

## **AGREEMENT ON STUDENT AND FACULTY EXCHANGES**

**between**

**the Faculty of Mathematics and Natural Sciences,  
University of BENGKULU**

**and**

**the Faculty of Engineering, GIFU University**

In order to enhance research, educational, and training activities, the Faculty of Mathematics and Natural Sciences, University of Bengkulu (UNIB: Indonesia) and the Faculty of Engineering, Gifu University (GifuU: Japan) ("the parties"), have decided to work together for the purpose of furthering the studies of students and faculty through exchange programs.

The parties hereto agree as follows:

### ***I. STUDENT EXCHANGE***

1. The parties shall recommend no more than two (2) exchange students annually based on the host institution's academic year and shall accept an equivalent number of exchange students throughout this Agreement's effective term.
2. The Faculty of Engineering, Gifu University agrees to waive the entrance examination, admission and tuition fees for the students from UNIB. UNIB agrees to waive the application, admission, and tuition fees for the students of GifuU.
3. The term of the exchange shall be for one (1) academic year, but may be extended with the consent of both parties.
4. Each party shall certify the credits taken by the students at the host institution. The transferability of the credits, however, shall be at the discretion of the home institution.
5. Further specifications on the student exchange shall be outlined in the SUPPLEMENTAL AGREEMENT ON STUDENT EXCHANGES.

### ***II. FACULTY EXCHANGE***

6. The parties shall actively promote faculty exchanges for the mutually-agreed periods.

7. Faculty exchanges may assume various forms, such as individual short-term visits to the institutions, and implementation of joint research and development projects.
8. The parties shall encourage the faculties to co-author publications, to promote joint research activities, and explore joint project possibilities, all of which activities are subject to *applicable copyright and/or other laws of the respective countries* as well as the rules and regulations of each institution.
9. The host institution shall endeavor to make all relevant facilities including laboratories and libraries available to the faculty to ensure it is afforded every opportunity to make its experience a productive and successful one.
10. Both parties shall seek external funding sources to facilitate the exchanges. The parties shall acknowledge that in the absence of an external funding agency, all expenses incidental to the exchanges *including travel costs, room and board* shall be left to the discretion and the responsibility of the sending institution.

### **III. EXCHANGE OF INFORMATION**

11. Information shall be actively exchanged between the parties. "Information" refers to data regarding students, research, and faculty members and their fields of research and publications.

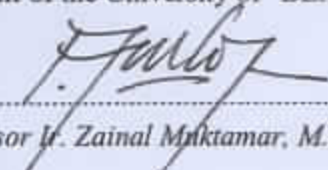
### **IV. TERMS OF IMPLEMENTATION, RENEWAL, REVISIONS, TERMINATION, AND NOTICES**

12. Details of implementation of any particular exchanges set forth in this Agreement shall be negotiated and approved by the parties.
13. This Agreement shall become effective on signing by the representatives of both parties and shall remain valid for a period of five (5) years from the date hereof.
14. This Agreement may be renewed after five (5) years upon the mutual consent of both parties. Each party may terminate this Agreement by notifying the other party of its intent at least six (6) months prior to the expiration. Any projects/programs in progress at the time of termination shall remain in force.

15. This Agreement shall be constructed and governed in accordance with the Laws of Japan and the Laws of the Republic of Indonesia.
16. With regard to any conditions not specifically set forth in this Agreement or any issues that may arise while the Agreement remains in effect, both parties agree to refrain from any unilateral actions and negotiate in good faith any mutually-acceptable decisions.
17. Both parties agree that each party shall not be liable for the death or injury of any person or damage to any property arising from the conduct of any particular projects and/or programs pursuant to this Agreement.

18. Signatures

On behalf of the University of BENGKULU

  
A. Professor W. Zainal Muktamar, M.Sc., Ph.D.  
Rector

Date: 7 / 20 / 2011  
Month Day Year



Drs. Rizwar, M.S.  
Dean  
The Faculty of Mathematics and Natural  
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On behalf of GIFU University

  
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