



Memorandum of Understanding
between
**The Faculty of Pharmaceutical Sciences, Ubon Ratchathani University,
Thailand**
and
The Faculty of Natural Sciences, University of Graz, Austria

This Memorandum of Understanding ("MOU") demonstrates an intention by the Faculty of Natural Sciences of the University of Graz and the Faculty of Pharmaceutical Sciences of the Ubon Ratchathani University (later named 'the parties') to engage in a programme of co-operation for mutual benefit.

Article 1

The objective of this Agreement is to encourage and support co-operation between the Faculty of Natural Sciences of the University of Graz and the Faculty of Pharmaceutical Sciences of the Ubon Ratchathani University in all fields represented by both faculties.

Article 2

The co-operation between the two parties is based on the principle of reciprocity and may include the following activities:

- exchange of experience in teaching and research
- mutual linkages and exchange of faculty, staff, and students
- summer schools, seminars and other activities to exchange knowledge
- exchange of scientific and scholarly literature, textbooks, and other university publications
- organising joint research projects, joint publications, and joint programmes

These activities will be subject to the availability of funds and the approval of the parties.

Article 3

The details of each activity developed under this MOU (projects, duration, conditions, financing, distribution of tasks, etc.) will be specified and agreed upon in writing before the respective activity takes place. Each specific agreement will be approved by the appropriate authorities of the two institutions.

The two parties will each identify a person ("the Co-ordinator") who will be responsible for the implementation of the co-operative programs under this MOU. At the University of Graz this will be *Professor Adelheid Brantner* (Department of Pharmaceutical Sciences), at Ubon Ratchathani University, this will be *Bancha Yingngam, PhD* (Department of Pharmaceutical Sciences).

**Article 4**

Notwithstanding any other provisions, this MOU only expresses the intentions of the two parties and no legally binding obligations are intended, or do arise as a consequence of the signing of this document. Implementation of the activities contemplated by this agreement is dependent upon the ability of the parties to secure adequate funding to support such activities. In the event that a party is unable to secure adequate funding to support the activities contemplated by this agreement, that party will not be considered in breach of the MOU. The parties also agree that, if by reason of force majeure, strikes or other labour disputes, civil disorders, or any other unavoidable causes, either party is unable to perform its obligations, such non-performance will not be considered a breach of this MOU.

Article 5

This agreement takes effect upon ratification by the representatives of their universities, and will be valid for five (5) years from the date of the last signature.

The MOU may be terminated earlier upon written notice by either party at any time, and the agreement will terminate 180 days after the date of the written communication of the withdrawal to the partner institution with the understanding that any existing commitments will be honoured.

Article 6

Two copies of this MOU have been produced in English, each to be considered an original, and each contracting party to receive one (1) duly signed copy.

Any amendment to this MOU may be made on the exchange of letters between the two parties.

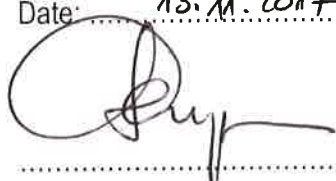
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