



Visayas State University

Visca, Baybay, Leyte
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**Office of the Secretary of the University
And of the Board of Regents**

Republic of the Philippines
VISAYAS STATE UNIVERSITY
Visca, Baybay, Leyte

BOR RESOLUTION NO. 68, s. 2010

**A RESOLUTION CONFIRMING THE
MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT ENTERED
INTO BY THE VISAYAS STATE UNIVERSITY (VSU) AND THE
KING MONGKUT'S UNIVERSITY OF TECHNOLOGY THONBURI (KMUTT)**

WHEREAS, the Leyte State University was created by virtue of Republic Act 9158 which converted the then Visayas State College of Agriculture (ViSCA) into a state university last 11 August 2001 which was later renamed Visayas State University (VSU) by virtue of R.A. 9437;

WHEREAS, Section 7 of R.A. 9158 specifically empowers the Board of Regents of the University to exercise all the powers granted to the Board of Directors of a corporation under Section 36 of Batas Pambansa Blg. 68, otherwise known as the Corporate Code of the Philippines;

WHEREAS, among other powers granted to the Board of Regents is the power "*to develop academic arrangements for institution capability building with appropriate institutions and agencies, public or private, local or foreign, and to appoint experts/specialists as consultants, or visiting or exchange professors, scholars, researchers, as the case may be*" as stipulated in Section 7, Item (t) of R.A. 9158;

WHEREAS, the King Mongkut's University of Technology Thonburi is interested in pursuing an Academic Exchange Agreement with the VSU on mutually-agreed upon academic and research programs that will include, but not limited to:

- a. exchange of professors or research scholars and students;
- b. exchange of scientific materials, publications and information;
- c. collaboration in research projects; and
- d. collaboration in academic and scientific activities, such as, course, conferences, symposia and technology transfer.


WHEREAS, the Visayas State University (VSU) also desires partnering with the leading research and development technological university in Thailand;

WHEREAS, the Governing Board, is aware of the importance and necessity of having an Academic Exchange Agreement to further strengthen the capabilities of the faculty of the Visayas State University.


THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED to Confirm the Academic Exchange Agreement entered into by and between the Visayas State University and the King Mongkut's University of Technology Thonburi, Thailand.

IN WITNESS of our approval thereof, we hereby affix our signatures this 17th day of September 2010 at LNU Conference Room, Leyte Normal University, Tacloban City, Leyte.

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