MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING
BETWEEN
UNIVERSIDAD NACIONAL MAYOR DE SAN MARCOS
AND YAMAGATA UNIVERSITY

Universidad Nacional Mayor de San Marcos (hereinafter referred to as UNMSM), and Yamagata University, (herein after referred to as YU) hereby conclude this agreement to promote the development and friendship between the two universities via international cooperation in education and research.

1. UNMSM and YU will use their best efforts to promote mutual understanding and friendship between the two universities through:

   (1) Exchange of faculty and staff
   (2) Exchange of students
   (3) Promotion of joint research projects
   (4) Exchange of research reports, publications and academic information
   (5) Other activities by mutual agreement

2. UNMSM and YU shall collaborate to prepare specific agreements when executing each of the above activities.

3. This MOU will be in effect from the date of its signing for a period of five years. The period of its validity may be extended by mutual agreement. Notwithstanding, either party may, for reasonable causes, dissolve this Agreement by sending a written letter ninety days prior to the date of resolution. The MOU resolution shall not relieve the parties from previously agreed undertakings, nor shall it stop activities in progress or being developed.

4. This agreement is executed in duplicate in English, with both texts being equally authentic.

Pedro COTILLO ZEGARRA
Rector
Universidad Nacional Mayor de San Marcos

Date: 27 May, 2013

Akio YUKI
President
Yamagata University

Date: 13 May, 2013
AGREEMENT ON STUDENT EXCHANGE BETWEEN
UNIVERSIDAD NACIONAL MAYOR DE SAN MARCOS
AND YAMAGATA UNIVERSITY

Universidad Nacional Mayor de San Marcos and Yamagata University shall verify the following clauses in connection with the implementation of a student's exchange program based on the bilateral cooperation agreement.

1. Each university may send and accept at most two students each year. The duration of stay for the students at either host university shall be from six months to one year.
2. Each university, conforming to the admission requirements of the host university, shall assume full responsibility in the assessment and selection of qualified candidates.
3. All exchange students shall be subject to the same academic regulations regarding class performance as pertain to regularly enrolled students at the host institution.
4. The host university shall exempt the students exchanged from paying entrance examination, admission and tuition fees.
5. Students exchanged will be responsible for all other expenses, including their own transportation to and from the host university, all room and board related costs, living expenses, health insurance, and other costs. All medical expenses not covered by the insurance plan are the sole responsibility of each student.
6. Violation of local laws committed in the host country could subject the exchange student to immediate withdrawal of his/her exchange sponsorship. Any decision taken by the host institution shall be communicated immediately to the home institution, not affecting others students exchange.
7. It is the sole responsibility of the home institution to decide how many credit units each student may actually receive on courses taken at the host institution.
8. This agreement shall take effect when both university representatives have signed it and will continue for five years. The period of its validity may be extended by mutual agreement.
9. The Coordinators of the Agreement will be the International Office of each University, or their substitutes.
10. This agreement is executed in duplicate in English, with both texts being equally authentic.

Pedro COTILLO ZEGARRA
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