

MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT SIGNED WITH HELLENIC AMERICAN UNIVERSITY TO OFFER NEW STUDY ABROAD OPPORTUNITY FOR STUDENTS

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Members of Rivier's faculty and administration and Sister Paula Marie Buley, IHM, President, sign a Memorandum of Agreement with Hellenic American University in Athens, Greece.

A mutually beneficial strategic alliance with Hellenic American University will enable students from both institutions to experience a rich, vibrant culture, and live and learn alongside their peers in the United States and Greece.

This MOA is the foundation for initiatives that will enable Rivier students to travel and learn in Athens, Greece, and for Hellenic American students to experience living and learning in the United States for one term to one full academic year.

“This partnership is closely aligned with Rivier’s mission and strategic plan with an emphasis on global engagement and allowing students to broaden their perspectives and become global citizens,” said **Sister Paula Marie Buley, IHM**. “We are pleased to offer these opportunities for global engagement and study to students at Rivier University and Hellenic American University.”

The study abroad experience may include Greek language courses, cultural immersion activities, service learning activities and experiential learning projects. The program will start in fall 2013 and Hellenic American University will host an open house on the Rivier University campus. ■