

**MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING**  
**ON ACADEMIC AND SCIENTIFIC COOPERATION**  
**BETWEEN**  
**CHAMPASAK UNIVERSITY (LAO P.D.R.)**  
**AND**  
**KHON KAEN UNIVERSITY (THAILAND)**

The Rector of Champasak University (Lao PDR) and the President of Khon Kaen University (Thailand) hereby agree to foster academic exchange and cooperation between the two universities as follows:

- (1) The two universities will encourage the following activities:
  1. Exchange of scholars (professors, lecturers, or researchers);
  2. Exchange of students (including both undergraduate and graduate students);
  3. Exchange academic information and materials of mutual interest;
  4. Exchange of periodical academic publications;
  5. Organization of joint research programs;
  6. Other academic exchanges that both Universities agree to;
  
- (2) Responsibility of coordination of this agreement will rest the Rector of Champasak University and the President of Khon Kaen University.
  
- (3) Details of implementation of any particular exchange resulting from this agreement shall be negotiated between the two Universities as such cases arise.
  
- (4) This agreement is subject to revision and renewal by mutual consent after 5 years. Either party may terminate the agreement by written notification signed by the appropriate official of the party initiating the notice; the other party must receive such notification at least six months prior to the effective date of termination.

Signed for and on behalf of  
Champasak University



Dr. Sikhamtath Mitaray

The Rector

Date... 24/06/2005

Signed for and on behalf of  
Khon Kaen University



Assoc. Prof. Dr. Simon Sakelchai

The President

Date... 24 June 2005