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24 October 2005

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For the attention of: Dr Supachok Wiriyacosol (Vice-president for Research & International Relations)

Dear Dr Supachok Wiriyacosol

**REF: EXTENSION TO MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING
COLLABORATION ON ACADEMIC AND RESEARCH RELATED DEVELOPMENT ACTIVITIES**

WHEREAS:

- (A) The Parties entered into an inter-institutional Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) relating to the furtherance of interests in continuing collaboration on academic and research related activities;
- (B) The MoU will expire as at 31st December 2005 and the Parties wish to agree on the continuance of the collaboration on the terms hereinafter expressed.

Now therefore it is hereby agreed as follows:

1. The MoU shall continue in force and effect until 31st December 2010.
2. All other terms and conditions of the MoU shall remain in full force and effect.

This letter is in duplicate. Please sign both originals, retaining one for your records and returning the other for the attention of the undersigned.

Your sincerely
**For and on behalf of the
University Court of the University
Of Aberdeen**

**For and on behalf of the
The Prince Songkla University**

**Mr Steve Cannon
University Secretary**

Name: Assoc. Prof. Dr. Supachok Wiriyacosol
Position: Vice President for Outreach and International Relations
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**Memorandum of Understanding
between
Prince of Songkla University
and
University of Aberdeen**

WHEREAS Prince of Songkla University (PSU) Thailand, and the University of Aberdeen (UA), UK are mutually interested in continuing collaboration on academic and research related development activities;

WHEREAS the two institutions have discussed the furtherance of these interests and now desire to record their mutual understanding in this regard;

NOW, THEREFORE, both institutions agree to enter into this Memorandum of Understanding (MOU).

ARTICLE I : PRINCIPLES OF COLLABORATION

The purpose of this MOU is to develop and carry out collaborative activities of mutual benefit to the two institutions and in furtherance of the common interests set out below.

ARTICLE II: AREAS OF COLLABORATION

The primary area of collaboration is in the field of biological/environmental studies; other areas may be added by mutual consent of both institutions.

ARTICLE III : METHODS OF COLLABORATION

The scope of collaboration may include the following activities:

- (1) individual contacts and exchanges between scholars, students and personnel of both institutions;
- (2) the development of joint research projects;
- (3) the development of training programmes;
- (4) the organisation of joint conferences, seminars and workshops;
- (5) assistance with obtaining funds for collaborative activities;
- (6) the encouragement of any other activities that both institutions agree to be of mutual benefit.

ARTICLE IV: IMPLEMENTATION

It is understood and agreed that:

- (1) For the purposes of this MOU, the following are the persons in charge of this collaboration:

at PSU:

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at UA:

Dr A G Marshall (Director – International Programme) Student Recruitment
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- (2) Reports on the progress of collaboration will be prepared by the above, at agreed intervals, for submission to the relevant bodies at each institution.
- (3) This MOU does not commit either institution to any financial expenditure. Collaborative projects will be initiated only if the necessary support funding has been guaranteed.
- (4) The ownership of any intellectual property created under this MOU shall be decided on a case by case basis taking into consideration: any conditions laid down by the funding body, the employment status of the creators, and current international regulations. The institutions will act reasonably in all matters of ownership and commercialisation of intellectual property.
- (5) Both PSU and UA are free to pursue co-operative ventures with other parties, and nothing in this MOU shall imply exclusivity on the part of either party or affect their ability to contact or collaborate with other parties, except where this is provided for in an annex to this MOU.

ARTICLE V: DURATION AND TERMINATION

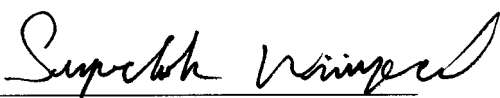
- (1) This MOU is effective as of the date of signature by the appropriate officers at each institution as below.
- (2) Either institution may terminate this MOU in giving not less than six months notice in writing of termination. However, each institution agrees that all continuing obligations to students, clients, funding bodies or other persons or agencies are met in full subsequent to notice of termination.
- (3) This MOU shall continue in force and effect until 31 December 2005. It may be amended at any time or extended by mutual written consent.

ARTICLE VI: STATUS OF THIS MOU

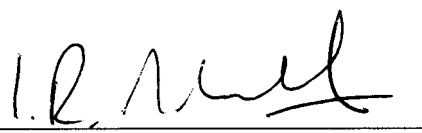
This Memorandum of Understanding is not legally binding and shall not give rise to any legal relationship between the parties. This MOU is intended only to be indicative of the parties intentions as to the nature and conduct of the relationship existing between them.

Executed for Prince of Songkla University

Executed for the University of Aberdeen



Dr Supachok Wiriyacosol
Vice-President for Research &
International Relations



Professor I R MacDonald
Senior Vice-Principal

Date 5 April 2001

Date 5 APRIL 2001