

Memorandum of Understanding
Between the South Australian Health Education Center
And
The Faculty of Associated Medical Sciences
Khon Kaen University

In order to promote the cooperation between the South Australian Health Education Center (hereafter SAHEC) and the Faculty of Associated Medical Sciences at Khon Kaen University (hereafter KKUAMS), and desiring to expand scholarly ties, facilitate academic cooperation and promote mutual understanding, both partners agree to explore the feasibility of establishing mutually beneficial programs of research and education.

Both parties will:

- Propose programs of cooperation in education, training and research to be jointly considered between the partners on the basis of mutual benefits, as well as encourage and facilitate, as appropriate, the development of contact and cooperation for such academic activities.
- Through student and faculty exchanges, allow students and faculties to experience a different academic environment and research context and participate in areas of interest; allow researchers and students from both parties to seek consultancy from scholars in the partner university; and encourage the exchange of visiting professors.
- Both parties agree to establish cooperation in the area of musculoskeletal and movement therapy.
- Financial arrangements related to visiting faculty, lecturers and research collaboration will be determined on a case-by-case basis and must be agreed by both partners in writing prior to the effective date. Both partners recognize the benefit of investigating outside funding sources for projects and programs determined to be mutually beneficial to both institutions.

Themes of joint activity and the conditions for utilizing the results achieved and arrangements for specific visits, exchanges, and other forms of cooperation will be developed mutually for each specific case. Any

commitment of resources, financial or otherwise, must be made in specific agreements to be entered into for this purpose at a subsequent date.

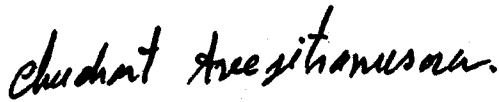
Specific activities to be carried out under the Memorandum of Understanding shall be negotiated and facilitated by the institutional representatives in cooperation with the Dean of KKUAMS and the Director of the SAHEC in the form of specific programs of activities.

This agreement shall extend for a period of five years effective upon the date of signature by authorized representatives of both partners. Toward the end of this five-year period, the agreement will be reviewed for possible renewal for an additional five-year period.

Signed: This 26 day of October, 2006

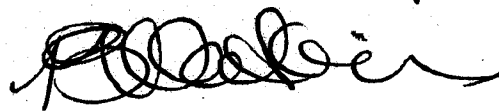
For The Faculty of
Associated Medical Sciences
Khon Kaen University

For The South Australian Health Education Center



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Date



(Kevin Watkins)

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Work Plan

This work plan will serve as a general framework for cooperation between the KQUAMS and the SAHEC. Themes of joint activities as well as arrangements for specific visits, exchanges, and other forms of cooperation will be developed mutually for each specific case, subject to available funding.

Education

Plan of activities:

1. Students, scholars and faculties of both parties are able to seek consultancy from scholars in the partner institute
2. Giving lecture as requested by partner institute

Unless otherwise specified under the terms of implementation, the following benefits will be provided under this program:

- Visiting scholars will be responsible for his/her own airfare and living expense
- Host institute will be responsible for accommodation for a negotiable period
- Course fee will be waived for permanent staff up to 3 persons per year. Students may be required to pay for the course fee

Outcome index:

1. Numbers of collaboration between students, scholars and faculties

Training

Plan of activities:

1. For Australians – Setting up a new module such as Thai massage
2. For Thais – Organizing Bowen workshop (beginner and/or advanced level)
– Symposium (Bowen vs Osteopathy vs Thai massage) in year 2008

Unless otherwise specified under the terms of implementation, the following benefits will be provided under this program:

- Airfare, accommodation and lecture fee will be negotiable

Outcome index:

1. Numbers of lectures and workshops
2. Numbers of participants

Research

Plan of activities:

1. Joint research

The projects will consist of 2 phases. The first phase, Phase I, aims to study the physiological effects of Bowen technique. This phase basically involves description, validation and physiological effects of the technique. After completion of the first phase, Phase II aims to investigate the efficacy of technique in different clinical conditions.

Monitoring mechanism: To facilitate the progress of research, yearly report and/or meeting will be arranged.

2. Joint publication

Unless otherwise specified under the terms of implementation, the following benefits will be provided under this program:

- Both parties will be responsible for developing research projects and seeking outside funding sources together
- Any patented materials resulting from the research projects should be owned by both parties' researchers and their primary institutions

Outcome index:

1. Numbers of publications