

MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT ON STUDENT EXCHANGE AND JOINT DEGREE PROGRAM



BETWEEN FACULTY OF INDUSTRIAL TECHNOLOGY UNIVERSITAS ISLAM INDONESIA AND

FACULTY OF ENGINEERING RAJAMANGALA UNIVERSITY OF TECHNOLOGY THANYABURI

This Memorandum of Agreement (MoA) is drawn up and agreed upon to establish the academic cooperation between the Faculty of Industrial Technology - Universitas Islam Indonesia (hereinafter referred to as FIT-UII) located at Jl. Kaliurang km. 14,5 Sleman, Yogyakarta, Indonesia and the Faculty of Engineering, Rajamangala University of Technology Thanyaburi (hereinafter referred to as FE-RMUTT) located at 39 Muh 1, Rangsit-Nakhonnayok Road, Klong 6, Thanyaburi, Patumthani, Thailand.

Both parties will co-operate in the field of education and research, dedicated in the same way they treat the task and responsibility of their own institute within the legal framework of their respective countries.

ARTICLE I. PURPOSE

The purpose of this MoA is to implement the Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) that has been signed by the Rector of UII and the President of RMUTT to strengthen the relationship between the two institutions and work together towards the internationalization of higher education.

ARTICLE II. SCOPE

The scope of activities under this MoA includes student exchange and joint degree program covering all relevant departments in FIT-UII and FE-RMUTT, which is determined to be desirable and feasible for the achievement of the objectives. Departments involved in this agreement include:

- 1. Department of Mechanical Engineering
- 2. Department of Electrical Engineering
- 3. Department of Industrial Engineering
- 4. Department of Textile Engineering
- 5. Department of Electronics and Telecommunication
- 6. Department of Informatics or Computer Engineering
- 7. Department of Chemical Engineering
- 8. Department of Materials and Metallurgical Engineering

ARTICLE III. AGREEMENTS ON STUDENT EXCHANGE AND JOINT DEGREE PROGRAM

3.1. Accreditation and degree awarding power

- 1. All departments in FIT-UII and FE-RMUTT involved in this agreement offer undergraduate programs (degree of Bachelor of Engineering) that have been accredited according to their respective National Laws.
- 2. FIT-UII and FE-RMUTT both have degree awarding power for those programs.

3.2. Credit Recognition and Degree awarded

- 1. Credit recognition in terms of credit earning and transfer as well as curriculum scheme for joint degree program for each department is formulated in the attachments of this MoA and signed by corresponding head of departments.
- 2. Students undertaking the joint degree program will be awarded the degree of Bachelor of Engineering in related field of study or department upon their completion.
- 3. A degree certificate signed by the university president or rector will be awarded from each institution. Accordingly, students under joint degree program will receive two certificates with similar title.
- 4. Academic transcripts will be provided by both parties based on the evaluation of student performance in the courses offered by each department.
- 5. A diploma supplement explaining the process and output of the joint degree program will be provided in addition to the degree certificate and the academic transcript.
- 6. Students who due to some reasons do not fulfill the requirements of joint degree curriculum will get an academic transcript of credit earning that is eligible for credit transfer.

3.3. Financial Aspects

- 1. The joint degree program is designed based on reciprocal mechanism so that both parties agree to waive the tuition fee for a specified number of seats.
- 2. The number of free seats shall be mutually agreed upon a case-by-case basis, considering the capacity of each department.
- Students who wish to do their studies under this program are responsible to provide their own allowance costs. Free accommodation will be provided based on the availability of student housing.

3.4. Administration Aspects

- 1. The two institutions have their own right to do selection process of their prospective students who wish to apply for joint degree program with the spirit of fairness and responsibility.
- 2. The office of international affairs of both institutions will work together to handle any issues related to immigration regulation in order to help students before, during and after their studies.
- 3. Both parties will issue student identification cards that can be used to access facilities to support their studies.
- 4. Both parties will help ensure that students will get accommodation on their arrival and provide personnel who are in charge in addressing their needs.

3.5. Intellectual Property Right

- 1. Neither party claims, by virtue of this agreement, any right or legal interest in existing or pending intellectual property, including patents, trademarks, copyright, design patents or other rights of the other party or in any intellectual property that might result from the other party's prior activities.
- 2. Intellectual property rights resulted from student final project will belong to the host university unless otherwise agreed between the parties before the project initiated.

ARTICLE IV. DURATION, TERMINATION AND AMENDMENT

- 1. This agreement will be effective from the date of the last signature for an initial period of five years, with the understanding that it may be terminated by either party giving six months notice to the other party in writing. The agreement may be extended or revised through mutual consent of both parties.
- 2. The provision of this MoA may be amended at any time with the mutual consent of the parties in writing.
- 3. The amendment, termination and expiration of this MoA will not affect the terms of activities ongoing at the time of notification of amendment, termination and expiration unless otherwise agreed between the parties.

ARTICLE V. SPECIAL PROVISION

- 1. Both parties shall do their utmost to ensure the smooth and efficient implementation of activities to be carried out under this Memorandum of Agreement.
- 2. The two parties will consult with each other and attempt to resolve disputes or misunderstandings that arise in the administration of this MoA or any subsequent associated agreement.

This MoA is prepared in two identical copies. Each party holds one original copy duly signed by the Dean of FIT-UII and the Dean of FE-RMUTT. Each copy is of equal validity.

Signed for and on behalf of:

FACULTY OF INDUSTRIAL TECHNOLOGY UNIVERSITAS ISLAM INDONESIA

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