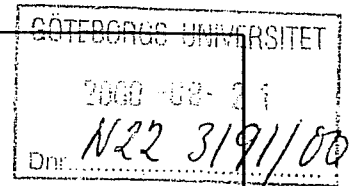


EXCHANGE AGREEMENT
between
GRIFFITH UNIVERSITY, AUSTRALIA
and
GÖTEBORG UNIVERSITY, SWEDEN



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1. DEFINITIONS

For the purpose of this agreement, "home" institution shall mean the institution at which the student intends to graduate, and "host" institution shall mean the institution which has agreed to accept the student from the home institution.

Semester or academic year shall normally refer to the period relevant to the host institution.

2. PURPOSE OF THE AGREEMENT

The general purpose of this Agreement is to establish specific educational relations and co-operations between the two participating institutions in order to promote academic linkages and to enrich the understanding of the culture of the two countries concerned.

The purpose of exchange between faculty members is to promote collaborative research, other educational developments and to further mutual understanding.

The purpose of each student exchange is to enable students to enrol in subjects at the host institution for credit which will be applied towards their degree at their home institution.

3. STUDENT EXCHANGES

(1) NUMBER

Each institution is prepared to send students and receive the equivalent number in exchange annually. Normally the exchange will involve a maximum of two students per academic year from each institution, or one student per semester from each institution.

(2) PARITY

While parity in the number of exchanges is the goal, the institutions recognise that it may not be possible in any given semester of the exchange. Every effort will be made to achieve parity over a period of three academic years.

(3) QUALIFICATIONS

Each exchange student should demonstrate his/her academic proficiency by a certified transcript.

(4) COSTS

(a) Tuition

Students will pay their regular tuition and fees to the home institution. No further tuition costs will be charged by the host institution.

(b) Board and Room Charges

Each student will receive every assistance from the host institution in locating suitable accommodation. In the case of shared accommodation, students will make their own arrangements regarding food. The cost of accommodation is the responsibility of the exchange student.

(c) Transportation

Each student is responsible for his/her own international transportation costs (unless special arrangements are made by the home institution). Each institution will make every effort to meet arriving student at the airport nearest the campus and transport them to the institution.

(d) Medical Insurance

Each institution will make available a medical insurance plan for the exchange students (including vacation periods), except for dental expenses and expenses for conditions which had their origin prior to the effective date of coverage. The cost of the insurance will be paid by the exchange student (unless special arrangements are made by the home institution).

4. GENERAL PROVISIONS

(1) ACADEMIC CONTENT

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Each student will be provided with the same academic resources and supporting services as are normally provided to others at the host institution of the same academic level. An academic adviser will be designated to assist students enrolled in the exchange programme.

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Details pertaining to academic credit will be negotiated separately and will not be a part of this Agreement. Negotiations on academic credit transfer will be undertaken by exchange of letters between appropriate officers at each institution.

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It is not anticipated that spouses or dependents will accompany any of the students. Where such an arrangement is proposed, it is subject to the

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(2) PROGRAMME REVIEW

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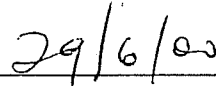
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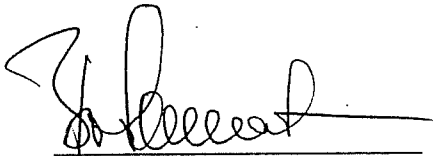
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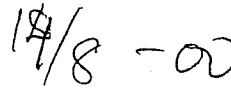
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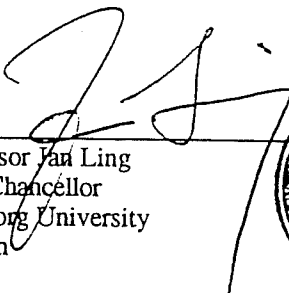
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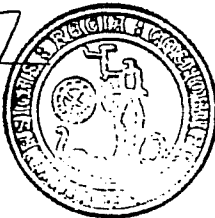
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