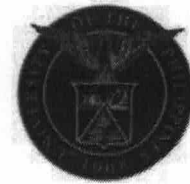




MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

BETWEEN



The **SYNCHROTRON LIGHT RESEARCH INSTITUTE**, a public organization under the Ministry of Science and Technology, Thailand, established by the Royal Decree on the Establishment of the Synchrotron Light Research Institute (Public Organization), B.E. 2551, with official address at 111 University Avenue, Suranaree Sub-district, Muang District, Nakhon Ratchasima Province, Thailand, represented herein by its Director, **PROF. WNG. CMDR. DR. SARAWUT SUJITJORN**, hereinafter referred to as "**SLRI**"

AND

The **UNIVERSITY OF THE PHILIPPINES**, the National University, created by virtue of Act No. 1870, as amended and strengthened by Republic Act No. 9500, otherwise known as "The University of the Philippines Charter of 2008" through its constituent university at Diliman, with official address at Quezon Hall, U.P. Campus, Diliman, Quezon City, 1101, Philippines, represented herein by its Chancellor, **DR. MICHAEL L. TAN**, hereinafter referred to as "**UPD**"

recognizing the benefits to the SLRI and UPD from the establishment of institutional links, conclude this Agreement.

1. The purpose of this MoU is to develop academic cooperation and promote mutual understanding between the two Institutions;
2. Both Institutions agree to develop the following activities in academic areas of mutual interest, on the basis of equality and reciprocity;
 - a. Exchange of faculty, researchers and other research and administrative staff;
 - b. Exchange of students;
 - c. Collaborative research projects;
 - d. Lectures and symposia;
 - e. Exchange of academic information and materials
 - f. Other forms of academic cooperation
3. The development and implementation of specific activities based on this MoU will be separately negotiated and agreed upon between the Institutions which carry out the specific projects. This shall be subject of a separate written agreement between the two institutions. Both Institutions agree to carry out these activities in accordance with the laws and regulations of their respective countries after full consultation and approval from the other party.
4. It is understood that the implementation of any of the cooperative activities stated in clause 2 may be restricted depending upon the availability of resources and funds at the Institutions concerned.
5. Both parties agree that, in the event of research collaboration leading to patent rights, copyrights or other intellectual property rights, a further agreement must be negotiated in each case in accordance with the policies of the two parties on intellectual property. Both Institutions shall seek an equitable and fair understanding as to the ownership and other property interests that may arise.

6. This MoU may be amended or modified by a written agreement signed by the representatives of both Institutions.
7. In the event of an unforeseen incident during collaborative activities in either country, both Institutions agree to negotiate a mutually acceptable solution. As far as practicable, these solutions shall be incorporated into the specific agreements mentioned in clause 3.
8. This MoU is valid for a period of three (3) years from the date of signature by the representatives of both parties. This MoU may be renewed after being reviewed and renegotiated by both Institutions.
9. This MoU may, at any time during its period of validity, be terminated by either party, upon prior notice to the other party in writing, at least six months before the termination date.
10. Should any disagreement arise out of the application, interpretation or implementation of this MoU, the parties shall endeavor to exercise their best efforts to negotiate the differences.
11. The two Institutions shall collaborate in a spirit of mutual trust and cooperation, this MoU is not intended to create legally binding relations between them.

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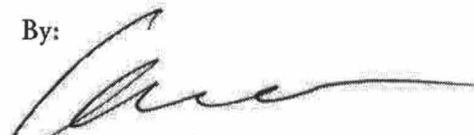


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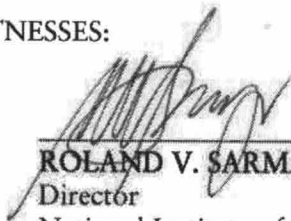
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