AGREEMENT FOR RECIPROCAL EXCHANGE AND COOPERATION

IN ACADEMIC AND RESEARCH ACTIVITIES

BETWEEN

UNIVERSITI PERTANIAN MALAYSIA, SERDANG

OF

MALAYSIA

AND

OKLAHOMA STATE UNIVERSITY

OF

THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
The Universiti Pertanian Malaysia, Serdang and the Oklahoma State University of the United States of America have agreed on establishing contacts and developing reciprocal exchange and cooperation in academic and research activities between the two universities. The contacts and exchanges between Universiti Pertanian Malaysia, Serdang and Oklahoma State University shall be on the basis of friendship, equality and mutual help. The exchange arrangements may include but are not limited to the following:

1. Exchange of teaching and scientific research materials.

2. Each university may request from the other university information on building and developing specific laboratories and research centers.

3. Selected faculty from one university may, as mutually agreed upon, visit the other university to teach for a semester or academic year, or, for shorter periods of time, to give a series of lectures or symposia, and to interact with the students and faculty of the host university.

4. Selected academic faculty and research faculty from one university, as mutually agreed upon, may visit the other university to develop or participate in research programs. The choice of these visitors is subject to approval by both universities.

5. Scholars of advanced status from one university may be sent to the other university for further advanced studies in non-degree status for one to four semesters. Faculty from one university may also be sent to the other university for formal study for an advanced degree subject to approval by both universities. The choice of both faculty and scholars for advanced studies is subject to approval by both universities.
6. Exchange of graduate students will be through the regular process of application for review and acceptance according to the standards of the host university. Financial assistance may be provided for a limited number of graduate students by either university, with mutual agreement.

7. Special programs for undergraduate students and groups may be proposed by one university to the other university.

8. The two universities will further their close contact through activities such as mutual visits and correspondence. If one university finds it necessary to get help from the other for things not stipulated in the agreement, it can put forward the matter for negotiation. Both universities will try to develop friendly relations on the basis of equality and mutual help.

Stipulations:

1. For each specific activity under this agreement, detailed procedures will be negotiated by the two universities, specifying the obligations and responsibilities of each institution, and will be attached to this document as dated and numbered statements entitled, "Activity Agreement".

2. Financial commitments for any of the above arrangements are subject to negotiation in each individual case. The sending institution shall be responsible for developing appropriate sources of financial support. The receiving institution shall cooperate by providing assistance consistent with the availability of funds.

3. The term of this agreement will begin on the date of signature by both parties hereto. The agreement will continue in force and effect for a period of one (1) year from such date, and will automatically renew at the end of such one (1) year period
unless both of the parties agree to terminate the agreement upon such terms as are mutually agreeable to the parties at the time. Either party may terminate this agreement at any time by mailing written notice to the other party. Any such termination shall have no effect on any outstanding obligations already contractually agreed to between the parties.

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