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**MEMORANDUM OF
UNDERSTANDING
BETWEEN
KING MONGKUT'S UNIVERSITY OF TECHNOLOGY
NORTH BANGKOK, THAILAND
AND
INSTITUTE OF PHYSICS,
VIETNAM ACADEMY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY, VIETNAM**

In accordance with a mutual desire to promote international cooperation between Thailand and Vietnam; King Mongkut's University of Technology North Bangkok (KMUTNB) and Institute of Physics (IOP), Vietnam Academy of Science and Technology (VAST) join in the following agreement for educational and scientific cooperation.

ARTICLE 1

Objective

The objective of this MOU is to develop and promote ties and academic exchange between both universities.

ARTICLE 2

Scope of Cooperation

Each university will make an effort to promote and encourage mutual collaboration in the following general forms of cooperation:

1. Joint research activities and exchanges;
2. Joint participation in internationally funded projects;
3. Exchange of invitations to scholars to participate in seminar, conference and symposium;
4. Exchange of information in fields of interest including, but not limited to, exchange of library materials and research publications;
5. Exchange of faculty members and students for study, teaching and research.

All the activities under MOU must follow the laws and regulations of both countries Viet Nam and Thailand.

ARTICLE 3

Plan of Action

1. Specific details and arrangements of exchanges noted above will be negotiated and are subject to approval of both universities.

2. In order to carry out the activities mentioned above, detailed plans will be mapped out upon consultation among concerned faculty and staff.
3. Each university and partner of each side can discuss to make the appendix for the detail exchange activities.

ARTICLE 4

Contact Persons for MOU

1. IOP, VAST agrees to assign Dr. Pham Hong Minh, Vice-Director of Center for Quantum Electronics (CQE), IOP, VAST
2. KMUTNB agrees to assign Asst. Prof. Dr. Anusara Srisrual, Associate Dean for Academic Affairs and Cooperation

ARTICLE 5

Duration and Termination

1. This Agreement shall remain in force for a period of 5 years from the date of the last signature.
2. Extensions and/or modifications may be made as agreed in writing by both parties.
3. Each party may cancel this agreement at any time for any reason or for no reason by providing the other with a written notice six (6) months prior to the date of cancelation.
4. Any termination of this MOU under clause 3 of this article will not operate to prejudice an individual student or staff member engaged as at the date of termination in an activity outlined in clause Article 2. The intention is that such individual's activity will be permitted to reach its natural or contemplated conclusion.

ARTICLE 6

Amendments

This agreement can be amended by agreement of both parties or in any event by twelve months written notice from either party to the other for any reason or for no reason.

ARTICLE 7

Dispute Resolution

Where a problem or dispute arises between the parties they will first seek to resolve that dispute between themselves and will use their best endeavors to settle the problem or dispute by direct negotiation. Where the problem or dispute continues the parties may elect a third party by mutual consent, who shall examine the problem or dispute and provide recommendations. All expenses incurred in appointing the elected third party shall be shared equally by the parties.

ARTICLE 8

General Conditions

1. Each party will ensure that all public statements including statements to the media or articles relating to their joint activities are first cleared by the other party prior to release or publication.

2. No party will have the right to use the name or logo of another party without that party's prior written consent and other conditions attached to such consent.
3. The parties agree that this MOU does not create or evidence a relationship between them of partnership, joint venture, employer and employee or agency.
4. The parties acknowledge that the academic and research standards properly established by each of them must be maintained at all times and that the relationship between the parties will not operate to constrain the other party from applying those standards.
5. This MOU does not legally or financially bind either of the two universities. Its aim is to promote relations that will mutually benefit each institution, this being the primary aim of university collaboration.
6. This agreement commences from the date of signing and remains in force until a written acknowledgement by the Parties that agreement be terminated.

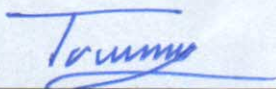
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Funding

This MOU has no financial obligations. The two Parties will jointly seek for funding opportunities from national and international organizations for implementation of the activities under this MOU.

Authorized representative of King Mongkut's University of Technology North Bangkok (KMUTNB), Thailand and Institute of Physics (IOP), Vietnam Academy of Science and Technology (VAST) will sign two original MOU documents in English, both documents being equally authentic. Each Party will keep 01 copy with equal validity.

Institute of Physics, Vietnam Academy of Science and Technology, VIETNAM



Prof. Dr. Dinh Van Trung
Director

Place, Date: Hanoi, July 20, 2023

King Mongkut's University of Technology North Bangkok, THAILAND



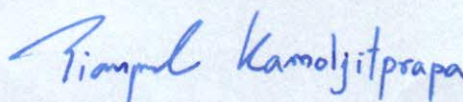
Prof. Dr. -Ing. habil. Suchart Siengchin
President

Place, Date: 20 JUL 2023



Dr. Pham Hong Minh,
Vice-Director of Center for Quantum Electronics (CQE), IOP, VAST

Place, Date: Hanoi, July 20, 2023



Assoc. Prof. Dr. Pianpool Kamoljitprapa
Dean of the Faculty of Applied Science

Place, Date: 20 JUL 2023