



ACADEMIC INTERCHANGE AGREEMENT

BETWEEN

NANHUA UNIVERSITY AND MAHACHULALONGKORNRAJAVIDYALAYA UNIVERSITY

Nanhua University and Mahachulalongkornrajavidyalaya University hereby agree to the following Academic Interchange Agreement in order to encourage institutional cooperation:

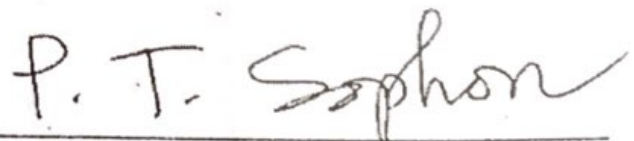
1. **Purpose:** The purpose of this agreement is to propagate Buddhism and to promote a better understanding and friendship between the two institutions, through mutually beneficial programs of educational cooperation and exchange.
2. **Operation:** The agreement, upon the approval of the President /Rector of both institutions, will provide a general framework for institutional cooperation. The President/Rector of each institution will designate a contact unit or (a) person(s) to coordinate and implement this agreement in the best interest of both institutions.
3. **Faculty Exchange:** Exchange of faculty members or visiting faculty arrangements to engage in teaching, research, and/or advanced study at each other's institutions will be encouraged. The number and conditions of such exchanges including exchange or visit length, institutional fiscal obligations, and other matters shall be that which is mutually agreed upon by the President/Rector of the two institutions.
4. **Student Exchange:** Attendance of graduate and undergraduate students from one institution to the other is also encouraged. The number of students exchanged will be approximately the same from each institution. Students are expected to pay their tuition fee at their home institution.
5. **Special Programs:** Programs may include teaching, training, IT cooperation, management, research, or conferences. Other mutually agreed upon programs may be undertaken on either campus with the approval of the two institutions.
6. **Publication Exchange:** Except for special gifts/souvenirs and other arrangements, both institutions agree to consider exchanges of selected publications, photocopy and other library materials of equal value.

7. **Funding:** Either institution can jointly or separately seek funding in support of this agreement.
8. **Other Issues:** This agreement will take effect when the President/Rector of both institutions have affixed their signatures thereto. Any amendment and/or modification of this agreement requires written approval of the President/Rector of both institutions and shall be appended hereto. Any issues not addressed in this agreement shall be resolved through mutual agreement, and each party covenants that it will make good faith effort to reach such agreement.



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