



Intergovernmental and
Aboriginal Affairs



Partnership Agreement

between

University of Saskatchewan

and

Intergovernmental and Aboriginal Affairs

The parties to this agreement agree to work together in the development of a partnership for Aboriginal employment.

The parties further agree that the development of such a partnership will require the establishment of a relationship involving close cooperation between the parties having individual and joint rights, responsibilities and authorities in an environment that reflects and fosters:

- Fairness and equity
- Consistency of approach
- Mutual respect and dignity
- Open communication
- Trust

The parties agree to work with the Aboriginal community, unions, and employees to develop:

1. Programs to facilitate constructive race and cultural relations.
2. Aboriginal employment and career development.
3. Linkages to the Aboriginal labour force.
4. Programs to promote employment opportunities for Aboriginal people.
5. Business development initiatives of mutual benefit designed to meet an Aboriginal need within the community which generate an opportunity for Aboriginal employment.
6. An action plan indicating both short and long-term strategies. Also included in this are:
 - Co-monitoring progress of the agreement
 - Co-evaluating results of the agreement

Signed this 20th day of December, 1999.

Original signed by Peter MacKinnon

Peter MacKinnon, President
University of Saskatchewan

Original signed by Jack Hillson

Jack Hillson, Minister
Intergovernmental and Aboriginal Affairs

Original signed by Kathy Gray

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Original signed by Wayne McKenzie

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