



MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING FOR STUDENT EXCHANGES  
BETWEEN  
COLLEGE OF HUMANITIES AND SOCIAL SCIENCES  
NATIONAL UNIVERSITY OF KAOHSIUNG, TAIWAN  
AND  
FACULTY OF HUMANITIES AND SOCIAL SCIENCES  
NATIONAL UNIVERSITY CORPORATION KOCHI UNIVERSITY, JAPAN

College of Humanities and Social Sciences, National University of Kaohsiung, Taiwan and Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences, National University Corporation Kochi University, Kochi, Japan, confirm this Memorandum to promote student exchanges between the two institutions based upon the Agreement on Academic Cooperation.

1. Duration of stay

The duration of stay of the exchange students at the host institution shall last for up to one academic year.

2. Number of exchange students

Each institution may send and accept under this exchange program no more than three students per year.

3. Status of exchange students

Each institution shall accept the exchange students as non-regular students who do not aim at obtaining a degree from the host institution.

4. Acceptance procedures

The home institution shall select the students participating in the exchange program under the terms of this Memorandum initially, and the host institution shall make final admission decisions in each case.

5. Study program

The exchange students shall determine their study programs 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.

6. Academic record and accreditation

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

7. Tuition and other fees

The exchange students shall not pay examination fees, matriculation fees or tuition to their host institution. (Regarding summer school and other intensive sessions, a separate memorandum will be drafted.)

8. Financial responsibility

The exchange students shall take out comprehensive health insurance which is valid in the host institution's country and shall be responsible for their own expenses, including travel expenses, accommodation costs and health care fees.

9. Commencement and duration of the Memorandum

This Memorandum shall come into effect on the date of its signing by the Deans of both institutions and shall be in place for five years. Either party may, given twelve months written notice to the other party, terminate the Memorandum. In the absence of such an early termination, the two parties shall discuss the renewal of this Memorandum no later than six months prior to the natural termination of the current Memorandum. The terms of this Memorandum may be revised or modified at any time through joint review and recommendation by both parties.

10. Authentic text

This Agreement shall be executed in English.

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