

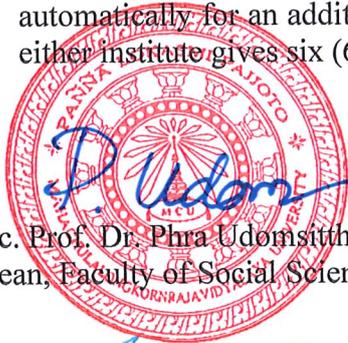


**Memorandum of Understanding**  
**Between Faculty of Social Sciences, Dhammaduta College,**  
**Nakhon Lampang Buddhist College, and ASEAN Studies Centre**  
**Mahachulalongkornrajavidyalaya University, Thailand**  
**with**  
**Puppha Hongsar Foundation For Education, Republic of the Union of Myanmar.**

Faculty of Social Sciences, Dhammaduta College, Nakhon Lampang Buddhist College, and ASEAN Studies Centre, Mahachulalongkornrajavidyalaya University (MCU) with Puppha Hongsar Foundation for Education, Republic of the Union of Myanmar, (PHFE) hereby agree to the following Academic interchange Agreement in order to encourage institutional cooperation.

1. **Objective:** The purpose of this agreement is to promote Buddhism and to enhance a better understanding and friendship between the five institutions, through mutual programs of education cooperation and exchange.
2. **Cooperation:** The agreement upon the approval of the members of five institutions will provide a general framework for institutional cooperation. The each institute will designate a contact unit or (a) person (s) to coordinate and implement this agreement in the best interest of institution.
3. **Faculty Exchange:** Exchange of faculty academic members or visiting faculty arrangements to engage in teaching on Buddhist Studies and conducting Buddhist research at five institutions will be encouraged. The number and conditions of such exchanges including visit length, institutional fiscal obligations, and other matters shall be decided through a mutual agreement of the directors of the five institutions.
4. **Student Exchange:** Attendance of postgraduate, graduate and undergraduate students from one institution to the other is also encouraged. The number of exchange students will be in accordance with the need of each institutions.
5. **Special Programs:** Programs may include teaching, training, cooperation, management, research, or conferences on condition that all the programs are related to Theravada Buddhist teachings. Other mutual agreed programs may be undertaken on either college with the approval of the five institutions.
6. **Public Exchange:** Except for special gifts/souvenirs and other arrangements, five institutions agree to consider exchanges of selected publications and photocopy of library materials of equal value.
7. **Funding:** Either Institution can jointly or separately seek funding in support of this agreement by means of mutual consent.

8. Other Issues: This agreement will take effect when the five institutions have affixed their signatures. Any amendment or modification of this agreement requires formal written approval of the directors of five institutions and shall be approved hereto. Any issue not addressed in this agreement shall be resolved through mutual agreement, and each institute covenants that it will make good faith effects to reach such agreement.
9. Agreement: This agreement shall come into effect for a period of five (5) years as of the date of its signing by the legal representatives of the five institutions, subject to approval from the Board of Management or any other respective authority and can be renewed or modified upon mutual consent of the five institutions. It shall be extended automatically for an additional period of five (5) years at each expiration date unless either institute gives six (6) months prior written notice to terminate the Agreement.



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