Specific Agreement for a Student Exchange Program entered into between the Board of Regents of the University System of Georgia by and on behalf of Georgia State University ("Georgia State") and its Andrew Young School of Policy Studies and Northumbria University at Newcastle and its Faculty of Arts, Design and Social Sciences, ("Northumbria University") dated October 14<sup>th</sup>, 2015.

Dear Rob Carthy,

In accordance with Section 2 of the above-referenced agreement, Georgia State and Northumbria University elect to extend the Agreement term for five (5) years, commencing on October 14, 2020.

At the time this agreement is signed, the COVID-19 pandemic has disrupted travel and academic operations. Therefore, the parties agree that before this agreement is implemented, each party must confirm that the timing and plans are acceptable. The implementation of the agreement may be postponed or cancelled at the request of either party.

In addition, Georgia State and Northumbria University agree to amend the above-referenced agreement as follows:

**Section 3** is hereby amended to add the following:

*"To restore the previous imbalance under which Georgia State students took 15 more credits at Northumbria University than Northumbria University students took at Georgia State, the two institutions will exchange students on a two-for-one basis for one semester. Northumbria University will send two full-time semester students to Georgia State for every one full-time semester student it receives (or equivalent ratio) until balance is restored. Once balance is restored, the exchange will revert to a one-to-one ratio."*

**Section 14** is hereby amended by replacing the contact information with the following:

**For Georgia State University**

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**For Northumbria University**

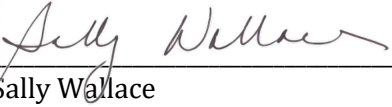
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It is understood that all other terms and conditions shall continue in full force and effect.  
[Signatures follow on next page.]

If the terms of this letter are acceptable, please indicate your acceptance by signing in the space provided below.

**Board of Regents of the University  
System of Georgia by and on behalf  
of Georgia State University and its  
Andrew Young School of Policy Studies**

  
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Sally Wallace  
Dean

10/05/2020  
Date

**Northumbria University at Newcastle  
and its Faculty of Arts, Design and  
Social Sciences**

  
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Rob Carthy  
Director of International Development

\_08/10/2020\_  
Date