

Agreement for Educational and Scientific Cooperation

between

Saint-Petersburg State University, Russian Federation

and

Feng Chia University, Taiwan, Republic of China

Taiwan

This Agreement is concluded to guide the development of partnership between Saint-Petersburg State University, Russia, and Feng Chia University, Taiwan, R.O.C. Having considered the Agreement as non-binding by its character, the undersigned parties agreed to establish cooperative partner relations with each other in compliance with the principles of mutual benefit, equality, and friendship.

Subject to mutual consent, the areas of cooperation will include any program offered at either institution as thought desirable and feasible on either side and that both sides think will contribute to the fostering and development of the cooperative relationship between the two universities.

The following general forms of cooperation will be pursued:

1. Exchange of information in the area of scientific education and research which is of mutual interest to both faculties
2. Joint research activities
3. Exchange of faculty members for research, lectures, and discussions
4. Exchange visits of post-graduate and undergraduate students for periods of study and research
5. Exchange of groups of students for short-term linguistic or other professional courses.

The terms of cooperation for each specific activity implemented under this Agreement shall be mutually discussed and agreed upon in writing by both parties prior to the initiation of that activity. Any such agreements entered into, as outlined above, will form appendixes to this Agreement. Each institution shall designate a liaison officer to develop and coordinate the specific activities agreed upon.

Hereupon the signature of the representatives of both institutions will follow in the hope of promoting mutual friendship and cooperation. This Agreement will remain in effect for a period of three years after which it may be renewed by mutual consent. Either party reserves the right to terminate this Agreement upon six months' prior notice to the other.

Approved and signed for:

President
Feng Chia University
An-Chi Liu

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