

MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

Between
University of Darussalam Gontor, Indonesia

And
Tiba University, Egypt
23rd of July 2018

University of Darussalam Gontor, Indonesia, represented by its Rector Prof. Dr. Amal Fathullah Zarkasyi, M.A. and Tiba University, represented by its President Prof. Dr. Seddik Afifi, hereinafter referred to as "the sides", in order to develop and expand the relationship, *inter alia*, taking into consideration mutual interests in scientific collaboration, hereby agree on the following:

Article 1

The two sides promote the development of relationship and implement cooperation in the fields of education, training and research.

Article 2

The cooperation between the sides shall be implemented on the principle of parity. In particular they will:

- Exchange of faculty staff and researchers;
- Implementation of students' exchange programs;
- Exchange of senior administrative staff;
- Organization of joint research projects, including conferences, meetings and seminars;
- Share and exchange of information and publications; and
- Introduce joint programmes of study.

Article 3

Both sides strengthen the cooperation between the faculties in the fields of:

- Pharmacy and Drug Medicine ;
- Nutrition
- Engineering ;
- Science ;
- Nursing ;
- Marketing and Business Administration ;
- Media and Communication ;

- Dentistry ; and / or.
- Pysiotherapy .

Article 4

Cooperation between the Faculties at both universities

The two sides agreed on the following:

- Validating the Bachelor degree in the academic fields offered by the two Institutions.
- Graduates of Tiba University can apply for postgraduate studies in University of Darussalam Gontor to be able to obtain M. Sc and Ph.D degrees and vice versa.
- Offering a double degree program based on Credit Transfer System.
- Graduates of Tiba University can spend one year (two semesters) in the University of Darussalam Gontor to study for diploma in the field of interest and vice versa.
- Supporting join research projects and encouraging junior researchers to exchange scientific visits between both sides.
- Staff members from University are welcome to teach at TIBA UNIVERSITY for one semester or intensive course for 2-4 weeks. TIBA UNIVERSITY will be responsible for all costs including honorarium payment.

Article 5

Both parties will designate a representative, who will work for the implementation of the activities and programs envisaged in the memorandum. The representative should also settle the issues connected with the visits of the sides.

From the side of University of Darussalam Gontor , Prof. Dr. Amal Fathullah Zarkasyi, M.A. shall serve as an official representative for the purpose of implementing the given MOU. From the side of Tiba University, Prof. Dr. Seddi`k Afifi shall serve as an official representative for the purpose of implementing the given MOU.

Article 6

Any disputes that may arise during the implementation of any negotiated activities will be resolved through consultation and negotiation between the two sides.

Article 7

Amendments to this memorandum can be made upon mutual agreement between the corresponding faculties at both Institutions.

Article 8

The memorandum shall enter into force on the day of its signing and shall be valid for a period of 5 years. The period of validity can be extended upon written mutual agreement of the two sides.

Article 9

The sides have the right to terminate the memorandum within a written notice sent to the other side within a prior period of one year.

Article 10

The memorandum shall bind neither the University of Darussalam Gontro nor Tiba University to any financial commitment unless there is a mutually signed agreement between both sides.

The memorandum of understanding is signed in UNIDA Gontro in two originals in the English language, on July 23, 2018.

For University of Darussalam Gontro

Prof. Dr. Amal Fathullah Zarkasyi, M.A.
Rector



For Tiba University

Prof. Dr. Seddi`k Afifi
President Nominee