



**Memorandum of Understanding (MoU)  
Between  
Institut Seni Indonesia Padangpanjang, Indonesia  
And  
Suratthani Rajabhat University, Thailand**



This Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) is made and entered into on this ..., by and between the undersigned parties below:

1. Institut Seni Indonesia Padangpanjang (ISI Padangpanjang), a public art institute of Indonesia having its legal address on Bahder Johan street, Padangpanjang, West Sumatra 27128, Indonesia in this matter represented by Prof. Dr. Novesar Jamarun, MS, in his capacity as the Rector of ISI Padangpanjang and therefore acting for and on behalf of ISI Padangpanjang hereinafter referred to as first party;
2. Suratthani Rajabhat University, a public university located in Surat Thani Province, on the east coast by the Gulf of Thailand having its legal address at 272 Moo 9 Surat-Nasarn Road, Khun Talae, Muang, Surat Thani 84100 Thailand in this matter represented by Asst. Prof. Dr. Prayote Kupgarnjanagool, in his capacity as the President of Suratthani Rajabhat University as its rightful hereinafter referred to as second party;

Hereinafter First Party and Second Party may sometimes individually refer to as Party and collectively as The Parties.

In consideration of the following underlying matters of the Memorandum of Understanding (MoU), hereby declare as follows:

- a. Whereas, bearing in mind the potential of exploring and developing art and culture and that both institutions share common goals in promoting and supporting the arts and related cultural activities, The Parties agree to take initiative to collaborate and cooperate in developing and sharing the knowledge of art and doing exhibition and performance related to art.
- b. Whereas First Party is one of The Centers of Malay Art dan Culture of Indonesian Archipelago that concerns on the development and conservation of Malay and Indonesia arts and excels in performing arts whether in research or performance.
- c. Whereas, one of the missions of Second Party is "To instill pride through the promotion and support of the arts and related cultural activities"

Now, therefore, for and in consideration of mutual promises and agreements contained herein, The Parties intending to be mutually bound thereby, it is agreed by and between The Parties as follows:

1. The Purpose and Objective
  - A. To increase art and cultural cooperation in performing arts, visual arts, and fine arts and design between Institut Seni Indonesia Padangpanjang, Indonesia and Suratthani Rajabhat University, Thailand.
  - B. To undertake activities pursuant to the promotion of art and cultural related activities through collaborative projects including, but not being restricted, to the following:
    - a. Cooperation in the creation and development of art creativity
    - b. Cooperation in the exhibitions of visual arts (fine arts, film, photography, traditional craft, and soon)
    - c. Cooperation in art performances (theatre, music, and dance)
    - d. Organize short courses, workshops, and collaborations on the current art issues.
  
2. General Agreement
  - A. All programs of action will be agreed in advance and depended on availability.
  - B. The Parties agree that students will cover appropriate fees at their home institution only.
  - C. The parties agree to guide the students participating in the exchange program and to assist them in finding adequate housing facilities.
  - D. The students will be responsible for their own expenses in transportation, food, and lodging, and in specific cases, may be also supported by their home institution or international agencies.
  - E. The scope of activities under this agreement shall be determined by the funds regularly available at both institutions for the types of collaboration undertaken and by financial assistance obtained by either institution from external sources.
  - F. This General Agreement of Academic and Cultural Cooperation is a mutual agreement and shall be identified as the parent document of any specific agreement executed between The Parties. Further agreements concerning any program shall provide the details of the specific commitments made by each party and shall not become effective until they have committed those agreements to the written form signed by the legal representatives of The Parties.
  - G. This is a mutual agreement and as such, any controversy that might arise in its interpretation, formalization, and fulfillment will be resolved by mutual agreement of the parties; in case that the controversy should persist, the parties will submit to the resolution of the arbitration committee designed by mutual agreement of The Parties.
  
3. Validity Period of Agreement
  - A. This Memorandum of Understanding is valid and binding to the Parties for a period of 3 (three) years, effective from the signing date and such period of time may be extended by mutual agreement by The Parties.



B. This MoU will be terminated automatically at the end of such period, unless both parties provide each other with written notice of the intention to renew the agreement for an additional three years in the six month time prior to the termination.

C. In case any one of The Parties wishes to terminate this agreement, written notice should be given to the other party in the one month time prior to its termination, without adversely affecting any ongoing collaborative projects.

#### 4. Notices

All notices or communications required or permitted to be given or made hereunder shall be in writing and delivered by post or by facsimile transmission or by other electronic means to intended recipient at its particulars set out below:

- First Party : Institut Seni Indonesia Padangpanjang, Indonesia  
Phone : 62-752-82077  
Faximile : 62-752-82803  
Website : www.isi-padangpanjang.ac.id
- Second Party : Suratthani Rajabhat University, Thailand  
Phone : 66-77-913-333  
Faximile : 66-77-355468  
Website : www.sru.ac.th

#### 5. Amendment

A. This Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) may be modified or amended at any time through an exchange of letter as mutually agreed by The Parties.

B. This Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) is made in 2 (two) languages, English and Indonesia and in the case of different interpretation, the Indonesia version shall prevail.

In Witness Whereof, this Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) has been executed on the day and date as firstly mentioned above, with the duty stamped and in duplicate, each having the same legal force.

First Party,  
Institut Seni Indonesia Padangpanjang

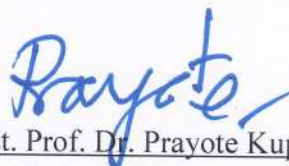


Prof. Dr. Novesar Jamarun, MS.

Rector

Date June 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2016

Second Party,  
Suratthani Rajabhat University



Asst. Prof. Dr. Prayote Kupgarnjanagool

President

Date June 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2016