



## MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

between

**THE UNIVERSITY OF SOCIAL SCIENCES AND HUMANITIES  
OF HO CHI MINH CITY, VIETNAM**

and

**UBON RAJATHANEE UNIVERSITY, THAILAND**

The University of Social Sciences and Humanities, Ho Chi Minh City, Vietnam and Ubon Rajathanee University, Thailand hereby agree to foster academic exchange and cooperation between the two institutions through this Memorandum of Understanding (MOU).

### 1. SCOPE OF COOPERATION

Subject to mutual consent, the areas of cooperation will include any program offered by either institution as felt desirable and feasible on either side and that contributes to fostering and development of the cooperative relationship between the two institutions.

Cooperation may be carried out through the activities as follows:

- Exchange of faculty and/or staff;
- Exchange of graduate and/or undergraduate students;
- Exchange of scientific materials, publications, and information;
- Exchange of cultural activities;
- Joint conferences and academic programs;
- Joint research activities and publications.

These activities are to be carried out after mutual consultation between the two institutions or the divisions concerned. Normally each institution will sign a letter of agreement setting out the responsibilities of each institution for the agreed activity and such other matters as the institutions agree are necessary for the efficient achievement of the activity.





## 2. ADMINISTRATIVE RESPONSIBILITY

The Office of International Cooperation at the University of Social Sciences and Humanities, Ho Chi Minh City, Vietnam (Email: inter\_uss@hcm.fpt.vn) and the Division of International Relations at Ubon Rajathanee University, Thailand (Email: ubu.inter@gmail.com) will serve as coordinators of this MOU at their respective institutions. Notification of any change in coordinators may be made by letter.

## 3. FINANCE AND SERVICE

Both institutions accept that all specific and financial arrangements are to be negotiated and are dependent on the availability of funds. The parties agree to seek financial support from national and international organizations for the activities and exchanges to be undertaken in the terms of this MOU.

## 4. LANGUAGE AND VALIDITY

This MOU is in English and remains in effect from the date of signature for an initial period of five years.

## 5. AMENDMENTS, RENEWAL, AND TERMINATION

This MOU may be modified through the mutual discussion and consent of the two institutions. After the initial period both sides will consider the renewal of this agreement. During the validity of this agreement, either institution may terminate the agreement by giving six months' written notice of such intent.

As witnesses of the terms of this MOU our signatures are affixed:

**The University of Social Sciences and  
Humanities  
Ho Chi Minh City – Vietnam**



*[Signature]*  
Prof. Dr. Vo Van Sen

Rector

Date

*April 1, 2009*

**Ubon Rajathanee University  
Thailand**

*[Signature]*

Prof. Prakob Wirojanagud

President

Date

*6 March 2009*