



**INSTITUTIONAL AGREEMENT ON GRADUATE STUDENT EXCHANGE
BETWEEN
TOHOKU MEDICAL AND PHARMACEUTICAL UNIVERSITY, JAPAN
AND
MARIANO MARCOS STATE UNIVERSITY, PHILIPPINES**

To promote international understanding and to enhance educational opportunities for their graduate students, Tohoku Medical and Pharmaceutical University and Mariano Marcos State University hereby enter into a formal agreement on student exchange based on Article One of “International Agreement of Academic Exchange and Educational Cooperation between Tohoku Medical and Pharmaceutical University and Mariano Marcos State University.”

1. The number of exchange students from each institution will be determined each year by mutual agreement between Tohoku Medical and Pharmaceutical University and Mariano Marcos State University. Exchange students may study at the host institution for either a semester or a full academic year. The exchange activity will be taken in the form of course enrollment or collaboration for research.
2. Each university shall be responsible for drawing up its own plans for the teaching programs on the basis of close liaison with the other university. In principle, students of each university will be permitted to enroll in any courses at the host university after finishing required basic courses if any.
3. Each university will determine its own method of selecting students for the exchange programs. It is the host university, however, that determines whether the recommended students are admissible.
4. The exchange students will be entitled to the same privileges and be subject to the same rules and regulations as other students at the host university, except for some privileges which are awarded to regular students by agencies outside each university.
5. Completed applications of students must reach each university at least six months before the beginning of the academic year in which the students study.
6. The host university will waive charges for tuition, facilities, and laboratories for the students concerned. Except for these charges, all expenses shall be borne by the students individually.
7. Before departing their home countries, the exchange students are required to purchase health

insurance, which is valid in the country where they study.

8. Each university will forward to the other university a record of the grades and credits exchange students earned. Both universities can admit these credits as a part of the credits necessary for graduation.

9. The exchange students shall continue as candidates for degrees at their home university and will not be candidates for degrees at the host university.

10. General:

(1) All students must possess passports and visas valid for the period of the exchange.

(2) Both universities shall regularly exchange their respective bulletins and other information pertaining to course programs and registration.

11. This agreement shall come into effect from the date of signing by the representatives of both universities. The agreement, however, may be terminated by mutual consent or six months after written notice is given by either university. The issues not mentioned above will be resolved on mutual agreement.

TOHOKU MEDICAL AND
PHARMACEUTICAL UNIVERSITY

MARIANO MARCOS STATE UNIVERSITY

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