

Memorandum of Understanding

On Academic Cooperation

Between

Faculty of Medicine / Lund University

And

Faculty of Medicine / the University of Jordan

First Party: Faculty of Medicine, Lund University/ P.O Box 117 SE-221 00 Lund, Sweden, represented by its Dean, Professor Bo Ahren.

Second Party: Faculty of Medicine, the University of Jordan, Amman 11942, Jordan, represented by its Dean, Professor Salam Daradkeh.

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- 1- The purpose of this MoU is to develop academic and educational cooperation and to promote mutual understanding between the two faculties.
- 2- The two parties agree to develop the following collaborative activities in academic areas of mutual interest, on a basis of equality and reciprocity:
 - (1) Exchange of faculty members
 - (2) Exchange of students (Elective courses).
 - (3) Conducting collaborative research projects
 - (4) Conducting lectures and organizing symposia.
 - (5) Exchange of academic information and materials.
 - (6) Promoting academic cooperation as mutually agreed.
 - (7) Promoting cooperation in the graduate studies for basic medical sciences (PhD) and clinical sciences
- 3- The development and implementation of specific activities based on this MoU will be separately negotiated and agreed between the parties which carry out the specific projects. The two parties agree to carry out these activities in accordance with the laws and regulations of the respective countries after full consultation and approval.
- 4- It is understood that the implementation of any of the types of cooperation stated in clause 2 shall depend upon the availability of resources and financial support at the faculties concerned.

- 5- Should any collaborative research activities under this MoU result in any potential for intellectual property, the two parties shall seek an equitable and fair understanding as to ownership and other property interests that may arise.
- 6- This MoU may be amended or modified by a written agreement signed by the representatives of both parties.
- 7- This MoU is valid for a period of five years from the date of signing by the representatives of both parties. This MoU shall be renewed after being reviewed and renegotiated by two parties.
- 8- This MoU may, at any time during its period of validity, be terminated by one of the parties upon prior notice to the other in writing not later than six months before the termination date.

Appendix: Acknowledging the Memorandum of Understanding signed in November 2006 between the Faculty of Nursing/University of Jordan and the Faculty of Medicine/Lund University with the object of promoting co-operation in academic education within Nursing.

(Signature) 

Bo Ahren
Dean
Faculty of Medicine / University of Lund

Date: 15.06.09

(Signature) 

Salam Daradkeh
Dean
Faculty of Medicine / University
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Date: 19.04.2009