

**Agreement for an Exchange Program
between
Benha University (Egypt)
and
Gifu University (Japan)**

The purpose of this agreement is to foster scholarly exchanges between Benha University (Egypt) and Gifu University (Japan). Benha University, BU, and Gifu University, GU, are the parties. We hope that this agreement will encourage vigorous exchange of scholars and students as well as of information. We envision that such cooperation between our two universities will generate exchange between Benha City and Gifu City, and further promote deeper understanding between Egypt and Japan. We believe that this agreement will contribute to cultural exchange and world peace.

I STUDENT EXCHANGE

The following agreement is made in order to facilitate the mutual exchange of students to study at the host institutions.

1. Each party shall recommend not more than two exchange students annually on the basis of the host institution's academic calendar. The exchange students are registered as non-degree seeking students in the host institution. The students from BU will be registered in GU as "Special Auditors" or "Special Research Students".
2. The total number of mutual exchange students will be about the same from each university during the term of three years.
3. A period of exchange will be for one academic year. Individual students may continue as designated exchange students for one periods of exchange when the host institution and their home institution have approved the continuation of their status.
4. Students participating under the terms of this agreement shall be subject to the rules and regulations of the host institution. They will also have the rights and privileges enjoyed by other students on the host campus.
5. The field of study for exchange students is limited within the range of curriculum and professional expertise provided by the host institution.
6. Each party should answer any application(s) for the exchange program as soon as possible so that the host institution can give full consideration to the field and level of study requested by the students as well as to the determination of academic prerequisites, if any. Also, upon the

prospective exchange student's completion of the application, the home institution is informed of the choice.

7. Gifu University agrees to waive the entrance examination fee, the fee for admission and tuition fee. BU agrees to waive all tuition fee. When the exchange students are registered as matriculated students and have paid all other fees at their home institution prior to departure, no other fees will be assessed by the host institution.

8. The language skills required for study at the host institution are to be judged on a case-by-case basis. If deemed necessary, the host institution may require exchange students to take language classes at his/her expense.

9. Each institution will be responsible for certifying course credits taken at the host institution. These credits are to be transferable at the discretion of the home institution.

10. The host institution will provide to the home institution a record of the student's academic performance, including course titles, academic hours and grade reports.

11. The host institution will assist to arrange dormitory or other appropriate living accommodation for exchange students.

12. Exchange students will be responsible for expenses incidental to the exchange, including travel expenses, room and board. Each student must also obtain, at his or her own expense, insurance to cover medical contingencies in the host country.

II FACULTY EXCHANGE*

1. Faculty exchange is desirable. Each Party shall actively seek to promote mutual faculty exchange.

2. Faculty exchange may assume various forms, such as individual short visits of faculty members, shared data or other materials, joint studies, joint experiments, short or long-term lectures, or seminars for faculty members and/or students.

3. Any exchange of data and proprietary information will be made in compliance with national and local laws and regulations.

* for academic staff

III EXCHANGE OF INFORMATION

1. Mutually beneficial information will be actively exchanged. Such information may include such items as university catalogues and curriculum, a list of faculty members and their fields of study, listings of papers, theses or books produced by university members and any other available information concerning research and study being undertaken at the university. As stated in Section II above, any exchange of information will adhere to the requirements of national and

local laws and regulations.

IV OFFICE IN CHARGE

1. To carry out the exchanges under this agreement expeditiously, each Party will designate an office which administers the exchange program.

2. These offices are:

For Benha University: Chair, International Exchange Committee
Benha University
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Box: 13518
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V THE TERM OF EXCHANGE, RENEWAL, REVISION AND CANCELLATION

1. This agreement will become binding when the respective president/vice-chancellor has signed the agreement.

2. This agreement becomes effective on the day it is signed.

3. This agreement is valid for three years. Stipulations in this agreement may be discussed and revised based on the mutual agreement of the Parties at any time during the three years. Either Party may cancel the agreement by sending a document to the other Party at least six months in advance of the date of its expiration.

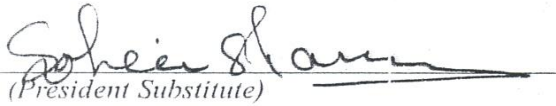
4. This agreement is to be discussed six months in advance of its successive dates of expiration and revised if necessary, based on the mutual agreement of the Parties. If no revision is made, it will be renewed automatically every three years.

VI ADMINISTRATION, AMENDMENTS AND NOTICES

1. Administration of this agreement shall be the responsibility of the Director of the International Office at BU and the Chair of the International Exchange Committee at GU.

2. Any addition, change or deletion must be approved by the official representative of each university.

Approved by Benha University



(President Substitute)

Prof. Dr. Soheir Sharawy Goma, Vice President

Prof. Dr. Hossam El-Attar

President

Benha University

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18-3-2009

Date

Approved by Gifu University

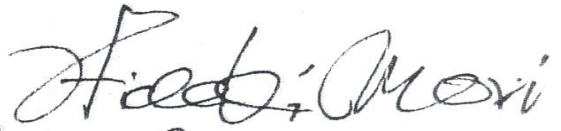
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