

# Memorandum Of Understanding

between

*Faculty of Dentistry, Prince of Songkla University*

and

*Peking University School of Stomatology*

Faculty of Dentistry, Prince of Songkla University (FDPSU) and Peking University School of Stomatology (PUSS), PR China believe that mutual benefits—especially in terms of friendship communication and academic exchange can be derived by bridging their two dental schools, achieving a closer relationship linking their scholarship, students, and personnel. Therefore, both dental schools agree to enter into this Memorandum of Understanding.

## ***Article I: Principles of cooperation***

FDPSU and PUSS agree to develop their academic links under the principles of mutual understanding, mutual benefits, common interests, and mutually complementary activities.

## ***Article II: Objectives of Cooperation***

1. to promote individual contacts among scholarship, students, and personnel of both dental schools
2. to promote links in teaching, research, and cultural activities,
3. to provide opportunities for both staff and student exchanges,
4. based on mutual understanding, to develop and to encourage joint research, seminars, conferences, workshops,
5. to develop joint study programmes,
6. to support the exchange of academic materials, resource, and services
7. to share experiences and expertise concerning dental school administration and management,
8. to encourage any other activities that both dental schools agree to be of mutual benefit.

## ***Article III: Areas of Cooperation***

Areas of cooperation can include any academic or other programmes offered by FDPSU and PUSS, PR China. The following areas may be taken into account first during the initiating period:

1. staff exchange
2. oral health service system research
3. community-based oral health promotion research
4. consultant exchange between the two WHO collaborative centres
5. symposium on preventive, community dentistry organization
6. information network on public health dentistry establishment

#### **Article IV: Implementation**

It is understood and agreed that:

1. Proposals for collaborative projects under this MOU will be submitted through the Dean of each Dental School, and it is recommended that reports should be submitted to each Dean at the completion of each project.
2. Each dental school will continue to pay the regular in-country salary of its staff members on exchange or visiting programmes.
3. Student mobilization will apply to undergraduate and graduate/post graduate students at both dental schools.
4. Financial arrangements for collaborative research, seminars, workshops, conferences, and other such activities will be negotiated separately.
5. The sending dental school is responsible to arrange the costs of medical insurance for visiting scholars or students.

The two dental schools agree, when opportunity avails, to negotiate for signing an official collaborative agreement.

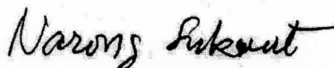
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