A Dual Degree Program
(Aerospace Masters of Business Administration)

Between

Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University (Virginia Tech)

And

Toulouse Business School

General:

1. This Program is designed for Pamplin College of Business MBA students who wish to complete the Toulouse Business School aerospace MBA in addition to the MBA at Virginia Tech. Virginia Tech and Toulouse Business School have already signed a memorandum of understanding (MOU) and a Student Exchange Agreement. This agreement is covered by the terms of the MOU and Student Exchange Agreement.

2. Each institution will maintain independent control of admissions. Students must qualify for admission and be admitted by both schools to be accepted in the dual degree program.

3. Virginia Tech MBA students may apply for admission beginning in Fall 2013.

Admission, Status and Fees:

1. Pamplin will nominate students for participation. Toulouse Business School will evaluate the applications of students who are nominated.

2. Toulouse Business School will admit acceptable dual degree participants as fee-paying MBA students or as exchange students depending on the current balance in the exchange of students between the institutions. If admitted as exchange students, Virginia Tech will specify the number of semesters that the students will remain in that status at the time of admission.

3. As described in the Student Exchange Agreement, exchange students from Virginia Tech will not be required to pay Toulouse Business School tuition or fees. However, fee-paying MBA students will be required to pay Toulouse Business School tuition and fees.

Completion of Virginia Tech's Pamplin MBA
Dual degree students will establish a graduate plan of study consistent with the policies of ESC Toulouse, the Virginia Tech Graduate School and the Pamplin College of Business.

Virginia Tech will award the MBA to students who successfully complete the graduate plan of study in accordance with applicable university policies.

Completion of the Toulouse Business School Diplôme des Grande Ecoles
Students participating in this dual degree program will be awarded the Aerospace MBA only after completing appropriate coursework at Toulouse Business School and the requirements of Virginia Tech's Pamplin MBA.

Program Evaluation
This program shall remain in effect for five years and shall be evaluated every two years by both institutions. This agreement may be amended, and/or extended by mutual consent of both institutions for a period beyond its original date of expiration. Either party may terminate this agreement by serving written notice to the other party. Such termination will take effect six months from the date of that written notice.
Southern Association of Colleges and Schools

Virginia Tech is accredited by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools' Commission on Colleges (SACSCOC) to award bachelor, master and doctoral degrees. Toulouse Business School is not accredited by the Commission on Colleges and the accreditation of Virginia Tech does not extend to or include Toulouse Business School or its students. Although Virginia Tech accepts certain course work in transfer toward a credential from Toulouse Business School, or collaborates in other ways for generation of course credits or program credentials, other colleges and universities may or may not accept this work in transfer, even if it appears on a transcript from Virginia Tech. This decision is made by the institution subsequently considering the possibility of accepting such credits.

Institutional Names on an Academic Credential. For undergraduate academic credentials, students taking courses from participating institutions in a collaborative arrangement may be awarded the academic credential from the SACSCOC-accredited institution when 25 percent or more credits were earned through that institution's own direct instruction.

For graduate academic credentials, students taking courses from participating institutions in a collaborative arrangement may be awarded the academic credential from the SACSCOC-accredited institution where one-third or more of the credits were earned through that institution's own direct instruction.

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