



**COOPERATION AGREEMENT
BETWEEN
CHONGQING UNIVERSITY OF TECHNOLOGY, CHINA
AND
KING MONGKUT'S UNIVERSITY OF TECHNOLOGY
NORTH BANGKOK, THAILAND**

Preamble

In recognition of the mutual benefits derived from scholarly interaction, Chongqing University of technology, represented by the President, **Professor Liu Xiaokang**, and King Mongkut's University of Technology North Bangkok, represented by the President, **Professor Dr. Thanin Silpcharu**, hereby agree to establish an Agreement for Academic Cooperation to promote the advancement of learning through exchange and cooperation in teaching and research.

Section 1 – Purpose and Scope of Cooperation

The purpose of this Agreement is to establish academic exchange and cooperation in education and research in areas of mutual interest to the colleges, universities, and departments of both universities.

Section 2 – Areas and Forms of Cooperation

Cooperation under this Agreement may be implemented through the following activities:

1. Collaborative research activities, including the exchange of faculty members and research students
2. Participation in seminars, conferences, and academic meetings
3. Exchange of academic materials and other relevant information
4. Reciprocal exchange of students and staff

All specific arrangements shall be subject to mutual agreement and the availability of funds. The universities shall adhere to the principle of reciprocity, and, unless otherwise agreed, expenses incurred shall be borne by the home university.

Section 3 – Student Exchange

The exchange of students will take place according to the following procedures:

A. General Principles

1. Student exchange shall be subject to the suitability and readiness of each university.
2. The Parties intend to maintain balance in exchanges; neither Party shall accrue more than two semester-long or one year-long exchange places. The absence of exchange in any academic year shall not invalidate this Agreement.
3. Exchange students shall be enrolled as non-degree students and shall be exempt from application and tuition fees, but may be required to pay other applicable fees.
4. Exchange students shall enjoy the same rights and privileges as students of the host university and shall comply with its rules and regulations.

B. Selection of Students

1. The program shall be open to undergraduate and graduate students who have completed at least one year of study and are in good academic standing.
2. Students shall be nominated by the home university based on academic merit and suitability and shall be subject to acceptance by the host university.
3. If a nominated candidate is not accepted, the sending university may nominate an alternative candidate.

C. Student Obligations

1. Exchange students shall pay tuition and study-related fees at their home university.
2. Exchange students shall be responsible for international travel, accommodation, living expenses, and personal financial support.
3. Exchange students shall obtain and maintain valid medical and health insurance in accordance with the host university's and host country's regulations.
4. Exchange students shall be responsible for securing accommodation, with reasonable assistance from the host university.
5. Exchange students shall comply with the laws of the host country.

D. Host University Obligations

1. Each university shall designate a contact person to assist exchange students with enrolment, housing, and administrative matters.

2. Each university shall provide reasonable assistance with visa procedures; however, participants remain solely responsible for obtaining all required documents. Neither university shall be liable for failure to obtain such documents.

Section 4 – Academic Staff Exchange

Academic staff exchanges shall be implemented according to the following principles:

1. Exchanges may be arranged for a full academic year, one semester, or a shorter period by mutual agreement.
2. Travel, accommodation, and living expenses shall be borne by the participating individuals unless otherwise agreed in writing.
3. The host university shall, where possible, assist visiting staff in identifying appropriate accommodation.
4. Additional arrangements may be determined by mutual consent.

Section 5 – Administration and Coordination

Each university shall designate appropriate staff to coordinate and administer activities conducted under this Agreement.

Section 6 – Financial Arrangements and Obligations

This Agreement does not create any financial obligation for either Party. The Parties may seek suitable national or international funding to support activities under this Agreement.

Section 7 – Duration, Amendment, and Termination

This Agreement is intended to promote academic cooperation and does not establish a partnership, joint venture, or other legal relationship between the Parties.

The Agreement shall take effect on the date of signing and shall remain valid for an initial period of three (3) years. It may be amended by mutual written agreement and shall be reviewed at the end of the third year for renewal or termination. Either Party may terminate this Agreement by providing six (6) months' written notice to the other Party.

In witness whereof, the authorized representatives of the Parties, intending to be legally bound, have affixed their signatures below.

Chongqing University of Technology

President

Prof. Liu Xiaokang



Banan District, Chongqing, China
Place/Date

Chongqing, China / 17 September 2026

King Mongkut's University of Technology

President

Prof. Dr. Thanin Silpcharu



North Bangkok, Bangkok, Thailand
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Bangkok, Thailand / 23 September 2026

Chongqing University of Technology

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Banan District, Chongqing, China
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Dean, Faculty of Engineering

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North Bangkok, Bangkok, Thailand
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