



## MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING BETWEEN FACULTY OF MEDICINE, KHON KAEN UNIVERSITY, THAILAND AND ERASMUS MC, UNIVERSITY MEDICAL CENTER, ROTTERDAM, NETHERLANDS

This Memorandum of Understanding is made and entered into 26 January 2016, by and between:

## Party A

**Faculty of Medicine Khon Kaen University**, hereinafter referred to as **MD-KKU**, and represented in this Memorandum of Understanding by the dean, Professor Charnchai Panthongviriyakul, and

## Party B

Erasmus University Medical Center, hereinafter referred to as Erasmus MC, and represented in this Memorandum of Understanding by the dean and vice president, Professor Jaap Verweij.

This Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) is made and entered into 26 January 2016, and is effective for five (5) years, after which it maybe renewed by the agreement of both MD-KKU and Erasmus MC.

Considering the long legacy of relationships and cultural exchange between Thailand and the Netherlands and their shared devotion to excellence in education, research and patient care, MD-KKU and Erasmus MC express their strong wish for further and broader cooperation and joint activities.

This MOU affirms the commitment between the two parties to strengthen the ties between them, to leverage future establishment of more specific collaborative agreements towards academic cooperation and exchange.

The cooperation may include, but is not limited to, the following areas of research and education:

1. The exchange of undergraduate students through a recognized exchange program;



- 2. The exchange of graduate and post-graduate students through a recognized exchange program;
- 3. The exchange of staff members in joint education programs;
- 4. The development of joint research projects, clinical trials and the related exchange of staff members and materials;

Details of the implementation of any particular collaborative agreement shall be negotiated between the two parties. Such an agreement will be legitimized by the completion of a specific contract.

This MOU is subject to revision, renewal or cancellation by mutual consent and becomes effective upon completion of signatures.

In order to implement this MOU, the two signatories hereby authorize their designees to create specific articulations of this MOU between cooperative colleges and programs at the two parties.

This MOU is written in English and shall take effect upon the signing by the two parties. It may be renewed by the agreement of both MD-KKU and Erasmus MC. This MOU will be terminated by the written notice from one party delivered to the other party. The termination of this MOU will not have any effect on the programs that are already accepted by both parties.

Collaboratively signed,

Representative MD-KKU

Associate Professor Charnchai Panthongviriyakul, MD Dean, Faculty of Medicine

My Chandran Pul.

Date:

witnessed by:

Associate Professor Supat Sinawat, MD (Hons), MSc (Edinburgh), FRTCOG, FICS

Associate Dean International Relations & Cooperation Strategies, MD-KKU

Date: 26 January 2016

Representative Erasmus MC

Professor Jaap Verweij, MD, PhD
Dean and Vice President Erasmus MC

Date:

witnessed by:

**Professor Steven Lamberts, MD, PhD**General Director of International Affairs
Erasmus MC

Date: 26 January 2016

