

AGREEMENT ON ACADEMIC EXCHANGE
BETWEEN
INSTITUTE OF NATIONAL COLLEGES OF TECHNOLOGY, JAPAN
AND
THREE POLYTECHNICS IN SINGAPORE (REPUBLIC POLYTECHNIC
(RP), SINGAPORE POLYTECHNIC (SP) and TEMASEK POLYTECHNIC
(TP))

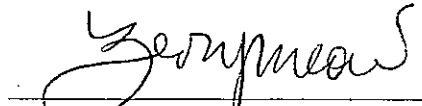
This agreement is made on 22 September 2009 between Institute of National Colleges of Technology (INCT), Japan and 3 Polytechnics in Singapore (Republic Polytechnic(RP), Singapore Polytechnic(SP) and Temasek Polytechnic (TP)) in order to promote academic exchange and cooperative relationship on education and research. The terms to be agreed by the two parties are the following:

1. The parties will implement the following activities on the basis of the principles of respecting each other's independence and for mutual benefit:
 - 1) Exchange of students
 - 2) Exchange of academic and administrative staff
 - 3) Exchange of academic materials, publications, information
 - 4) Cooperation for joint lectures, research and symposiums
2. For the implementation of the above-mentioned activities, the institutions will discuss the details which would be provided for by separate agreements developed individually amongst members at a later stage to articulate the specific intentions and collaborations between them.
3. This agreement will be in effect for the period of five years from the time of signing and be renewed for additional five years unless either party giving six months notice in writing requests its termination.
4. Any alteration to this Agreement must be made by the mutual consent of all parties.
5. This agreement is not intended to create any legally binding obligations nor contractual relationship between the parties (or partners).

IN WITNESS WHEREOF the parties have caused this agreement to be executed by their respective authorized representatives the date first mentioned above.



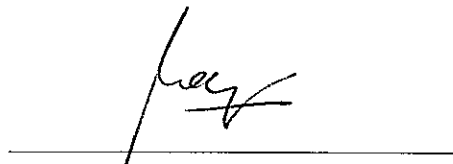
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Principal
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Mr Boo Kheng Hua
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