



**MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING
BETWEEN
MAHACHULALONGKORNRAJAVIDYALAYA UNIVERSITY
PHRAE CAMPUS, KINGDOM OF THAILAND
AND
VILLAGE EDUCATION COLLEGE,
REPUBLIC OF THE UNION OF MYANMAR**

Mahachulalongkornrajavidyalaya University Phrae Campus, Thailand, and Village Education College, Republic of the Union of Myanmar, agree to enter into this Memorandum of Understanding, which serves as a statement of the mutual desire of both institutions for academic collaboration in the coming years. This Memorandum is based on the foundation of mutual trust for the benefit and development of Buddhist education, the promotion of international understanding and goodwill, and it is not concerned about politics.

1. **Objective:** The purpose of this agreement is to promote Buddhism and to enhance a better understanding and friendship between the two universities, through mutual understanding programs of education cooperation and an exchange system.
2. **Cooperation:** The agreement upon the approval of the members of both universities will provide a general framework for institutional cooperation. The each party will designate a contact unit or (a) person (s) to coordinate and implement this agreement in the best interest of both parties.
3. **Faculty Exchange:** Exchange of faculty academic members or visiting faculty arrangements to engage in teaching on Buddhist Studies and conducting Buddhist research at both Institutions will be encouraged. The number and conditions of such exchanges including visit length, institutional fiscal obligations, and other matters shall be decided through a mutual agreement of the two parties.
4. **Student Exchange:** Attendance of postgraduate, graduate and undergraduate students from one Institute to the other is also encouraged. The number of exchange full scholarship students will be in accordance with the needs of each party.
5. **Special Programs:** Programs may include teaching, training, research, academic seminars, or conferences on the condition that all the programs are related to

Theravada teachings. Other mutual agreed programs may be undertaken on either campus with the approval of the two Institutions.

6. **Funding:** Either Institution can jointly or separately seek funding in support of this agreement by means of mutual consent for research development.
7. **Other Issues:** This agreement will take effect when the Rectors of both Universities have affixed their signatures. Any amendment or modification of this agreement requires formal written approval of the Rectors of both Universities and shall be approved hereto. Any issue not addressed in this agreement shall be resolved through mutual agreement, and each Institute covenants that it will make good faith efforts to reach such an agreement.
8. **Agreement Period:** This agreement shall come into effect for a period of five (5) years as of the date of its signing by the legal representatives of the two Universities, subject to approval from the Board of Management or any other respective authority and can be renewed or modified upon mutual consent of the two Parties. It shall be extended automatically for an additional period of five (5) years at each expiration date unless either Party gives six (6) months prior written notice to terminate the Agreement.



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Date: September 26, 2568/2025

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