



## **Memorandum of Understanding**

**between**

**Faculty of Science, Chiang Mai University**

**and**

**Graduate School of Nanobioscience, Yokohama City University**

This Memorandum of Understanding (hereinafter referred to as “MOU”) is made and entered into on 14<sup>th</sup> November, 2016 (hereinafter referred to as “**Effective Date**”) by and between:

**Chiang Mai University** (hereinafter referred to as “**CMU**”), represented by Clin. Prof. Niwes Nantachit, M.D., President of Chiang Mai University, located at 239 Huaykaew Road, A. Muang, Chiang Mai 50200, Thailand,

**and**

**Yokohama City University** (hereinafter referred to as **YCU**) represented by Yoshinobu Kubota, M.D., Ph.D, President of Yokohama City University, located at 22-2 Seto Kanazawa-Ku, Yokohama, 236-0027, Japan.

### **1. Purpose and Scope of Cooperation**

**CMU** and **YCU** hereby agree to encourage and promote academic cooperation between their two respective parties. Subject to mutual consent, areas of cooperation and activities include:

1.1 Visits by faculty members and students from one university to the other for the purpose of engaging in research and other educational activities.

1.2 Admission of qualified students from one university to the other for the purpose of enrolling in undergraduate and graduate programs, or participating in research.

1.3 Exchange of academic information through seminars, academic conferences, and academic publications.

1.4. Promotion of other academic activities to enhance the above mentioned goals.

## 2. Implementation & Funding

To implement the collaborative activities envisaged, representatives of CMU and YCU may propose, negotiate and conclude specific agreements. Details, including financial arrangements, will be set out in said agreements. CMU and YCU acknowledge that in the absence of any provision to the contrary in the specific agreement(s), all expenses of salary, travel, accommodation, living and other related costs will be the responsibility of the visitor's home university.

## 3. Confidentiality and Ownership of Intellectual Property

The two parties agree that in the event of research collaboration involving confidential information and leading to intellectual property rights, further agreement must be negotiated in each case in accordance with the policies of the two parties.

## 4. Amendment and Termination

4.1 This MoU will be effective from the date of signing, as given below, for an initial period of 5 (five) years. Thereafter, it shall automatically be extended for an additional period of 5 (five) years at each expiration date, unless any party provides written notice to terminate the agreement a minimum of six months prior to the expiration date. Projects in progress at the time of MOU expiration or termination, as well as obligations relating to confidentiality and intellectual property stated in Section 3, will remain unaffected.

4.2 Amendment or modification of the MOU content stated herewith can only occur after both parties discuss and create an appropriate supplementary agreement executed using the same formalities as this MOU.

## 5. Settlement of Disputes Law

The settlement of possible disputes between the parties concerning the interpretation and/or implementation of this MOU shall be negotiated in good faith to solve problems that arise.

On behalf of CMU:

On behalf of YCU:



(Assoc. Prof. Dr. Sampan Singharajwarapan)  
Dean, Faculty of Science



(Prof. Masaru Tachibana)  
Dean, Graduate School of Nanobioscience

Date: 14 November 2016

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