## AGREEMENT FOR COLLABORATION by and between

## Muni University (MU) and Sri Siddhartha University (SAHE)

This agreement is made and entered into by and between the Vice Chancellor, Sri Siddhartha University Tumkur (SAHE), Board of Management, located in Tumkur, India, and Muni University (MU) a Public University, located in Arua district, in Uganda. The parties hereto agree as follows:

## Purpose:

- 1) Recognizing the importance of mutual collaboration and the contributions to society made by the two higher education institutions, both parties share a desire to develop mutually strengthening and enriching international educational and research experiences for both faculty and students.
- 2) The primary purpose of this agreement is to provide a general basis within which specific cooperative activities of an academic and cultural nature may be implemented involving faculty and/or students from Siddhartha University and Muni University, Uganda.
- 3) Faculty and researchers in various disciplines will be encouraged to develop contacts and propose collaborative projects. Each project proposal will be considered on its merits and on availability of funds. The two Universities will seek internal and external sources for support of programs and exchanges, which may be developed as a result of this agreement.
- 4) As specific projects in education or research are developed, each will require a written Memorandum of Understanding (or a Contract) which will set forth the terms and conditions of the project(s). These Memoranda or Contracts will be approved and signed by appropriate administrators at each University.

## **General Provisions:**

- 1. All research and other collaborative activities conducted pursuant to this agreement shall be conducted in accordance with the laws and regulations appropriate to each University. In the case of SAHE, these are the laws of India. In the case of Muni University these are the laws of Uganda.
- 2. This agreement shall take effect when executed by both parties and shall be for a term of three (3) years. The agreement shall be automatically renewed for successive three (3) year terms unless terminated as provided herein. The agreement may be terminated by either party upon no less than sixty (60) days written notice to the other

party. This agreement may be modified by written agreement of both parties at any time. Nothing within this agreement shall create any financial obligation or cause any hardship to either party.

3. At SAHE, modification to this agreement shall be initiated through the Office of the Vice Chancellor, SAHE, Tumkur, India and at Muni University, through the Office of the Vice Chancellor, MU, Arua, Uganda.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF the parties hereto have executed two copies of this instrument, each of which shall be considered an original.

For Sri Siddhartha University, Tumkur, India

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