

STUDENT EXCHANGE
MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING BETWEEN
THE UNIVERSITY OF THE RYUKYUS AND KHON KAEN UNIVERSITY

The University of the Ryukyus and Khon Kaen University shall exchange undergraduate and graduate students under this memorandum based on the Academic Exchange Agreement Between Khon Kaen University and the University of the Ryukyus signed on April 1, 1987.

1. Number of Exchange Students and Duration of Stay

- (1) Each university may send and accept under this memorandum not more than three students each academic year.
- (2) Duration of stay of exchange students at the host university shall be in principle for up to one academic year.

2. Selection of Exchange Students and Acceptance Procedures

The students participating in the exchange program under the terms of this memorandum shall be selected initially by the home university, and the host university shall make final admission decisions in each case.

3. Study Program

The study program suitable for each student shall be determined by the host university with the student's academic background and preferences taken into consideration.

4. Status of Exchange Students

Each university shall accept exchange students to the host university as a non-regular student who does not aim at obtaining a degree in the host university.

5. Academic Record and Accreditation

The host university shall evaluate the academic performance of each student pursuant to its rules and shall send to the home university the academic record or transcript of each exchange student. The home university may give credit to each student in accordance with its requirements.

6. Waiver of Tuition and Fees

Each host university shall provide waiver of examination fee, matriculation fee, and tuition for the exchange students.

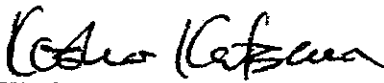
7. Financial Responsibility

Exchange students shall take out comprehensive health insurance which is valid in the host university and shall be responsible for such expenses as travel, accommodation, and health care.

8. Accommodation

The host university shall do its possible to secure an appropriate accommodation for the exchange students.

9. This memorandum shall not ensure the availability of scholarships for the exchange students, but each university shall endeavor to provide useful information on scholarship programs that will financially assist the students.
10. This memorandum is subject to revision or annulment by mutual agreement, although such action shall only be taken after mutual consultation in order to avoid any possible inconvenience to the other party.
11. This memorandum shall become effective when the representatives of both universities have affixed their signatures thereto and shall be effective for five years. In the absence of six months' written notice of the annulment to the other party, the current memorandum shall be renewed automatically for the same duration.
12. This memorandum is to be executed in English.



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President
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Date

September 25, 1997



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President
Khon Kaen University

Date

September 25, 1997