

***Memorandum of Understanding***  
***between***  
***Prince of Songkla University, Thailand***  
***and***  
***The University of Adelaide, South Australia***

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To promote international understanding and to enhance educational opportunities for their students and the teaching and research activities of their staff, the Prince of Songkla University (PSU) and the University of Adelaide (Adelaide) hereby establish this agreement for co-operation.

**Objectives**

The objectives of the co-operation are to identify opportunities for program enhancement ; to share information, expertise and capabilities in diverse fields; to exchange students and staff; to conduct collaborative activities designed to strengthen the quality of programs of education, research, scholarship and public service; to strengthen the ability of both universities to better serve their respective societies; and to seek the resources necessary to achieve these objectives.

**Programs and Activities**

Subject to the approval of the responsible parties in each institution, programs and activities shall potentially include :

1. Opportunities for mutually beneficial interactions between faculty members and staff from departments and schools of the two universities in order to strengthen and assist their research, teaching and academic programs.
2. Admission of staff and students from one university to the other to undertake research or to pursue courses leading to degrees awarded by the receiving university, subject to the application of normal admission criteria.
3. Occasional short-term visits by either party for seminars, workshops, conferences and consultations.
4. Exchange of information, academic materials and research results.
5. Programs of study and/or research designed for graduate students from both institutions.
6. Mutual collaboration between members of the respective universities in developing joint proposals for funding teaching, research and support projects. Such proposals shall be reviewed and considered by both administrations for approval.

Activities undertaken under this agreement shall be defined and agreed upon by the representatives of PSU and Adelaide in the form of separate agreements which are specific to the nature of the tasks to be carried out. Such activity agreements shall contain detail on the sponsor, time period, budget, payment schedule, mutual commitments, and other terms and conditions relevant for the proposed activity.

Efforts shall be made by both parties to this agreement to seek the necessary funding for their agreed co-operation from a variety of sources.

### **Implementation**

The implementation of specific activities associated with any and all of and above requires a separate agreement signed by both parties. Failure to obtain said agreement in writing will result in no obligation on the part of the other party to assume any responsibilities associated therewith.

### **Duration of the Agreement and Termination**

The agreement shall remain in force for an initial period of two years, and any modification shall require the written approval of the Vice-Chancellor of the University of Adelaide and the President of the Prince of Songkla University, or their designees.

This agreement may be renewed by mutual consent.

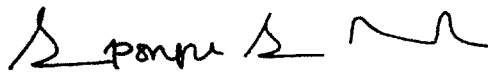
Either university reserves the right to terminate this agreement upon six months notice in writing to the other. If terminated by either party, each agrees to assume and to carry out its individual obligations and responsibilities assumed prior to the termination date.

This agreement shall take effect when signed by the official representatives of the institutions involved.

**Signed :**



Professor Gavin Brown  
Vice-Chancellor  
University of Adelaide



Professor Siripongse Sribhibhadh  
President  
Prince of Songkla University

Date : 22 May 1995

Date : 30 May, 1995