



GENERAL AGREEMENT

For Cooperation and Exchange



Between Southwest University, P.R. China

And Khon Kaen University, Thailand

Khon Kaen University and Southwest University hereby enter into this General Agreement to foster international cooperation in education and research.

1. Both parties agree to encourage the following activities in particular to promote international academic cooperation:
 - (1) Exchange of materials in education and research, publications and academic information;
 - (2) Exchange of faculty members and research scholars;
 - (3) Exchange of students;
 - (4) Joint research activities and meetings for education and research.

Before these activities can be implemented, both parties shall discuss to obtain the satisfaction of each party and may enter into specific Activity Agreements based on the forms of implementation mutually agreed upon. The exchange should be on a mutual and reciprocal basis between the two parties.

2. This General Agreement shall be applicable to the educational and research organizations attached to each party.
3. Both parties will try their best to accommodate the basic rights of their students, faculty members and research scholars.
4. Each party shall designate a liaison office for this General Agreement. For Southwest University, this office will be the Office of International Cooperation and Exchanges. For Khon Kaen University, it will be the International Relations Division.
5. This General Agreement shall become effective as of the date of signature by the presidents of both parties and shall remain in force for a period of five years. Both parties agree that this General Agreement should be reviewed approximately every five years in order to evaluate progress and improve the quality of the cooperation and exchange.
6. Each party may terminate this agreement or request re-negotiation of its conditions at any time by written notification 6 months prior to the termination. However, such action will only be taken after mutual consultation in order to avoid any possible inconvenience to all parties. Should a party terminate its involvement, currently participating students and faculty members, and activities will be permitted to complete the period of their exchange.
7. The Agreement is written in English in duplication, both versions are equally authentic.



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