



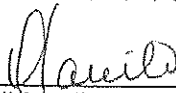
MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING
BETWEEN



UNIVERSIDAD IBEROAMERICANA AND THE UNIVERSITY OF THE RYUKYUS

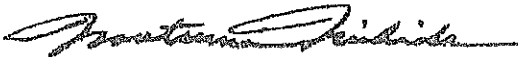
The Universidad Iberoamericana and the University of the Ryukyus (hereinafter collectively referred to as "Parties" or individually referred to as "Party"), enter into this memorandum of understanding (hereinafter referred to as "MOU"), based on a foundation of mutual trust established by previous exchange programs, to promote further exchange of students, faculty, and staff in order to advance scientific research, education, and cultural understanding, and to contribute to the mutual benefit and development of the Parties.

1. The Parties shall promote the following exchange activities based on their respective academic and educational needs:
 - (1) Exchange of students
 - (2) Exchange of faculty and staff members
 - (3) Exchange of academic materials, publications, and information
 - (4) Joint hosting of seminars, conferences, and symposia
 - (5) Joint research
 - (6) Other academic exchanges
2. Nothing shall diminish the full autonomy of either Party, nor will each Party impose any constraints upon the other regarding enforcement of the MOU.
3. All activities developed under the auspices of this MOU will respect and conform to the corresponding international laws, norms, traditions and regulations of each institution, its country and region.
4. The implementation of each exchange based on this MOU shall be separately negotiated and determined by the Parties. Exchange activities shall be carried out within the scope of each Party's financial, material, and institutional limitations. With this understanding and the mutual agreement of the Parties, any agreement based on this MOU may be executed.
5. The Parties shall respect each other's rights concerning confidentiality and intellectual property. Intellectual property rights resulting from exchange activities shall be separately discussed and agreed upon between the Parties.
6. If any dispute arises between the Parties, they shall respond in good faith and endeavor to reach an amicable settlement. Disputes that cannot be amicably resolved shall be subject to legal measures including, but not limited to, arbitration and lawsuit.
7. This MOU is subject to revision by mutual consent. It is also understood that each Party may terminate the MOU at any time, although such action shall only be taken after mutual consideration in order to avoid any possible inconvenience to each Party.
8. This MOU shall be effective when the representatives of the Parties have signed the MOU and is valid for a term of five years. It may be automatically renewed for any successive period of five years unless terminated by each party by giving six months' notice of termination to the other party.



Dr. Odile Camilo Vincent
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Date: June 24, 2024



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9. Accommodations

The host university shall do its best to secure appropriate accommodations for exchange students.

10. Personal Information

Both universities agree that they will ensure that all student records and personal information are held securely and confidentially and undertake to further ensure that the aforementioned data is not used or disclosed for any purpose other than the administration of the student exchange program. Both universities acknowledge that personal information relating to participating students supplied by their home university is to be processed by the host university only in accordance with the terms of this agreement and otherwise of the express instructions of the home university, as well as the legislation of both countries on the subject, and agree that they will take appropriate technical and organizational measures against unlawful or unauthorized processing and accidental loss, destruction or damage of such personal information.

11. This agreement shall not ensure the availability of scholarships for exchange students, but each university shall endeavor to provide useful information on scholarship programs that will financially assist the students.

12. This agreement is subject to revision or annulment by mutual consent, although such action shall only be taken after mutual consultation in order to avoid any possible inconvenience to the other university. In the event that this Agreement reaches its end while students are on exchange at the host institution, both institutions shall fulfill all outstanding obligations as stated under this Agreement with regards to student exchange until students fully complete their terms of study.

13. This agreement shall become effective when the representatives of both universities have affixed their signatures hereunder and shall be effective for five years. It may be automatically renewed for any successive period of five years unless terminated by either party by giving six months' notice of termination to the other parties.

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