

## **Value Plus Program:**

The Value Plus Program rewards self-operated NACUFS member colleges and universities with points earned through the purchase of qualifying products from participating Value Plus sponsor manufacturers. Value Plus Program points are converted to dollars and can only be used as described under “Redeeming Points” in these Terms and Conditions.

The Value Plus Program has been developed and is administered by The Ryan Group/IBI Data. It has no affiliation with the National Association of College & University Food Services (NACUFS). NACUFS does not endorse any company products or services.

## **Earning Points:**

Colleges or universities enrolled in the program earn points by purchasing full cases of qualifying products from program sponsor manufacturers during the eligible purchase dates between July 1 and March 31 of the following year. Products are assigned a point value. A list of qualifying products can be found on the Value Plus website. Purchases must be made from a sponsor and reported to The Ryan Group/IBI Data no later than April 30<sup>th</sup> of each program year.

## **Reporting:**

Participants are responsible for reporting eligible purchases to The Ryan Group/IBI Data no later than April 30<sup>th</sup> of the current program year.

Reporting cannot be handwritten and must include college/university name, distributor information, product information, including brand, description and pack size, quantity purchased, dates of purchase. It is the participant’s responsibility to submit reporting if they have not previously authorized their distributors to submit on their behalf. Reports may be submitted to the Value Plus website or by email directed to: [valueplus@ibidata.com](mailto:valueplus@ibidata.com).

## **Redeeming Points:**

Points may be redeemed and used towards payment of registration fees for the NACUFS Spring and National Conferences, hotel accommodations, travel expenses, continuing education classes, and seminars offered by NACUFS.

The points balance for a participating college or university will be communicated after May 1<sup>st</sup>. It shall be the responsibility of the college or university to direct where the converted Value Plus points dollars shall be spent (i.e. registration fees, hotel accommodations, travel expense, continuing education classes, and seminars offered by NACUFS) by August 31<sup>st</sup> of the current program year. Any unused points for a program year shall not be carried over to any following years.

**General Terms:**

By participating in this program, each college and university agrees to abide by the Terms and Conditions as set forth herein. The Ryan Group/IBI Data reserves the right, in its sole discretion, to refuse, disqualify, or withdraw participation by any college or university at any time. The value of any points redeemed under the Program may be reported for tax purposes as required by law. Each participating college or university is solely responsible for reporting and paying any/all applicable taxes related to the redeemed Value Plus dollars and paying any expenses not specifically provided for in these Terms and Conditions.

The Ryan Group/IBI Data reserves the right to make a final decision on the interpretation of any terms or conditions of the Program, and further reserves the right to cancel or terminate this program at any time, with or without notice. This program is void where prohibited by law.

**Release:**

BY PARTICIPATING IN THIS PROGRAM, EACH PARTICIPATING COLLEGE OR UNIVERSITY HOLDS HARMLESS AND WAIVES ANY AND ALL CLAIMS FOR LIABILITY OR DAMAGES AGAINST THE RYAN GROUP/IBIDATA, AND THEIR RESPECTIVE EMPLOYEES AND AGENTS, FOR ANY PERSONAL INJURY AND LOSS WHICH MAY OCCUR FROM THE CONDUCT OF, OR PARTICIPATION IN, THE PROGRAM, OR FROM THE AWARD OF VALUE PLUS DOLLARS OR THE REDEMPTION THEREOF, INCLUDING ANY TRAVEL RELATED THERETO. THE RYAN GROUP/IBI DATA DOES NOT MAKE ANY WARRANTY, EXPRESS OR IMPLIED, AS TO THE FITNESS OR MERCHANTABILITY OF THE VALUE PLUS DOLLARS. THE RYAN GROUP/IBIDATA FURTHER DISCLAIMS, AND MAKES NOT WARRANTIES OR REPRESENTATIONS REGARDING THE ENROLLMENT OR RESERVATIONS AT THE CONFERENCE, IN ANY HOTEL, FOR ANY FLIGHT OR CLASSES FOR WHICH VALUE PLUS DOLLARS MAY BE USED. ALL SUCH RESERVATIONS ARE THE SOLE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE PARTICIPATING COLLEGE OR UNIVERSITY.

**Privacy:**

The Ryan Group/IBI Data may be required to share information to third parties, including sponsors or manufacturers, for purposes of operating the Value Plus Program, and each participant, by its enrollment in the same, authorizes such disclosures.

Information will not be sold to unrelated third parties by The Ryan Group/IBI Data.