



MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING
between
STATE UNIVERSITY OF NEW YORK AT STONY BROOK
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
and
INSTITUTO TECNOLÓGICO Y DE ESTUDIOS SUPERIORES DE MONTERREY
MÉXICO

The State University of New York at Stony Brook, New York, United States of America, hereinafter referred to as SBU, and the Instituto Tecnológico y de Estudios Superiores de Monterrey, Nuevo León, México, hereafter referred to as Tecnológico de Monterrey, in recognition of their common interests in developing bilateral relations and convinced that cooperation between institutes of higher learning contributes to cultural enrichment, scientific progress, and the consolidation of friendship between countries, agree to establish the following Memorandum of Understanding, hereafter referred to as MoU.

I

1. This MoU will promote activities in the following areas:
 - Exchange of students
 - Exchange of faculty and staff
 - Instructional and cultural programs
 - Collaboration of academic degree programs
 - Collaborative research

II

1. Prior to implementation of any of the above referenced cooperative and collaborative activities, parties shall enter into writing a specific agreement signed by the responsible authority of each Institution which sets forth the terms and conditions of the activity.

III

1. All activities developed under the auspices of this MoU will comply with the procedures, policies, and practices, of each Institution as well as all applicable laws and regulations of both countries.
2. Both Institutions acknowledge that the visit by faculty and students from one Institution to the other shall be subject to the entry and visa regulations of Mexico and the United States of America.

IV

1. This MoU is established for a period of five years, effective on the date of the last signatory.
2. In order to enhance the efficacy of their cooperative activities, SBU and Tecnológico de Monterrey agree that it shall be possible to introduce changes and additions to the MoU by means of mutually agreed upon additional written clauses.
3. At the end of each five-year period, this MoU could be renewed by mutual agreement for an additional five years expressed by written consent of both parties, unless SBU or Tecnológico de Monterrey provide written notification of a decision of non-renewal prior to the expiration date. A minimum period of six months notice will be required from either party wishing to terminate the MoU. In the event of termination, all commitments to students participating in the program will be honoured by relevant parties according to the clauses set on the specific agreements that might still be in place.

For and on behalf of
the State University of New York at Stony Brook

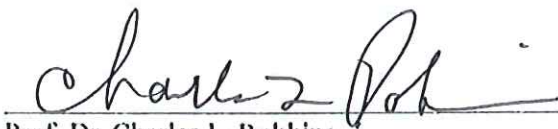


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