



**MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT**  
**BETWEEN**  
**FACULTY OF EDUCATION**  
**PRINCE OF SONGKLA UNIVERSITY (PSU), THAILAND**  
**AND**  
**FACULTY OF EDUCATION**  
**UNIVERSITAS NEGERI MALANG (UM), INDONESIA**

Faculty of Education, Prince of Songkla University (PSU) Thailand, and Faculty of Education, Universitas Negeri Malang (UM), Indonesia, believe that mutual benefits can be delivered by bridging their two Faculties, achieving a closer relationship by linking their scholars, students, and personnel. Both Faculties share the strong conviction that mutual understanding among people can be promoted through the establishment of academic links. Therefore, both Faculties agree to enter into this Memorandum of Agreement (MoA).

**Article I: Principle of Collaboration**

Faculty of Education, PSU, and Faculty of Education, UM, agree to develop their academic links under the principle of mutual understanding, mutual benefits, common interests, and mutual complementary activities.

**Article II: Aim of Collaboration**

- 1) To promote individual contacts among scholars, students, and personnel of both Faculties,
- 2) To promote links in teaching, research, and cultural activities,
- 3) To provide opportunities for staff and students exchanges which are not necessarily equally reciprocated,
- 4) To develop and encourage joint research, seminars, conference, workshops, and also assist each other in obtaining external funding from outside sources,
- 5) To develop when opportunities are available, joint study program,
- 6) To support the exchange of academic materials,
- 7) To share experiences and expertise concerning university administration and management, and
- 8) To encourage any other activities of mutual benefit that both universities agreed.

### **Article III: Areas of collaboration**

Areas of collaboration may include any academic or other programs offered by Faculty of Education, PSU, and Faculty of Education, UM.

### **Article IV: Implementation**

It is understood that:

- 1) Proposals for collaborative projects under this MoA will be submitted through the Chief Executive Officer of the two sides, and it is recommended that reports should be submitted to each Chief Executive Officer at the completion of each project.
- 2) The two sides will continue to pay the regular in-country allowance of its staff members on exchange or visiting programs. However, under specific contracts or secondment, the host Faculty may consider paying a supplemental allowance to visiting scholars during the period of their assignment.
- 3) Tuition fees will be waived for an agreed upon number of exchange students, and the host university will assist in finding reasonable accommodation for participating students.
- 4) Student mobilization will apply to undergraduate and graduate/post graduate students from both two sides, and include practical or industrial attachments.
- 5) Financial arrangements for collaborative research, seminars, workshops, conference, and other such activities will be negotiated separately and will be subjected to the availability of funds.
- 6) The host Faculty will not be responsible to cover the costs of medical treatment or hospitalization for visiting scholars or students, and it is recommended that visitors should obtain overseas health insurance coverage from their home country.

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## Article V: Duration and Termination of the Agreement

- 1) This MoA is effective for the duration of five years as of the date of signature by the Chief Executive officer of the two sides.
- 2) This MoA may be amended at any time as indicated by written mutual consent.
- 3) This MoA may be terminated by either university by the provision of a written notice of termination not less than six months prior to the desired termination date. However, both Faculties agree that at that time all continuing obligation to students, staff, funding bodies or other entities are met in full subsequent to the notice of termination.

Executed for

Universitas Negeri Malang (UM)



Prof. Dr. Bambang Budi Wiyono

Dean, Faculty of Education

Date July 6, 2018

Executed for

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Assoc. Prof. Dr. Ekkarin Sungtong

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