



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

**BOR RESOLUTION NO. 01, s. 2023**

**A RESOLUTION COURSED THROUGH REFERENDUM APPROVING THE STUDENT  
INTERNSHIP PROGRAM OF MR. ARVEN JACOB SALERA AND MS. DEXIE GRACE  
GELAGA AT THE UNIVERSITY OF ZAGREB, CROATIA THROUGH THE ERASMUS+  
INTER INSTITUTIONAL AGREEMENT 2022-2030 (HIGHER EDUCATION AND STUDENT  
MOBILITY WHICH WILL COMMENCE FROM FEBRUARY TO JUNE 2023**

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

**WHEREAS**, Section 7, Paragraph (b) of R.A. 9158 empowers the Governing Board “to receive and appropriate all sums as may be provided for the support of the University in the manner it may determine, in its discretion, to carry out the purposes and functions of the University”;

**WHEREAS**, the University of Zagreb in Croatia and the Visayas State University in the Philippines have agreed to cooperate for the exchange of students and/or staff in the context of the Erasmus+ Programme and will commit to respect the quality requirements of the Erasmus Charter for Higher Education in all aspects of the organization and management of the mobility, in particular, the recognition of the credits (or equivalent) awarded to students by the proper institutions while the institutions also commit to sound and transparent management of funds allocated by the students through the Erasmus+;

**WHEREAS**, Visayas State University and the University of Zagreb shall ensure equal academic treatment and services for home students and staff and incoming mobile participants and integrate incoming mobile participants into the institution’s everyday life, and have in place appropriate mentoring and support arrangements for mobile participants as well as appropriate linguistic support to incoming mobile participants;

**WHEREAS**, the receiving institution will guide incoming mobile participants in finding accommodation, according to the requirements of the Erasmus Charter for Higher Education;

**WHEREAS**, the higher education institutions recognize that the visiting students, researchers, and academic staff will sign a separate agreement on confidentiality and the protection of the intellectual property rights of the hosting university, when necessary;

**WHEREAS**, the proposal was endorsed by the University Administrative Council through referendum on 24 February 2023 to the VSU BOR Administrative and Academic Committee for the Committee’s endorsement to the Full Board for approval;

**WHEREAS**, the proposal was VSU BOR Administrative and Academic Committee has endorsed the proposal through a referendum to the Full Board for its approval.

**THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED** to approve Student Internship Program of Mr. Arven Jacob B. Salera and Ms. Dixie Grace Gelaga at the University of Zagreb, Croatia through the Erasmus+ Inter Institutional Agreement 2022-2030 (Higher Education and Student Mobility which will commence from February to June 2023

**IN WITNESS** of our approval thereof, we hereby affix our signatures this 28<sup>th</sup> day of February 2023.

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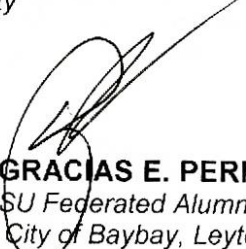
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