

AGREEMENT FOR THE EXCHANGE OF STUDENTS
between
COLLEGE OF HUMANITIES AND SOCIAL SCIENCES,
NATIONAL UNIVERSITY OF KAOHSIUNG,
TAIWAN
and
FACULTY OF CULTURE AND INFORMATION SCIENCE,
DOSHISHA UNIVERSITY,
JAPAN

College of Humanities and Social Sciences, National University of Kaohsiung (NUK, hereafter) and Faculty of Culture and Information Science, Doshisha University (DU, hereafter), recognizing the value of international cooperation, hereby agree upon the following terms and conditions for Agreement for the Exchange of Students.

1. NUMBER AND STATUS OF STUDENTS

In any one year during the term of this Agreement, three (3) students from each institution may be enrolled as a full-time non-degree student at the other institution for a period of one academic year. Students participating in this program will continue as candidates for the degrees of their home institution.

One student for one academic year is equivalent to two (2) students for one academic semester. Upon completion of the year or semester at the host institution, the exchange students must return to the home institution unless both institutions have approved an extension of their stay.

To encourage the active interchange of students and maintain the balance of exchange, students from both institutions will be permitted to engage in the host institution's other programs. It is understood that a balance in number of exchange students shall be maintained over the term of this agreement.

2. SELECTION OF PARTICIPANTS

The program is open to undergraduate students who have completed at least one year of undergraduate study. Graduate students may also participate at the discretion of the host institution. Participating students will be selected by the home institution generally on the basis of academic merit. It is understood that the host institution reserves the right to make a final decision on the admission of students nominated for the student exchange program. In case the candidate should be rejected by the host institution for any reason, the home institution may nominate alternative candidates for consideration by the host institution on condition that such alternative applications could be made early enough for the host institution to arrange visa and other procedures in time for their proposed semester of admission.

Students selected for the exchange will be required to display sufficient proficiency in the language appropriate to the host institution to carry out their studies and research at the host institution.

3. ELIGIBLE COURSES

Each participating student will take courses regularly offered at the relevant faculty/college of the host institution. The exchange students from NUK will be expected to have a minimum of one year's study of Japanese at the college level. Any academic credit earned at the host institution may be transferred back to the home institution in accordance with procedures determined by the latter.

4. RESPONSIBILITIES

Each participating student will enjoy the same rights and privileges as students at the host institution and be subject to the regulations and discipline of the host institution and country. The institutions will provide each other with adequate information on the performance of participating students and each institution will nominate a member of staff to coordinate the program.

5. TUITION AND FEES

Each student will pay the appropriate tuition and fees to his/her home institution during attendance at the host institution. He/She will not pay tuition fees to the host institution. He/she may be required to pay for the mandated administrative fees of the host institution.

6. ACCOMMODATION AND FINANCE

Both institutions agree to help the receiving students find relevant housing/accommodations. The payment of such housing, together with the payment for all travel, visa, medical insurance and subsistence costs, shall be the responsibility of the individual students participating in the program and neither institution shall be held liable for such charges and arrangements. Students selected shall satisfy the home institution that they have adequate funds for transportation to and from the host institution and for subsistence during their enrollment at the host institution.

7. HEALTH INSURANCE

NUK students attending DU are required to join the National Health Insurance Program instituted by the government of Japan. DU students attending NUK are required to purchase adequate medical insurance in accordance with the regulations of Taiwan.

8. REPRESENTATIVES

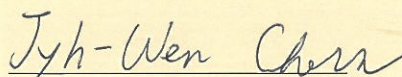
NUK designates Professor Jyh-Wen Chern, and DU designates Professor Nobuyuki Yamauchi, as their respective officers responsible for the implementation of this Agreement.

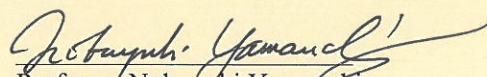
9. TERM OF VALIDITY, RENEWAL, AMENDMENT, AND TERMINATION

This Agreement shall commence on the date when the representatives of both institutions affix their signatures and shall continue thereafter for five (5) years subject to revision or modification by mutual agreement. Either institution may, by notice in writing of no less than six (6) months, terminate this Agreement but any participating students who have commenced at either institution, or whose exchange procedures have been started by the date of termination, may complete their courses of study. The institutions will confer concerning the renewal of this Agreement six (6) months prior to its expiration.

Signed for and on behalf of
National University of Kaohsiung
Kaohsiung, Taiwan

Signed for and on behalf of
Doshisha University
Kyoto, Japan


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Date: Dec. 15, 2015

Date: Dec. 10, 2015