



MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

BETWEEN

ENGINEERING COUNCIL OF THAILAND (ECT),

ST. ROBERT'S INTERNATIONAL COLLEGE (SRIC),

RAJAMANGALA UNIVERSITY OF TECHNOLOGY PHRA NAKHON (RMUTPN),

NORTHWEST SAMAR STATE UNIVERSITY (NWSSU)

Having affirmed their common commitment to the values of intellectual freedom, educational excellence, leadership and service to community, and international cooperation, and recognizing the benefits to their respective Universities from the establishment of institutional links, conclude this Agreement.


1. The purpose of this Agreement is to develop academic cooperation and promote shared understanding and support between and among the collaborating educational institutions;
2. Both Universities agree to consider the development of mutually beneficial academic collaborations, including but not limited to:
 - a. Exchange of faculty, researchers and other research and administrative staff;
 - b. Exchange of students;
 - c. Collaborative research projects;
 - d. Lectures and symposia;
 - e. Exchange of academic information and materials;
 - f. Dual and joint degree offerings;
 - g. Micro campus arrangement;
 - h. Other forms of academic cooperation.
3. The development and implementation of specific activities based on this Agreement will be separately negotiated and agreed upon between and among the collaborating educational institutions which carry out the specific projects in this case. This shall be subject of a separate written agreement between and among the collaborating educational institutions. All collaborating educational institutions agree to carry out these activities in accordance with the laws and regulations of their respective countries after full consultation and approval from the other party. This agreement merely pertains to a bilateral commitment of the parties to engage each other in the above

stated academic collaborations and does not in any way impose or create a legally enforceable obligation for any party, unless otherwise provided in the subsequent agreements that may be entered into by the parties pursuant to this MOU.

4. It is understood that the implementation of any of the cooperative activities stated in clause 2 may be restricted depending upon the availability of resources and funds at the educational institution concerned.
5. All parties agree that, in the event of research collaboration leading to patent rights, copyrights or other intellectual property rights, a further agreement must be negotiated in each case in accordance with the policies of all the parties on intellectual property. All collaborating educational institutions shall seek an equitable and fair understanding as to the ownership and other property interests that may arise.
6. This Agreement may be amended or modified by a written agreement signed by the representatives of all collaborating educational institutions.
7. In the event of an unforeseen incident during collaborative activities in either country, all collaborating educational institutions agree to negotiate a mutually acceptable solution. As far as practicable, these solutions shall be incorporated into the specific agreements mentioned in clause 3.
8. This Agreement is valid for a period of three (3) years from the date of signature by the representatives of all collaborating educational institutions. This Agreement may be renewed after being reviewed and renegotiated by all parties. Either party may terminate it with six (6) months' notice given in writing.
9. This Agreement may, at any time during its period of validity, be terminated by the all collaborating educational institutions, upon prior notice to all the parties in writing, at least six months before the termination date.
10. Should any disagreement arise out of the application, interpretation or implementation of this Agreement, all the collaborating educational institutions shall endeavor to exercise their best efforts to negotiate the differences.

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