

Memorandum of Understanding

Between

National Yunlin University of Science and Technology, Taiwan

And

King Mongkut's University of Technology Thonburi

On

Academic and Research Collaboration

WHEREAS, National Yunlin University of Science and Technology, Taiwan and King Mongkut's University of Technology Thonburi are mutually interested in establishing collaboration on academic and research related development activities;

WHEREAS, the two bodies have discussed the furtherance of these interests and now desire to record their mutual understandings in this regard:

NOW, THEREFORE, both parties hereby record their understanding.

ARTICLE I

The purpose of this Memorandum of Understanding is to develop and carry out collaborative activities in furtherance of the common interest of the institutions set forth in ARTICLE II .

ARTICLE II

The scope of collaboration on academic and research activities included in this Memorandum of Understanding includes the following categories:

1. Research collaboration in the areas of mutual interest to both parties.
2. Exchange of academic materials which are made available by both parties.
3. Exchange of scholars and students.

ARTICLE III

To implement the aims and purposes expressed in ARTICLE I and II , the following is mutually understood and agreed:

1. Proposals for collaborative work under this Memorandum will be submitted through the nominees of National Yunlin University of Science and Technology and King Mongkut's University of Technology Thonburi.
2. Each party will nominate one of its members as its representative in charge of the cooperative program. Individual programs of work under this Memorandum will be jointly planned and conducted by the nominees of both parties.
3. Progress of work by the individual program will be reviewed and approved by designated project officers of both parties.

4. The final approval of any project will be dependent upon the availability of guaranteed support funds.
5. Neither National Yunlin University of Science and Technology nor King Mongkut's University of Technology Thonburi will be held responsible for any liability whatsoever; furthermore, neither party shall be required to purchase any insurance against loss or damage to any personal property to which this agreement relates.

ARTICLE IV

1. This Memorandum of Understanding is effective as of the date of execution by the appropriate officer of each signatory institution.
2. This Memorandum of Understanding may be amended at any time by mutual consent and shall continue in force and effect for five years and can be extended by mutual consent of both parties.

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