



MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

BETWEEN

COLLEGE OF LOCAL ADMINISTRATION, KHON KAEN UNIVERSITY

KHON KAEN, THAILAND

AND

UNIVERSITY OF ECONOMICS HO CHI MINH CITY, VIETNAM

I. Purpose

Through this Memorandum of Understanding ("MOU"), the participating universities intend to establish a mechanism to facilitate and develop opportunities for educational cooperation.

II. Participating Universities

- A. Khon Kaen University (KKU) was established as the major university in the Northeastern part of Thailand in 1964 and has developed into one of the top universities in Thailand. The university's major mission is to prepare future global citizens to work in a continually changing world. KKU currently has more than 40,000 students studying in 26 faculties, 1 satellite campus, 1 school, and 3 colleges and in 43 International/English programs which cover a wide variety of disciplines.
- B. The University of Economics Ho Chi Minh City (UEH) was established in 1976 in Ho Chi Minh City, Vietnam. It is one of the 15 key national universities of Vietnam and is a member of The Best 1,000 Business Schools in the World. The university is dedicated to excellence both in offering students a broad range of high quality academic programs in economics, business administration, public management and law; and applying the results of scientific research to practice. UEH currently has more than 30,000 students studying in 15 schools and faculties and 15 international academic partnership programs.

III. Educational Cooperation

- A. Khon Kaen University and University of Economics Ho Chi Minh City desire to encourage educational cooperation through:
- (1) Visits by faculty and students from one university to the other for the purpose of consultation, in research or other educational activities such as scholar exchange and student exchange;
 - (2) The enrollment of qualified students from one university in undergraduate and graduate programs at the other university;
 - (3) A sharing of academic publications and scholarly information; and
 - (4) The promotion of other academic activities which enhance the above mentioned goals.
- B. Both universities acknowledge that visits, if any, by faculty and students from one university to the other shall be subject to the entry and visa regulations of Thailand and Vietnam, and shall comply with the regulations and policies of Khon Kaen University and University of Economics Ho Chi Minh City.
- C. Both universities understand that all expenses, if any, including research materials, tuition, international and domestic travel, per diem, honoraria and all other costs, shall be the responsibility of and shall be borne by sending university or the visiting faculty or enrolling students. However, the host university is encouraged to seek ways to help visiting faculty and students wherever possible.

IV. Contact information

- A. At Khon Kaen University is Assoc. Prof. Dr. Supawatanakorn Wongthanavas, Dean, College of Local Administration. The following contact information should be used when giving notices under this MOU.

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- B. At University of Economics Ho Chi Minh City is Prof. Dinh Cong Khai, Dean, School of Government. The following contact information should be used when giving notices under this MOU.

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V. Effective Date and Duration

This MOU will be operational for five years following the last date of signature below, unless earlier terminated as provided below or extended by a written amendment signed by the participating universities.

VI. Termination

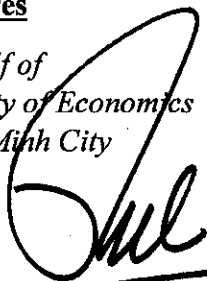
Either university may terminate this MOU without penalty or liability by giving six month's written notice of its intent to terminate to the other university.

VII. Nonbinding Effect

This MOU is a statement of the current intent and understandings of the participants and is not a binding or legally enforceable agreement. This MOU does not grant any rights to or impose any duties or obligations upon either participating university. This MOU may not be relied upon as a basis for contract by estopped or serve as the basis for a claim based on detrimental reliance or any other theory.

VIII. Signatures

On behalf of
University of Economics
Ho Chi Minh City



Prof. Nguyen Trong Hoai
Vice President

23/04/2018
Date



Dr. Dinh Cong Khai
Dean, School of Government

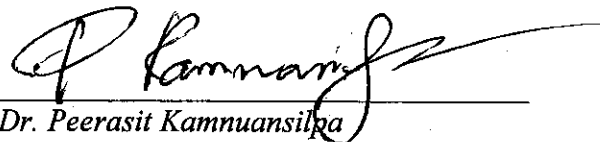
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On behalf of
College of Local Administration
Khon Kaen University



Dr. Supawatnakorn Wongthanavasut
Dean, College of Local Administration

23/04/2018
Date



Dr. Peerasit Kamnuansilpa
Advisor to the Dean,
College of Local Administration

23/04/2018
Date