

# PARTNERSHIPS

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When entering into partnerships with partners that are not accredited schools in the US, LAPU retains sole responsibility for the following:

## Outreach, Recruitment, Admission, and Enrollment

- Establishing the admissions criteria for students.
- Making exceptions to admissions requirements.
- Making final admissions decisions.

## Course Development, Pedagogy, and Instruction

- Establishing degree programs, degree level, student learning outcomes, course objectives, and number of credits.
- Reviewing and approving course content and program curriculum.
- Conducting institution-mandated program review.
- Awarding credit for prior or experiential learning.
- Awarding and recording of academic credit and credentials.
- Assessment of student learning (defining outcomes, analyzing and interpreting evidence, using information for improvement).
- Assigning grades.

## Academic Support and Student Services

- Maintaining records of student performance.
- Conducting degree audit (for LAPU degree-seeking students).
- Deciding to retain or dismiss students.
- Handling appeals and exceptions to academic policies and requirements.

## Faculty Recruitment and Appointment

- Selecting, approving, and appointing instructors.
- Evaluating course instructors.