

MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

between

Khon Kaen University, Thailand

and

The University of Reading, United Kingdom

This agreement is made in March 2007 between:

Khon Kaen University, Department of Food Technology, Mittraparp Highway, Muang District, Khon Kaen, Thailand 40002.

And:

University of Reading, Department of Food Biosciences, P O Box 226, Whiteknights, Reading, Berkshire, RG6 6AP, United Kingdom.

1. This Agreement is intended to promote co-operation in and advancement of research and teaching between Khon Kaen University and the University of Reading (hereinafter jointly referred to as the 'Parties') to their mutual benefit.
2. Nothing in this Agreement shall be construed as creating a legal relationship between the Parties or any financial commitment between the Parties.
3. Khon Kaen University and the University of Reading agree to work in partnership to explore and develop academic and research activities and initiatives in the following areas
 - 3.1. Research, including staff visits to each of the Parties;
 - 3.2. Visits by research students from Khon Kaen University working towards MSc and PhD degrees to the University of Reading;
 - 3.3. Teaching and Learning, including the mutual development of new and existing modules and teaching methods at both BSc and MSc levels.
4. Specific activities relating to the initiatives detailed in Clause 3 shall be the subject of further, more detailed, Agreements.
5. This Agreement commences on the date of signature by the appropriate officer of both Institutions.

6. This Agreement shall be in effect for three years and will be subject to a review not later than three years after the date on which it comes into effect. This period may be extended by written consent of both institutions.
7. Either party may withdraw from this Agreement on three months notice without prejudice to any specific arrangement then in place.

Signed for and on behalf of
THE UNIVERSITY OF READING

Date: 20-03-07



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