



# MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING ON ACADEMIC EXCHANGE BETWEEN CHIANG MAI UNIVERSITY AND JAPAN ADVANCED INSTITUTE OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY

In order to develop personnel exchange and research cooperation, Chiang Mai University and Japan Advanced Institute of Science and Technology have agreed as follows:

#### 1. PURPOSE

The purpose of this MoU is to develop educational and scientific exchange and cooperation on a reciprocal basis for the benefit of the two parties and of the individual researchers and students concerned.

## 2. FORMS OF COOPERATION

Both parties will actively seek to encourage and implement exchange in the following categories:

- 1. Joint research projects in fields of mutual interests
- 2. Exchange of academic publications and reports
- 3. Organization of joint symposia, workshops, lectures and conferences
- 4. Exchange of faculty, administrative staff, and students

#### 3. COORDINATION

To implement exchange and activities under this MoU, both parties will consult in advance, designating a representative on each side.

#### 4. JOINT PROPERTY

- The parties agree that any intellectual property rights arising from or in connection with any
  program or activity under this MoU, through and by the joint and collaborative efforts of both
  parties shall be jointly owned and subject to any other terms and conditions as may be agreed
  upon in writing.
- Both parties shall acknowledge one another in any form of writing, publication or presentation based on research derived from the cooperative efforts of both parties under this MoU, unless otherwise mutually agreed upon in writing by the parties.

#### 5. DURATION, AMENDMENT, TERMINATION

- 1. This MoU will be effective from the date of signing by both parties up to a period of five (5) years, and may be subject to extensions by mutual consent of the parties in writing.
- 2. The provisions of this MoU may be amended at any time with the mutual consent of the both parties in writing.
- 3. Either party may terminate this MoU by giving six (6) months advance notice in writing to the other party.
- 4. The amendment, termination and expiration of this MoU will not affect the terms of activities ongoing at the time of notification of amendment, termination, and expiration unless otherwise agreed upon between the parties.

#### 6. SPECIAL PROVISION

- Modalities of each type of collaboration, associated activities and financial aspects shall be mutually agreed upon on a case-by-case basis in separate agreements.
- This MoU is not intended to be legally binding. It merely expresses the intentions and understanding of the parties which will form the basis of any legally binding agreement to be drafted and executed in the future.
- 3. This MoU is to be executed in the English language.

#### 7. CONTACT PERSON

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# AGREEMENT ON STUDENT EXCHANGE BETWEEN CHIANG MAI UNIVERSITY AND

## JAPAN ADVANCED INSTITUTE OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY

Chiang Mai University and Japan Advanced Institute of Science and Technology conclude this Agreement to promote student exchange and internship between the two institutions based upon the Memorandum of Understanding on Academic Exchange between Chiang Mai University and Japan Advanced Institute of Science and Technology.

# 1. REQUIREMENT FOR EXCHANGE OR INTERNSHIP STUDENT

- 1. For undergraduate-level internship, exchange students are required to be regular students registered in courses at the home institution.
- For graduate-level student exchange, exchange students are required to be regular students registered in the Master's course or the Doctoral course at the home institution.

#### 2. DURATION OF STAY

Duration of stay for exchange students at the host institution shall be for up to one academic year.

# 3. NUMBER OF EXCHANGE STUDENTS

Each institution may send and/or accept several students under this program each year.

### 4. STATUS OF EXCHANGE STUDENTS

The host institution shall accept exchange students from the home institution as non-degree candidates, who do not aim at obtaining a degree from the host institution.

#### 5. ACCEPTANCE PROCEDURE

The students participating in the exchange program under the terms of this Agreement shall be selected initially by the home institution, and the host institution shall make the final decision on admission in each case.

#### 6. STUDY PROGRAM

Each student shall determine the study program at the host institution in consultation with academic advisors of both home and host institutions. Depending on the study program, language requirements and/or other prerequisites may be imposed.

# 7. ACADEMIC RECORD AND ACCREDITATION

The host institution shall evaluate the academic performance of each student according to its rules and shall send the academic record/transcript of each exchange student to the home institution. The home institution may give credits to students according to its regulations.

# 8. TUITION AND OTHER FEES

The examination fee, matriculation fee, and tuition are waived for the exchange students.

#### 9. FINANCIAL RESPONSIBILITY

Exchange students shall be responsible for their own expenses, including travel expenses, accommodation costs, and health care fees.

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#### 11. AUTHENTIC TEXT

This Agreement is to be executed in the English language.

Date:

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