



**Memorandum of Understanding  
between  
Samarkand state university(SamSU)  
Samarkand, Uzbekistan  
and  
Kumoh National Institute of Technology(KIT)  
South Korea**

The rector of Samarkand state university(SamSU) Samarkand in Uzbekistan and the president of Kumoh National Institute of Technology in South Korea, representing their respective universities have reached an agreement on teaching and academic exchange on common course areas. The agreement will further broaden the scope of exchange and co-operation in higher education between Uzbekistan and South Korea and enhance the understanding and friendship between the peoples of both countries.

**I. The purpose and contents of the academic cooperation**

Within the context of global integration of markets, expertise and human resources, the two institutions will cooperate to meet the demand for developing international professionals who can manage in the new global economy by taking advantage of the education resources at both institutions. The cooperation between the parties will focus on areas of common interest and will cover the following elements:

**1. Exchange of faculty members and researchers**

The exchange of faculty members and researchers from both institutions will be encouraged. Each institution is willing to provide work opportunities, when they are available, on its campus for faculty and staff members and researchers of the other institution. The types of work opportunities include lectures, course teaching, project research, course theses and advanced studies.

**2. Exchange of students**

Students who are accepted into the exchange program will be provided with a variety of services to facilitate their studies at the partner institution. The exchange of students falls into the category below:

Certificate education: short-term credit or non-credit studies (not more than 2 semesters) at the partner campus.

At the host institution, exchange students will be enrolled as full-time, “non-for-degree” students and will be exempted from tuition fee.

**3. Co-operation in academic projects**

The two institutions will co-operate in the following areas:

- 1) Exchange of publications and teaching materials
- 2) Co-operation on academic research projects
- 3) Giving of academic activities and publicizing of research results

Both institutions are willing to bring its partner into contact with other teaching organization or business industries.

## II. Arrangement Details

### 1. Structure

Each institution appoints a project supervisor in charge of co-operation activities between the two institutions. These people should be the Director of the international cooperation department at Samarkand state university(SamSU) Samarkand, Uzbekistan and the Dean of the International Programs and Language Education Center at KIT.

### 2. Plan for academic exchange

The exchange plan will contain the following parts: for teacher exchange, the specific contents of exchange project, the teachers exchange method, professional areas, period of stay and the expense payment method; and for student exchange, the number of exchange students, the types of credentials students will obtain and the expense payment method.

The necessary discussion should be conducted in written form and the final plans must have the approval of the presidents of both institutions.


## III. Validity of the agreement

This exchange co-operation agreement is signed in two copies in English. All copies have equal binding effect. This agreement takes effect upon signing and does not specify a limited period of validity.

Any alteration to this agreement must be discussed and approved in written form by both institutions.

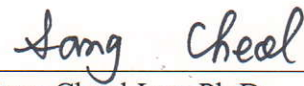
Both institutions have the right to end this agreement with six months' notice to the other institution.



  
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