

MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT
between
KOSEN-KMITL
and
National Institute of Technology, Hakodate College
on
3rd Year Student Transfer Program

This Memorandum of Agreement (MOA) has been drawn up and agreed upon to implement the 3rd year student transfer program between KOSEN-KMITL and National Institute of Technology, Hakodate College (hereinafter collectively referred to as "Hakodate KOSEN") as stipulated in Item 9, Paragraph 3 of the Memorandum of Cooperation of the Operation of Thai KOSEN Project dated September 18th, 2020.

WHEREAS

- (a) KOSEN-KMITL and National Institute of Technology will jointly select students of KOSEN-KMITL who will be transferred to Hakodate KOSEN;

- (b) Hakodate KOSEN will grant their completion certificate and title of Associate to the students upon their satisfactory completion of all compulsory major subjects and general subjects for 3rd year, 4th year and 5th year in Japan;

NOW THEREFORE KOSEN-KMITL and Hakodate KOSEN (hereinafter collectively referred to as "the Participants") hereto hereby decide as follows:

PARAGRAPH 1. OBJECTIVE

The Objective of this MOA is to strengthen the mutual exchange and cooperation between the Participants to ensure the transferred students can fulfil the requirements for graduation from Hakodate KOSEN. The conceptual curriculum structure of the scheme is shown in the Table 1 below.

Table 1.

PROGRAM	VENUE		Credit required for Associate Degree, KMITL	Credits required for Completion Certificate, Hakodate KOSEN
	KOSEN-KMITL	Hakodate KOSEN		
1 st Year	Semester 1 (May-Sep)		72*	79*
	Semester 2 (Oct-Mar)			
2 nd Year	Semester 3 (May-Sep)			
	Semester 4 (Oct-Mar)			
3 rd Year		Semester 5 (Apr-Sep)	114	90**
		Semester 6 (Oct-Mar)		
4 th Year		Semester 7 (Apr-Sep)		
		Semester 8 (Oct-Mar)		
5 th Year		Semester 9 (Apr-Sep)		
		Semester 10 (Oct-Mar)		
Total number of credits			186	169

* From the program of 1st year and 2nd year, 79 credits will be transferred from KOSEN-KMITL to Hakodate KOSEN for graduation of Hakodate KOSEN that requires the total of 169 credits for the regular course completion.

** During the 3rd year to 5th year, 90 credits are required for graduation of Hakodate KOSEN.

PARAGRAPH 2. APPLICABLE STUDENTS

Students who will be transferred to 3rd year of Hakodate KOSEN from KOSEN-KMITL from April 2024 to April 2027 are applicable to this scheme.

PARAGRAPH 3. DURATION OF THE COOPERATION

The Participants will commence the mutual cooperation from April 1st, 2024 and continue the same until March 31st, 2029.

PARAGRAPH 4. INCIDENT AFFECTING THE STUDENT'S CAREER PATH

- 1) The Participants will discuss an appropriate direction whenever one of the following cases occurs:
 - Hakodate KOSEN expels or suspends the student from school because of inappropriate

- behavior;
- Hakodate KOSEN anticipates the student will face difficulty in promotion or graduation because of insufficient academic scores;
 - The student desires a withdrawal because of new career plan;
 - Any other incident which may seriously affect the student's career path.
- 2) Treatment of the student who withdraws and goes back to Thailand will be determined by KOSEN-KMITL at its discretion including re-enrollment in KOSEN-KMITL, duly taking said student's intentions and wishes into consideration.

PARAGRAPH 5. RENEWAL, TERMINATION AND AMENDMENT

- 1) This MOA will commence on the date of signing by the representatives of the Participants, and will remain on force for a period of five (5) years from the signing date.
- 2) This MOA may be terminated by either Participant giving a written notice to the other Participant at least a hundred and eighty (180) days in advance of the stated termination date. Termination of this MOA will not affect activities in progress pursuant to specific activity statement, which will continue until concluded by the Participants in accordance with their terms or as otherwise decided by the Participants in writing.
- 3) This MOA may be amended only by the written consent of the Participants.
- 4) This MOA will be renewed by mutual discussion and agreement at least 90 (ninety) days before the expiration date, which will be reduced to writing and signed by the Participants.

Signed for and on behalf of:

KOSEN-KMITL

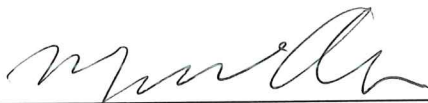


Assoc. Prof. Dr. Nattawoot Depaiwa

Director of KOSEN-KMITL

Date: March 29, 2024

National Institute of Technology, Hakodate College



Dr. ABE Megumi

President

Date: March 29, 2024

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Assoc. Prof. Dr. Suvepon Sittichivapak
Deputy Director of KOSEN-KMITL
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