



**MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING BETWEEN CHIANG MAI UNIVERSITY
AND
SOUTHWEST MEDICAL UNIVERSITY**

Chiang Mai University, Thailand and Southwest Medical University, China believing the extension and strengthening of scientific exchange and co-operation to be of mutual value to their institutions and to the development of understanding between their peoples, hereby record their intentions to promote academic and educational exchanges between their institutions through the following activities:

1. STAFF EXCHANGE

1.1 Exchange of Academic Staff

The two institutions may nominate their academic staff to participate in an exchange for the purpose of study or lecturing in the other institution on a reciprocal basis. The participant is subject to approval by the Host Institution. The period of exchange will normally be one or two academic terms. The Host Institution will provide a university appointment where appropriate, library and research facilities, and other assistance as far as possible. The Home Institution will also maintain its academic staff on salary during the period of the exchange. The Host Institution will assist the visiting academic staff in locating accommodation.

1.2 Visiting Academic Staff.

In addition to the reciprocal exchanges, either institution may invite faculty members from the other institution for the purpose of lecturing or consultation for a specified period of time, subject to the approval of the Home Institution. In such cases the Host Institution may agree to make appropriate funding arrangements in advance.

1.3 Visiting Research Fellows.

Either institution may nominate one or more of its faculty to visit the other institution for the purpose of advanced study or research, subject to the approval of the Host Institution. In such cases, the Home Institution may provide the Research Fellow with a salary based on the Home Institution's regulations. The Host Institution will extend its institutional courtesies and provide library access, research facilities and an appropriate academic standing.

2. STUDENT EXCHANGE

- 2.1 Each institution may send students, either undergraduate or postgraduate, to study in an appropriate field at the other institution.
- 2.2 Both institutions agree that the exchange program should follow the educational system and regulations of the counterpart institution. Students must submit their applications to the Host Institution through their Home Institution.

3. A JOINT PHD TRAINING PROGRAM

- 3.1 Both universities agree to have a joint PhD training and/or double degree program between the two universities. Co-supervision for the graduate students and post-graduate student exchange for research activities is to be encouraged as individual scholars or departments establish contact and develop mutual interests. The cost and conditions of such agreements will be negotiated individually.

4. CO-OPERATIVE RESEARCH

- 4.1 Co-operative research is to be encouraged as individual scholars or departments establish contact and develop mutual interests. The cost and conditions of such agreements will be negotiated individually.

5. EXCHANGE OF ACADEMIC MATERIALS

- 5.1 Each institution shall exchange relevant materials, such as those relating to the library, on a regular basis. The libraries may also exchange materials for research purposes.

6. TERMS OF CO-OPERATION

- 6.1 The terms of co-operation for each specific activity implemented under this Memorandum shall be mutually discussed and agreed upon in writing by both institutions through a separate Agreement prior to the initiation of that activity.

7. CO-ORDINATION OF THE EXCHANGE

- 7.1 Each institution shall designate a Liaison Officer to develop and co-ordinate the specific activities agreed upon. The designated liaison officers for the purposes of this Memorandum shall be:

Chiang Mai University
Associated Dean in Research and
International Relations,
Faculty of Associated Medical Sciences

Southwest Medical University
Dean in School of Pharmacy

Currently: Assoc.Prof.Dr. Aatit PAUNGMALI Currently: Prof. Yun Ye

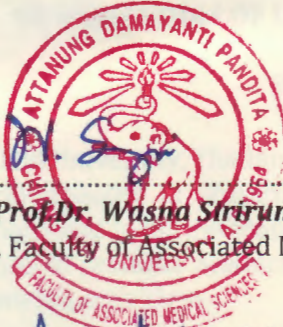
- 7.2 Through these offices, either institution may initiate proposals for activities and specific details of any such activities will be set forth in a letter of agreement.

8. RENEWAL, TERMINATION AND AMENDMENT

- 8.1 This Memorandum shall take effect from the date of the last signature for a period of five (5) years and may be modified by mutual written consent.
- 8.2 The Memorandum may be terminated by either party provided six (6) month's written notice is given to the other party.

In witness whereof, the parties hereto have offered their signatures:

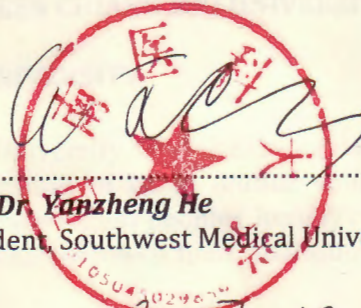
For Chiang Mai University



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Asst. Prof. Dr. Wasna Srirungsri
Dean, Faculty of Associated Medical Sciences

Date: August 1, 2017

For Southwest Medical University



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Prof. Dr. Yunzheng He
President, Southwest Medical University

Date: 2017 10.30