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**Maryland University of Integrative Health Announces Agreement
with the Foundation for Advanced Education in the Sciences**

Maryland University of Integrative Health (MUIH), a national leader in the education and practice of natural medicine, announced today that it has signed an articulation agreement with the Foundation for Advanced Education in the Sciences (FAES) at the National Institutes of Health (NIH).

This agreement provides a pathway to enrollment in MUIH's programs for individuals who have completed courses at FAES, via the transfer or exemption of equivalent FAES coursework into MUIH's graduate programs in integrative health (<http://www.muih.edu/admissions/transfer-information>).

"This agreement is a first step in what we hope will be an expanding relationship between our institutions, in support of our mutual interests in health and scientific research", says Dr. Christina Sax, MUIH's Provost and Vice President for Academic and Student Affairs.

"FAES is proud to collaborate with MUIH to create new learning and networking opportunities for practitioners from all scientific disciplines," Christina Farias, CEO and Executive Director, FAES.

About Maryland University of Integrative Health (MUIH)

Maryland University of Integrative Health is one of the nation's leading academic institutions for natural medicine. For nearly 40 years, MUIH has educated and informed practitioners and leaders in health and wellness through transformative and relationship-centered programs that draw from traditional wisdom and contemporary science. Progressive graduate degrees in a wide range of disciplines are offered both on campus and online. In the on-campus Natural Care Center and community outreach settings, MUIH provides compassionate and affordable healthcare from student interns and professional practitioners, and delivers more than 30,000 clinical treatments and consultations each year. For staff and faculty, MUIH offers a collaborative and vibrant work environment that is mission and values-driven. For more information, please visit www.muih.edu.

About the Foundation for Advanced Education in the Sciences (FAES)

The Foundation for Advanced Education in the Sciences was established in 1959 by eleven scientists at the National Institutes of Health (NIH) to facilitate a collegial environment and provide educational and professional services for the scientific community. Over the last five decades, FAES has grown to be much more to the NIH community serving not only the Bethesda Campus, but also Frederick, Rockledge, and Baltimore, Maryland as well as NIH sites in Arizona, North Carolina, and Montana. In addition to the pursuit of educational initiatives, the FAES provides additional support services for the NIH student population to include; a scientific bookstore, conference and cultural events, health insurance programs, lectures and special events, and limited housing. In 1984, the organization expanded its services and started offering a series of short-term biotechnology lecture and laboratory "hands-on" training courses

through biotechnology training program. Today, FAES offers 150 courses each year and over 60 core biotechnology training workshops, and runs a series of management and leadership training classes for scientists who want to bridge the gap between the bench/bedside and business or other disciplines. Since its founding, FAES has educated over 40,000 scientists and continues to expand and customize educational opportunities for the community. For more information, please visit <https://faes.org>.

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