



**MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING
BETWEEN
Tehran University of Medical Sciences
AND
WONKWANG UNIVERSITY**



- A. Director of International Affairs Development of the Tehran University of Medical Sciences and the Director of International Affairs of the Wonkwang University, hereinafter referred to jointly as “the Parties” singularly as “the Party”, for the purpose of furthering cooperation through both educational and academic exchanges, hereby affirm their intent to promote such exchanges as will be of mutual benefit for their respective institutions. Educational and academic exchanges are considered here to include, but not be limited to:
1. Encourage academic visits by faculty members and researchers for conferences, seminars, lectures and discussions;
 2. Exchange of academic materials and academic publications and joint research activities;
 3. Creating opportunities for students, practitioners, and academic staff to take courses and to engage in internships, service learning and research at the other institution;
 4. Publication of joint academic research;
 5. Development and commercialization of natural pharmaceutical products;
 6. Joint organization of conferences, seminars, workshops and symposia;
 7. Exchange of academic staff and students;
- B. Details of the implementation of any particular student exchange or faculty-related activity resulting from this Memorandum of Understanding shall be negotiated between the two institutions as such specific case may arise and will be outlined in a Supplementary Student Exchange Agreement or Faculty Exchange Agreement between the institutions. Supplementary Agreements are always subject to availability of sufficient funds in the respective institutions.
- C. Any intellectual property developed on collaborative research conducted under this Memorandum of Understanding or any contracts pertaining to fee for services rendered will be addressed on a case-by-case basis under separate agreements.

- D. The Parties understand that all financial arrangements shall be negotiated and will depend upon the availability of funds. The Parties will endeavor to obtain external funding to support collaborative efforts. This Memorandum of Understanding will not give rise to any financial obligation by one Party to the other; and each Party will bear its own cost and expenses in relation to the academic and research activities under this Memorandum of Understanding.
- E. Any difference or dispute between the Parties concerning the interpretation and/ or application of any of the provision of this Memorandum of Understanding shall be settled amicably through mutual consultation and/or negotiations between the Parties without reference to any third party.
- F. This Memorandum of Understanding reflects the respective institutions commitments to both educational and academic exchanges as of the date of the Memorandum of Understanding. This Memorandum of Understanding may be amended or terminated at any time by either party provided that notice of termination or amendment is provided by the notifying party to the other party within thirty (30) days of the date on which the termination or the amendment is intended to become effective. Any amendment or termination shall not have effect on any arrangement in place at the time that the notice is provided, where the arrangement arises from any Supplementary Agreements resulting from this Memorandum of Understanding.

This MoU shall be signed in English, Persian and Korean in two original copies-one for each Party. In cases of discrepancy, the English text version shall prevail.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have executed the Memorandum of Understanding as of the date July 24th, 2023.

Tehran University of Medical Sciences



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