MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

BETWEEN

SURANAREE UNIVERSITY OF TECHNOLOGY

AND

POHANG UNIVERSITY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY

Background & Purpose

Suranaree University of Technology, Thailand (hereafter referred to SUT) and Pohang University of Science and Technology, South Korea (hereafter referred to POSTECH) are the universities which concentrate on research and education on science and technology. Since mutual cooperation is a global issue, both parties would benefit from an agreed-upon collaboration in all science and technology fields to be developed at SUT and POSTECH. The purpose of this Memorandum of Understanding (hereafter referred to MOU) is to formally acknowledge the relationship between SUT and POSTECH and to jointly develop cooperation between the two parties in the field of science and technology. Collaborative activities may be funded by sources available to each party or by joint grant projects.

Scope of Activities

Subject to the availability of funding, the two parties agree to the following specific types of activity as legitimate, worthy means of collaboration:

1. **Faculty/Staff Exchange**. Faculty involved in either of the two parties may visit the other university for the sake of research and/or lecture for any specified length of time depending on the nature of the visit. Sources of funding can be decided on a case-by-case basis.

2. **Student Exchange**. Graduate students and/or undergraduate students involved in each party may study abroad per the regulations of each university's international studies programs. Sources of funding can be decided on case-by-case basis.

3. **Cooperative Research**. Both parties are encouraged to collaborate on specific research projects of science and technology. Funding for each project depends on the nature of the project (where and how the research is carried out). Joint proposals can be addressed to both Thailand-based and Korea-based funding agencies. Both parties agree to acknowledge each other in any presentations and papers published.

Responsible Points of Contact

The responsible persons will be the Rector of SUT and the President of POSTECH.

Effective Date and Length of Agreement

This MOU shall become effective on the date of signature and shall be valid for five years. It may be amended by agreement of the two parties and renewed every five years without change on that date unless one party gives notices six months in advance.

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