

Memorandum of Understanding



between

KITLV, Netherlands

and

Darussalam Institute of Islamic Studies Gontor, Indonesia

on

Cooperation in academic and research related activities

KITLV and Darussalam Institute of Islamic Studies affirm their mutual interest in identifying and developing exchange in the fields of research and collections. In doing so both partners aim at capacity building and excellence in the completion of their scholarly mission.

Scope

Under the terms of this Memorandum, KITLV and Darussalam Institute of Islamic Studies (Gontor, Indonesia) agree to:

- Continue discussions as opportunities arise to ascertain the extent to which such cooperative activities could be implemented in the future;
- Collaborate on capacity building activities in key research and collections areas as needs and opportunities are identified; and
- Explore opportunities for joint projects in areas of mutual interest.

Implementation

Proposals for collaborative activities under this Memorandum will be submitted through the normal procedures of each institution.

Each institution will nominate one of its members as its representative in charge of any cooperative program. Individual programs of work developed under this Memorandum will be the subject to individual agreements in writing, and where appropriate will be jointly planned and conducted by the nominees of both parties.

Progress of work of any individual program will be reviewed and approved by designated project officers of both parties, in accordance with its individual agreement.

The final approval of any proposed project will depend on the availability of the guaranteed support funds. Both parties will strive to finance projects from their own means or through subsidies contributed by other respected parties.

Neither KITLV nor Darussalam Institute of Islamic Studies will be held responsible for any liability, and, neither party shall be required to purchase any insurance against loss or damage to any personal property to which this agreement relates.





Nothing contained in this agreement implies that an agency, partnership or joint venture between the universities has been set up, and it is understood that both KITLV and Darussalam Institute of Islamic Studies will carry out activities under this Memorandum as independent institutions. Neither institutions shall have any right or authority to create any obligation or responsibility in the name of, or on behalf of, the other.

Commencement, renewal, termination and amendment

This Memorandum of Understanding is effective as of the date of execution by the appropriate officer of each signatory institution. This Memorandum of Understanding shall remain in force for a period of three (3) years from the date of signing, with the understanding that it may be terminated by either party giving at least six months' notice to the other party in writing. The agreement may be amended or extended by mutual consent in writing of the two parties. If this MoU is translated into another language, the English text remains the sole authentic text, unless each party agrees in writing that the translation must be treated as the sole authentic text.

Signed for and on behalf of

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