

MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

Between the State University of New York at Stony Brook
and the Eberhard-Karls-Universität Tübingen

June, 1983

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The State University of New York at Stony Brook, herein after referred to as SUSB, and the Eberhard-Karls-Universität Tübingen herein after referred to as EKU, hereby agree to undertake scholarly cooperation and to exchange post-graduate students and faculty to permit them to continue their studies and/or research in accordance with the provisions of this agreement.

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Realization of the above stated agreement shall take the following forms of cooperation:

1. Collaborative and cooperative programs of research in the field of the Humanities, the Social and Behavioral Sciences, the Natural Sciences and the Life Sciences.
2. Discussions on academic and administrative developments in education.
3. The mutual exchange of scholarly publications and annual research reports.

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German students selected for the exchange should have a knowledge of English adequate for undertaking their studies and research at SUSB. SUSB post-graduate students selected for study in Tübingen should have a similar knowledge of German.

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Each University agrees to make available to each participant in the Exchange appropriate medical insurance and health benefits, the cost of which will be borne by the exchange.

The two universities, in the placement of the exchangeees, will coordinate the participants interests with available educational resources.

Notifications of specific placements will be made to the respective sponsoring institutions well in advance of the participants planned departure dates.

The obligation delineated in the agreement for the exchange of faculty and research scholars between SUSB and ECU shall not exceed a period of ten consecutive months for the academic year program.

The list of students and faculty submitted by either of the contracting institutions shall include a curriculum vita and a description of the research which each participant wishes to pursue in the host country.

The annual number of post-graduate participants in the exchange shall be determined by mutual agreement between ECU and SUSB prior to April 20 of each year. The number shall be determined by the fiscal resources available to each party of the agreement.

Both parties agree to waive any tuition charges to provide free opportunities for research. Stipends and other services provided to participants shall be on a quid pro quo basis as follows:

A post- graduate student from Tübingen shall be granted a stipend of approximately \$3,500 for the academic year (10 months), and transportation from New York City to the SUSB campus and return. SUSB will reserve rooms in the University dormitory for the German students but the cost of this room will be paid for by the Tübingen exchangee from his monthly stipend.

Each SUSB post-graduate student engaged in studies at ECU as part of the exchange shall be granted a stipend of approximately 750 DM per month for the academic year in Tübingen and accommodation in a student dormitory will likewise be reserved.

Costs of transportation of American students from Frankfurt or Stuttgart to Tübingen and return will be paid for by ECU.

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Each year a mutually agreed upon number of undergraduate students may be accepted by each institution. These students will receive a tuition waiver but not a stipend from the host institution. The number of students within a given year's exchange shall not exceed six.

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Every participant in the exchange will enjoy the same rights and facilities as students and academic staff members of the inviting countries.

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Contingent upon financial possibilities both contracting parties agree to invite faculty and staff members of the other institution for short periods of stay in order to give lectures or discuss academic planning. The number of participants will be determined annually at the mutual consent of both contracting parties. Financial and housing arrangements will be made on an individual basis prior to arrival.

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The obligations of the parties under this agreement are to the participants only and are not inclusive of spouses and dependents. Additional expenses incurred by accompanying spouses and dependents are the responsibility of the individual.

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The program of exchange will be coordinated, on the part of SUSB by the Office of International Programs and on the part of ECU by the Akademisches Auslandsamt.

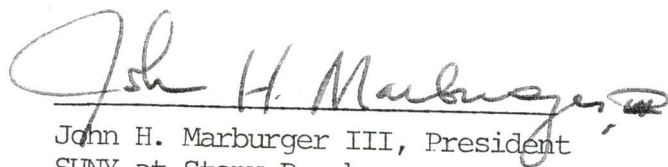
The present agreement is concluded for a period of three years starting with the date of its signature. The agreement may be extended for further periods upon the mutual agreement of both parties.

Any modifications concerning the present agreement may be introduced with mutual consent. Either party reserves the right to discontinue the present agreement upon nine month notice.

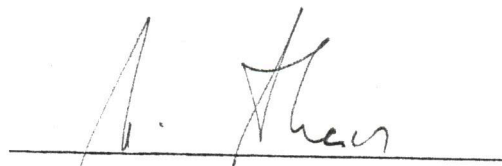
The present agreement may be supplemented by addenda discussing further particulars of the exchange program, as determined by the mutual consent of contracting parties.

The present agreement shall enter into force on the date of signing.

The number of post-graduate student exchangees between SUSB and EKU will normally not exceed 6 on an academic basis.



John H. Marburger III, President
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Date: June 3, 1983
June 3, 1983

Date: June 14, 1983

For the State University of New York

Date: _____