



**Memorandum of Understanding
between
Nha Trang University, Vietnam
and
National Chiayi University, Taiwan**

Nha Trang University and **National Chiayi University** enter into this agreement to foster international cooperation in training, research and development activities.

Nha Trang University (NTU), established in 1959, located at 02 Nguyen Dinh Chieu, Nha Trang city, is one of Vietnam's major multidisciplinary, multi-leveled universities, and a leading center for fishery research, training and advanced technology deployment. NTU is a public higher education institution, accredited by the National Accreditation Council of Vietnam. Currently NTU is offering 6 doctoral degree programs, 15 master's degree programs, 32 undergraduate degree programs, and various short courses for professional developments for around 16 domestic and international students.

National Chiayi University (NCYU), a national university of Taiwan with history of establishment traced back to 1919, formed in 2000 by merging National Chiayi Institute of Technology (NCIT) and National Chiayi Teachers College (NCTC) in Chiayi, Taiwan, with office address at No.300 Syuefu Rd., Chiayi City 60004, Taiwan. Currently NCYU is offering 7 doctoral degree programs, 40 master's degree programs, 39 undergraduate degree programs, and 4 full English programs.

In order to promote cooperation and the advancement of academic and educational exchanges between NTU and NCYU, the two institutions agree to encourage the following activities in particular to promote academic cooperation during a five year term, from 2016 to 2021:

- Staff and students exchanges
- Joint research activities and publications
- Participation in each other's seminars, workshops, conferences
- Exchange of academic materials and information
- Organizing special short-term training programs

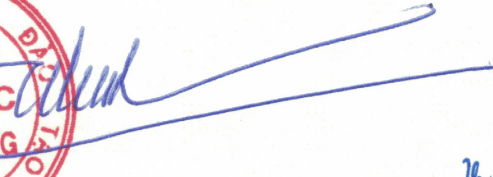
Before specific activities can be implemented, the parties shall develop and enter into specific activity agreements based on the form of implementation mutually agreed upon subsequent to this MoU. Implementation of specific collaborative programs will depend upon the availability of funds and continued mutual interest of the partners.

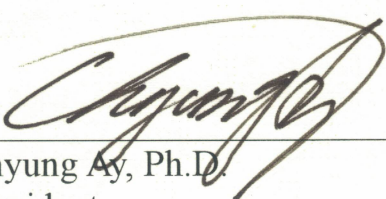
Both institutions subscribe to a policy of equal opportunities and will not discriminate on the basis of race, gender, ethnicity, religion, national origin, or disability.

The MoU becomes effective on signing. It shall remain in force for five (5) years and may be renewed by the written agreement of the parties. The MoU should be reviewed every five years. The MoU may be terminated by either party upon at least 90 days advance written notice. Such termination shall not affect activities in progress at the time the notice is received.

This MoU constitutes the entire agreement between the parties, and all prior discussions, agreements and understandings, whether verbal or written, are hereby merged into this MoU. This MoU is not considered a binding contract creating legal and financial relationship between the parties, but is designed as a means to facilitate and develop a genuine and mutually beneficial process for collaboration.




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