



**MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING
BETWEEN**



**ASSOCIATION OF PRIVATE HIGHER EDUCATION INSTITUTIONS INDONESIA
(APTISI)
AND
UNIVERSITY OF TASMANIA, AUSTRALIA**

Considering the interest in deepening academic cooperation between Association of Private Higher Education Institutions (APTISI) and the University of Tasmania, Australia (UTAS) in order to promote science and technology development in Indonesia and Australia;

The Parties agree to establish, by mutual agreement and in order to be mutually beneficial, this Memorandum of Understanding (MOU):

**ARTICLE I
OBJECTIVES**

1. This MoU established by APTISI and UTAS has the purpose to deepen the cooperation among academics, intellectuals and scientists from Indonesian Private Higher Education Institutions throughout Indonesia with UTAS.
2. The cooperation shall be promoted in areas that are mutually beneficial to the academic and scientific communities of both regions.
3. Specific areas of cooperation can be selected as agreed by the parties.

**ARTICLE II
OBJECTIVES (SCOPE OF COOPERATION)**

The Parties agree to develop collaborative activity as follows:

- a. Promote the exchange of students through the proposed establishment of a student exchange program;
- b. Promote the exchange of programs in the areas of teacher training and educational technologies;
- c. Promote the exchange of scientists, lecturers, and scholars;

- d. Promote research in the education field and related areas
- e. Promote joint research projects;
- f. Foster university partnerships;
- g. Promote seminars, workshops and conferences.
- h. Promote student recruitment to APTISI members and to UTAS
- i. Other forms of cooperation (will be determined through mutual consultation)

ARTICLE III VALIDITY

This Memorandum of Understanding shall take effect on the date of its signature for a period of five years, at which time it may be renewed for another period of time, formalized by a new document.

ARTICLE VIII MODIFICATIONS

The conditions established in this memorandum may be modified annually, by agreement between the Parties and with proper justification, and any such proposed modification shall be presented, at least, 90 (ninety) days before the date that the changes should be implemented.

ARTICLE IV TERMINATION

1. This Memorandum of Understanding may be discontinued by any of the parties, providing that the party formally notifies the other, at least 90 (ninety) days before the discontinuation is to come into effect.
2. Any such termination shall not affect projects and scholarships already underway, except when both Parties jointly agree otherwise

ARTICLE V
FINAL PROVISIONS

The parties shall not be responsible for non-fulfilment of commitments, in case of force majeure.

The intention of the parties is that the terms of the agreement are not enforceable in a court of law. Further, nothing in this agreement binds either of the parties to enter into any future agreements in relation to its subject matter, if they consider that entering into such agreements would be inconsistent with their requirements.

Issues not explicitly covered in text of this Memorandum will be resolved by the Parties.

Executed by APTISI and UTAS on February 20th, 2014, written in English, in two original copies and duly signed on behalf of the two Parties.



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