



MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

BETWEEN

UNIVERSITY OF NEW MEXICO

AND

JUNTENDO UNIVERSITY



The Regents of the University of New Mexico (Global Education, MSC06 3850, 1, University of New Mexico, Albuquerque, NM 87131-0001, USA) and Juntendo University (2-1-1 Hongo, Bunkyo-ku, Tokyo, 113-8421, JAPAN) have mutually agreed upon this Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) to strengthen their collaborative and exchange relations.

1. Purpose

This MOU is the foundation for the promotion of the following future forms of collaboration:

- Collaborative academic programs and research initiatives
- Exchange of students, faculty, and staff
- Exchange of academic materials
- Exchange of information regarding conferences, symposiums, and seminars
- Other activities mutually agreed upon by both parties that will strengthen both universities

2. Functions

2.1 Administrative Guidelines

Each party acknowledges that any form of collaboration derived from the purpose of this MOU must be approved by the appropriate authorities and must meet the administrative guidelines of both parties. Programs or activities that do not meet the administrative guidelines already in place at the host institution will require a separate mutually agreed upon written contract.

2.2 Conduct

Each party acknowledges that in the case students, faculty, or staff visit the other party or participate in exchange programs they must obey the laws of host country and the regulations of the host party.

2.3 Financial Expenses

Each party acknowledges that neither party will have any financial obligations to the other party, unless stated in a separate mutually agreed upon written agreement.

2.4 Equal Opportunity

Each party agrees not to discriminate against any person based on age, sex, gender, sexual orientation, race, caste, ethnicity, nationality, or religion.

3 Terms and Conditions

3.1 Representatives

The Regents of the University of New Mexico is represented by College of Education Dean Salvador Hector Ochoa and Juntendo University is represented by School of Health and Sports Science Dean Minoru Kano.

3.2 Effective Date

This MOU becomes effective after the representatives of both parties sign the MOU.

3.3 Length

This MOU extends for a period of three years and will subsequently renew automatically. Each party may terminate the MOU, granted they provide the other party with a three month written notice. Termination of the MOU will not influence any ongoing programs or activities, unless mutually agreed upon by both parties in a separate mutually agreed upon written contract.

3.4 Modification

Each party may propose a modification to the MOU at any time. Each party must mutually agree to the modification for the change to become effective.

3.5 Communication

Each party will have an administrative office responsible for communications with the other party. The Regents of the University of New Mexico's administrative office responsible for communications is the University of New Mexico Global Education Office (studyabd@unm.edu, 1 (505) 277-4032). Juntendo University's administrative office responsible for communications is Juntendo University International Center (juic@juntendo.ac.jp; +81 (0)3-3813-3795).

3.6 Legality

Each party acknowledges that the MOU states mutually agreed upon purposes and understandings. This MOU is not legally binding. Each party may propose a legally binding contract derived from the purpose of the MOU at any time.

3.7 Third Party

Each party acknowledges that they will be responsible for their own actions in regards to relations with third parties. Third party commitments of one party will not have an influence on the other party.

3.8 Execution

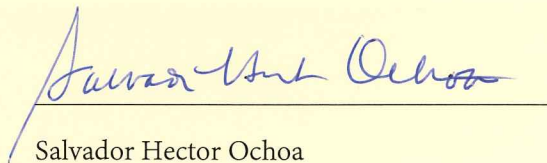
Two identical copies of this MOU will be written in English with each party receiveing one copy.

For


The Regents of the University of New Mexico:

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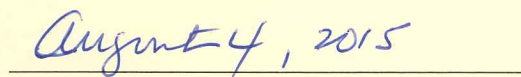
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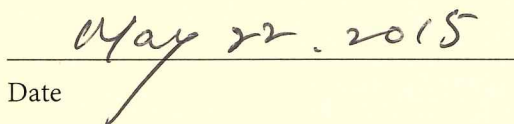
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