

MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING
between
STATE UNIVERSITY OF NEW YORK AT STONY BROOK
STONY BROOK,
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
And
TONGJI UNIVERSITY
SHANGHAI, PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA

Tongji University, People's Republic of China, hereinafter referred to as Tongji and State University of New York at Stony Brook, United States of America, hereinafter referred to as Stony Brook, 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 Agreement of Cooperation. This agreement seeks to promote the development of working groups to further investigate the establishment of future educational and research collaboration in the areas of environmental science, engineering, management, water resource management; with priority given to the treatment of drinking and waste water, and strategic governance of policy responding to climate change.

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This agreement will promote activities in the following areas:*

- Exchange of students
- Exchange of faculty and academic staff
- Establishment of a Dual-Degree Program
- Instructional and cultural programs
- Workshops, seminars and special events
- Joint resource mobilization to carry out the collaborative programs

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1. Specific mechanisms for the implementation of particular cooperative and collaborative activities shall be established and described in writing by the responsible authority of each institution prior to the initiation of any particular program or activity.

* A separate appendix is required

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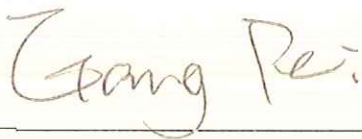
1. All activities developed under the auspices of this Agreement will comply with the procedures, policies, and practices, of each University as well as the law and regulations of the host, including applicable portions of the U.S. Export Controls Act.
2. Both Institutions acknowledge that the visit by faculty and students from one institution to the other shall be subject to the entry and visa regulations of the United States of America and, shall comply with the regulations and policies of Tongji and Stony Brook.

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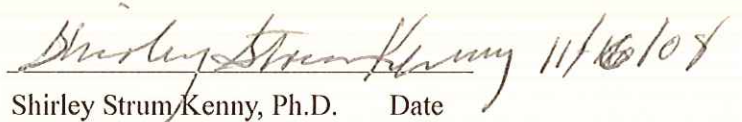
1. This Agreement is established for a period of five years, effective on the date of signing.
2. In order to enhance the efficacy of their cooperative activities, Tongji and Stony Brook will jointly review and assess the progress and achievements of the collaborative programs after the second year and agree that it shall be possible to introduce changes and additions to the Agreement by means of mutually agreed upon additional written clauses.
3. At the end of each five-year period, this Agreement will be automatically renewed by mutual agreement for an additional five years, unless Stony Brook or Tongji 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 Agreement. In the event of termination, all commitments to students participating in the program will be honored by relevant parties.

For Tongji University

For Stony Brook University



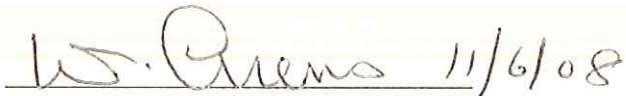
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