

**MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING
BETWEEN
UBON RATCHATHANI UNIVERSITY, KINGDOM OF THAILAND
AND
UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN-MADISON, UNITED STATES OF AMERICA**

This Memorandum of Understanding, hereinafter referred to as MOU, is entered into by and between Ubon Ratchathani University, Kingdom of Thailand, hereinafter referred to as UBU, address 85 Sathonlamark Road, Warin Chamrap District, Ubon Ratchathani Province, Thailand, represented by **Assistant Professor Dr. Chutinun Prasitpuriprecha, President**, and University of Wisconsin-Madison, United States of America, hereinafter referred to as UW-Madison, address International Division, Bascom Hall, 500 Lincoln Drive, Madison, WI 53706, United States of America, represented by **Dr. Guido Podestá, Vice Provost and Dean of the International Division**. This MOU, therefore, is made as a gesture of goodwill between the two universities agree as follows:

1. Objectives

UBU and UW-Madison agree to cooperate in exploring the feasibility of the following activities:

- 1) Exchange of undergraduate and graduate students
- 2) Exchange of academic and administrative staff
- 3) Academic collaboration (degree/non-degree programs and collaborative staff development programs)
- 4) Exchange of academic information and materials of mutual interest
- 5) Organization of joint research and conference program
- 6) Other activities deemed appropriate by mutual consent

2. Execution of activities

Before any activities are carried out as a result of this MOU, details of these activities and any commitment of resources namely but not limited to relevant costs, incomes, or ownership and use of co-created intellectual property shall be negotiated and agreed on by both parties in writing with review of each party's relevant bodies according to each party's regulations as attachment to this MOU.

3. Entirety and amendment

UBU and UW-Madison hereby agree that all provisions in this MOU are complete and reflective of the interests and purposes of the Partners. This MOU may be amended only by written agreement of the UBU and UW-Madison.

4. Term and termination

This MOU is valid for five years and is subject to revision and renewal by mutual consent. Either party may terminate the MOU at any time by written notice signed by the appropriate

official of the party initiating the notice. The notice must be received by the other party at least thirty days prior to the effective date of termination. In the event of termination, any students pursuing an activity under this MOU may complete their activities in connection with the MOU.

5. Dispute settlement


Consensual agreement shall settle any differences or disputes arising from the interpretation or implementation of this MOU.

This MOU is executed in two identical original copies. UBU and UW-Madison have read and fully understood the content of the agreement and thereby provides a signature of agreement and seals (if any) herewith as an affidavit in front of witnesses. Each party holds one signed copy.


This MOU takes effect from the date of signing by representatives of the two universities:

1 March 2022

Signed for and on behalf of
Ubon Ratchathani University by





Chutinun Prasitpraprecha, Ph.D.
Assistant Professor
President
Date: 8 FEB 2022




Surasak Khamkhong, Ph.D.
Associate Professor
Dean of the Faculty of Liberal Arts
Witness
Date: 16 FEB 2022

Signed for and on behalf of
University of Wisconsin-Madison by



Guido Podestá, Ph.D.
Vice Provost
Dean, International Division
Date: 3-1-22



Ian G. Baird, Ph.D.
Professor
Director of the Center for Southeast Asian
Studies
Witness
Date: Feb. 29, 2022