

MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING FOR INDUSTRY-ACADEMIC COLLABORATION BETWEEN

MEIO UNIVERSITY AND WUB NETWORK – HAWAII BRANCH



Under the MOU between Meio University (MEIO) and the WUB Network (WUB) signed on 5th August, 2023, both parties have agreed to initiate an agreement in accordance with Article 2 of the document, to implement the exchange program with the following provisions:

- 1. MEIO shall accept researcher and trainee recommended by WUB-Hawaii and provide Japanese education, etc.
 - (1) The number of researcher and trainee shall not exceed two persons in a year, and the exact number shall be decided by mutual prior consultation every year.
 - (2) The duration of acceptance shall usually be one semester or up to one year.
 - (3) MEIO shall provide on-campus dormitories with the same price of international exchange students.
 - (4) Researcher and trainee shall be subject to the selection and recommendation of WUB-Hawaii, and shall meet the criteria of MEIO.
 - (5) Coordinators of both parties shall decide the courses for researcher and trainee, although subsequent changes may be made as necessary. Due consideration will be given to academic history and interests of researcher and trainee.
 - (6) The status of the researcher and trainee shall be "auditor," unless otherwise agreed by the two parties.
 - (7) Researcher and trainee must abide by all rules and regulations of MEIO.
 - (8) Researcher and trainee shall not be charged application or tuition fees at MEIO.
 - (9) Researcher and trainee shall purchase an insurance policy to cover all accidents, injury and illness.
 - (10) Costs of living expenses, such as meals will be borne by the researcher and trainee.
 - (11) MEIO shall also cooperate with the researcher and trainee in obtaining their visas.
- 2. WUB-Hawaii shall provide support for daily local life activities and finding affordable housing for the Exchange Students, On-site Training Students, and Internship Students sent by MEIO.
 - (1) Availability of support for daily life and housing search shall be decided by mutual prior consultation.
 - (2) WUB-Hawaii shall support the students sent by MEIO with housing search (safe/convenient areas, cost, etc.).
 - (3) WUB-Hawaii shall support the students sent by MEIO to find a company for on-site training, part-time work, or internship, if available.
- 3. This agreement is in force for five (5) years and is subject to revision and termination by mutual consent by giving six (6) months' written notice to avoid disadvantage to either party.
- 4. This agreement is made in good faith and any conflict that may arise with respect to the interpretation, fulfillment will be resolved by agreement between the parties.
- 5. This agreement is effective when the representatives of both parties have affixed their signatures to the agreement.

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