

**Memorandum
Between
Khon Kaen University Thailand
And
Ministry of Culture and Fine Arts, Cambodia**

In connection with the memorandum made on July 8th, 2004 between Khon Kaen University, Thailand and the Ministry of Culture and Fine Arts, Cambodia together with the negotiation on November 15th, 2004 between the Dean of the Faculty of Architecture and the Minister of the Ministry of Culture and Fine Arts, the two institutions affirm the significance and importance of cooperation between them and agree to carry out into effect the activities as follow.

Training

The Faculty of Architecture will provide the Ministry of Culture and Fine Arts with appropriate short term training programs in the built environmental aspects e.g. urban interpretation and planning, GIS and Remote Sensing for archaeology and cultural resource management, heritage conservation, etc.

Training courses in related aspects may be provided upon request and through the collaboration and assistance of the Faculty of Architecture, Khon Kaen University and other Faculties and Universities.

The Faculty of Architecture, Khon Kaen University will accept 1-5 persons from the Ministry of Culture and Fine Arts to join courses in Thailand. The Faculty of Architecture, Khon Kaen University will provide full scholarships for them.

Staff and student exchange

1. Both institutions will have regular exchange of staff and/or students. The cost of each exchange program will be negotiated on case by case basis.

2. The two institutions will encourage and find financial supports for the visiting staff and/or students in both institutions. Visiting staff/students from both institutions will visit the other country for 2-5 weeks to exchange various academic activities such as giving public lectures, attend workshops and join field trips.


Researches

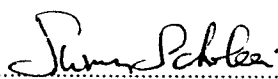
The two institutions will undertake collaborative researches on topics of mutual interest and expertise. The first collaborative research project is such as the "GIS, Remote Sensing Applications, and Information Technology for Cultural Resources Management"

Meanwhile, the Faculty and the Ministry will individually or jointly seek financial aids from external sources to support all activities.

Before any particular cooperative project or program above is initiated, all financial details shall be negotiated and agreed upon by the two institutions.

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