



AGREEMENT OF COOPERATION

This Agreement of Cooperation is entered into on 18 August 2023 between the **Adelaide Education Group** (an educational institution that includes the Adelaide Institute of Higher Education, Adelaide Institute of Business and Technology, Adelaide International School, and the Adelaide Research Institute) and the **Eastern Visayas State University**, collectively referred to as the Parties, with the intention of establishing a collaborative partnership in the field of education.

WHEREAS, both institutions recognise the importance of fostering cooperation and collaboration to enhance the quality of education and expand education opportunities;

WHEREAS, both institutions share a common vision of promoting academic excellence, innovation, and cultural exchange;

WHEREAS, both institutions are committed to promoting student success, research collaboration, and community engagement;

WHEREAS, both institutions aim to promote cultural understanding, diversity, and global perspectives within their educational communities;

WHEREAS, both institutions seek to establish a mutually beneficial partnership that will facilitate joint initiatives, research projects, student exchanges, and other collaborative activities;

NOW, THEREFORE, in the interest of friendship, mutual benefits, and pursuit of advancing education, the Parties agree as follows:

1. **Commitment.** AEG and EVSU commit to promote and develop cooperation in areas that may include, but not limited, to the:
 - a. exchange of faculty, staff, and students.
 - b. exchange of educational ideas, academic material, and educational publications.
 - c. conduct of joint projects that may include the organisation of symposia to facilitate the sharing of teaching methodologies and learning experiences in both countries.
 - d. long-distance exchange of teaching and learning methodologies and experience between teachers from both countries by means of the internet, video conferencing, or other relevant technologies.
 - e. articulations for courses developed and delivered by both Parties.


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- f. other forms of cooperation as may be mutually agreed.
2. **Scope.** The scope of cooperation under this Agreement shall be determined through specific projects, programs, or activities agreed upon by both institutions in writing.
 3. **Responsibilities.** Each institution shall designate a representative who will serve as the primary point of contact for communication and coordination of collaborative efforts. The representatives shall work together to identify and implement joint initiatives, ensuring effective collaboration and mutual benefit.
 4. **Funding.** Funds required for the implementation of this Agreement will be determined for each individual project through joint consultation. Both sides shall endeavour to secure funding to support the effective implementation of this Agreement.
 5. **Use of Name.** Neither party will use the other party's name, logos, trademarks, or other marks without that other party's written permission.
 6. **Duration and Term.** This Agreement shall come into effect on the date of its signing and shall remain in force until terminated by the Parties. Either Party may terminate this Agreement by providing a written notice of termination at least 30 days prior to the intended termination date.
 7. **Non-Binding.** The Parties agree that this Agreement represents the mutual understanding of the Parties, is not intended nor shall be deemed to be a binding contract and shall not give rise to any rights and liabilities under a contract.


IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the authorized representatives of the Parties execute this Agreement of Cooperation as of the date first above written.

Adelaide Education Group

By:



Mr Don Chen
Managing Director

Signed in the presence of:


Atty Fatima Reyes
General Manager

Adelaide Institute of Higher Education

Eastern Visayas State University


Dr Dennis C. De Paz
President

~~Signed in the presence of:~~


Dr Faustito Aure
Director, Office of Internationalization of
Higher Education
Eastern Visayas State University

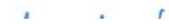
Signed in the Presence of:



DANILO B. PULMA, DM
Vice President of Internationalization for Higher Education
External Affairs



BENEDICTO T. MILITANTE, PhD
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ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

Republic of the Philippines)
CITY OF TACLOBAN) s.s.
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Before me, a Notary Public for and in the Province of Leyte, this _____ personally appeared the following persons, to witness:

Names:	ID NUMBER:	ISSUED ON:	AT:
1.			
2. DENNIS C. DE PAZ	D062695		Tacloban City

Known to me to be the same persons who executed the foregoing instrument and that they acknowledged to me that the same is their free act and deed,

WITNESS MY HAND AND SEAL on the date and place above written.

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