Consortium Agreements (Taking classes at another school)

Many UT Martin students are interested in taking one or more classes at another college or university for a Fall, Spring, or Summer semester. The UT Martin Financial Aid and Scholarship Office may provide aid (as the Home Institution) to eligible UT Martin students through the use of individual consortium agreements. A consortium agreement is a written agreement between two institutions for the purpose of awarding a student financial aid. The Home Institution is the school granting the student’s degree and paying the student’s financial aid. The Host Institution is the school where the student is enrolled for coursework.

You may be a student who is seeking a degree from another institution (Home Institution), but who would like to take coursework at UT Martin (Host Institution) to apply back to your degree at the Home Institution. You should inquire with your Financial Aid Office at your Home Institution to determine if they will initiate a Consortium Agreement with UT Martin and administer financial aid for the given semester.

Courses at each school may be combined to determine maximum aid eligibility but please take notice that you may have to pay for your classes at the Host Institution with your own funds and then reimbursed by your Home Institution at a later date. Also, please note, to be reviewed for financial aid eligibility under a consortium agreement, you must begin this process 3-4 weeks prior to the beginning of the term. Completed documents must be received no later than the last day of term.

If you are interested in taking classes at another school once you have registered for classes as a transient student at the Host Institution please get a copy of your schedule to our office and we will get back with you as soon as possible. faquestions@utm.edu