

## Sample Speech

Distinguished guests,

Ladies and Gentlemen,

On behalf of the rector of Suranaree University of Technology, it is an honor to be here today for the signing of the Memorandum of Understanding between ( Name of organization to be co-signed ) and Suranaree University of Technology.

Ladies and gentlemen, as we now face the imminent impact of climate change with rising temperatures at an alarming rate, we are faced with the task of drastically cutting down our carbon emissions, our combustible fuel consumption. We must replace them with renewable energy sources from solar, wind and hydro electric energy. With alignment of COP26 to achieve global net zero by 2050, the world must speed up to phase out fossil fuels and encourage renewable energy investments.

For this reason, not only innovations for renewable energy are much needed but also the development of manpower of the future to meet with the demands of renewable energy industry.

The signing of this MoU is therefore much welcomed as it enables the university and industry partnership to achieve the COP26 goal. SUT will continually develop and offer solar energy storage technology programs and encourage impactful research and innovations that meets with the demands of the renewable energy industry. ( Name of organization to be co-signed ) will support resources and domain expertise for SUT students' cooperative education.

This MoU therefore aligns very much with the goal of curbing global climate change at COP26. It is thus a privilege for SUT to join forces with (Name of organization to be co-signed) to push forward to reach this goal. We look forward to fruitful outputs and collaborations to come.

Thank you.