

COOPERATION AGREEMENT

BETWEEN

THE UNIVERSITY OF VERONA – SCHOOL OF MEDICINE

AND

WAHID HASYM UNIVERSITY (SEMARANG, INDONESIA)

PREAMBLE

The general purpose of this agreement is to establish specific educational relations and cooperation between the two Institutions in order to promote academic and scientific linkages. To this purpose:

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the SCHOOL OF MEDICINE – UNIVERSITY OF VERONA, represented by Prof. D. De Leo who participates in the present act as President of the School, under the powers conferred on him

AND

Prof. H. Mahmutarom , as Rector of WAHID HASYM UNIVERSITY, under the powers conferred on him/her

IT IS HEREBY AGREED AS FOLLOWS

ART.1

Declaration of Intent

The SCHOOL OF MEDICINE - University of Verona and the WAHID HASYM UNIVERSITY -University of Semarang, Indonesia (which hereby after will be referred to as “Parties”) agree on collaborating in the following fields:

- a) scientific and cultural cooperation;
- b) graduate and postgraduate students exchange;
- c) teachers, researchers, administrative staff exchange;

The Parties will give their scientific and material support according to these activities, and will nominate a teacher as responsible of the realization of the present collaboration program; this collaboration will be done particularly in the field of MEDICINE.

ART.2

Scientific and cultural cooperation

The Parties will be guided in the scientific cooperation by a mutual interest and a common desire to contribute on a future development of the scientific and cultural cooperation.

To this purpose the Parties agree upon the following forms of collaboration:

- a) development of common researches in fields of reciprocal interest;
- b) faculty and scholars exchanges for learning, teaching and research experiences;
- c) organisation and mutual participation to scientific meetings, symposia and seminars;
- d) mutual exchange of experiences and information about teaching programs and scientific methods and techniques;
- e) exchange of scientific publications.

The two departments agree in principle to the possibility of exchanges by General staff (Administrative and Technical) and Faculty members. The details of such arrangements will be negotiated at the appropriate time and will be governed by the institutional staffing rules and relevant approval processes. Each Department will be responsible for the provision of funds to cover the travel expenses of its own staff members. The participating institutions shall not be responsible for any private arrangements made by participating staff members concerning exchange of accommodation, vehicles, etc.

ART. 3

Students exchange

The Parties agree on reciprocal students exchange as follows.

The Parties agree to host a number of students at any academic level (graduate and postgraduate courses, masters and doctorate) for a period of time as agreed with the receiving Institution. The Parties will set the number of students that will be exchanged at least six months before the beginning of each Academic Year. Each Department will offer to incoming students a suitable program of studies, which could be recognized in the students curricula studiorum at the home University. The Universities will help students to find an accommodation within the University campus or in other suitable places. Board and lodging charges will be paid by the students participating in the exchange programme. Students will be regularly enrolled at the receiving University and tuition fees will be waived at the receiving University.

Students will be selected on the basis of their curriculum studies and the meeting of language skills of the receiving country. Student selection will be made by each sending institution, which must verify the sufficiency of the language skills.

Incoming students are subject to the same disposition of the other university students. Students who take part in this exchange Program must meet the general and medical insurance requirements at the receiving Institution.

ART. 4

Applicable law

The Home Institution agrees to hold harmless the Host Institution, and its employees from any and all third party claims, demands, or actions, that may arise out of the negligent acts or omissions of Home Institution or its employees in the performance of this Agreement, unless such negligent acts or omissions are at the direction of or occasioned by the Host Institution, its employees or agents.

Disputes arising from this agreement (or a more detailed later agreement) or from differences in interpretation of this agreement (or a more detailed later agreement) will be submitted to a board of arbitration of three (3) members. Each party will appoint a member, these members will appoint a independent third member, who will act as chairman. The arbitral proceedings shall be ritual and based upon current regulations. Decisions will be binding to all parties.

ART. 5

Duration and language of the Agreement

The present agreement will come into force from the date of bilateral signature for a period of 5 (five) years and can be renewed depending on the Parties' will. Either Institution may terminate this Agreement at any time, and for any reason, by first notifying the other Institution six (6) months in advance. Notice of termination does not affect any individual students who have already commenced or been accepted by either Institution. The Agreement can be amended at any time by mutual consent of the Parties.

The present Agreement is written and duly signed in two copies in English language. Each Party will receive one original copy duly signed by both Institutions. In case of discrepancies or differences between Italian and any other translation of the present agreement, English version will prevail against the others.

UNIVERSITY OF VERONA
SCHOOL OF MEDICINE
Prof. DOMENICO DE LEO
PRESIDENT OF THE SCHOOL

WAHID HASYM UNIVERSITY

Prof. H. MAHMUTAROM
RECTOR

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