



**MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING
BETWEEN
UNIVERSITY OF NEW ENGLAND
AND
INDONESIAN AGENCY FOR AGRICULTURAL RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT (IAARD)
ON
COLLABORATIVE RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT SYSTEM AND CAPACITY BUILDING**

The parties make this Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) in accordance with the Details and Terms.

DETAILS	
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Introduction	A. UNE is a public university located at Armidale in regional New South Wales, Australia. B. IAARD is the agricultural research and development agency of the Ministry of Agriculture of the Republic Indonesian and its affiliate institutions located throughout provinces in the country. C. This MOU demonstrates an intention by UNE and IAARD to negotiate a cooperative arrangement with a view to entering separate legally-binding Agreements across areas of agreed collaboration.
Proposed Activities	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• UNE and IAARD wish to facilitate the capacity building of human resource development which thoroughly promote educational co-operation, research and scientific publication collaboration, and facilitate training of IAARD staff and at UNE which include organize international seminars.• UNE and IAARD wish to formalise and standardise the relationship between the two parties in order to provide

	<p>consistency, and a focal point, for the preparation and administration of programmes for collaboration and cooperation.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • This MOU provides the mechanism through which the expressed intent of the parties can be realised. • The areas for potential collaboration and cooperation have been identified as, but not limited to, the following activities: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> o Government scholarship programmes aimed at addressing institutional research needs in Indonesia o Establishing a framework for Indonesian scholarship candidates to access English and postgraduate bridging courses o Establishing pathways for Indonesian students to complete Masters and PhD programmes in relevant agricultural fields o Providing a framework for study abroad student support services for candidates o Opportunities related to Government-to-Government agricultural cooperation o Provision of staff training and expert technical assistance including international publication o Professional development short courses and international seminars for staff from IAARD; and o Development of collaborative research projects in priority areas.
Facilitation	<p>For UNE, the designated person is Dr. Philip Thomas.</p> <p>For IAARD, the designated person is Dr Ir. Haris Syahbuddin, DEA Executive Secretary of IAARD</p>

TERMS

1. **Legal Effect of this MOU**
 - 1.1 This MOU is not intended to be legally-binding and no legally-binding rights or obligations are intended to, or do, arise as a consequence of the signing of this MOU.
 - 1.2 Without in any way limiting clause 1.1, the parties acknowledge that by signing this MOU they do not agree, finalise or make any concluded terms or bargain, and that no such concluded terms or bargain will exist between the parties unless and until a separate legally-binding Agreement is agreed and signed by them both.
 - 1.3 Actions taken by either party in reliance on this MOU will be at that party's sole risk.
2. **Scope of co-operation**
 - 2.1 By entering into this MOU, the parties intend to promote a climate of open exchange and cooperation in areas of mutual interest and in particular, the Proposed Activities set out in the Details.
 - 2.2 Matters of detail relating to specific cooperative activities, projects and other matters relating to the implementation of this MOU will, if appropriate, be negotiated and executed under a separate legally-binding Agreement and any relevant supporting agreements with respect to relevant both countries regulations. In any such agreement provisions relating to Intellectual Property and Publications will be included.
3. **Separate legally-binding Agreement**
 - 3.1 The conditions for progressing from this MOU to a separate legally-binding Agreement (if appropriate) include:
 - (a) a documented evaluation and review of the relationship during the period of this MOU;
 - (b) demonstrated mutual benefit to the parties;
 - (c) clear and defined objectives for the proposed formal relationship; and
 - (d) negotiation and settlement of all the terms and conditions to be included in the separate legally-binding Agreement.

4. **Facilitation**

The cooperation will be overseen by designated representatives of the parties set out in the Details.

5. **Relationship**

Nothing in this MOU creates an agency, partnership, joint venture or employment relationship between the parties or any of their respective officers, employees, contractors or agents.

6. **Settlement of Dispute**

Any difference or dispute arising out of interpretation or implementation of this MoU shall be settled amicably through consultations and/or negotiations between the Parties.

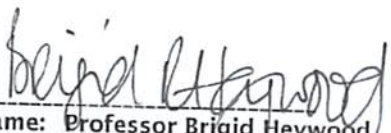
7. **Amendments**

This MoU can be reviewed or amended at any time by mutual written consent by the Parties. Such revisions or amendments shall enter into force on such date as determined by the Parties and shall form as an integral part of this MoU.


8. **Entry into Force, Duration and Termination**

- (a) This MoU shall enter into force on the date of its signing.
- (b) This MoU shall remain in force for a period of 2 (two) years and may be extended by mutual consent of the Parties.
- (c) This MoU may be terminated at any time by giving written notification to the other Party at least 6 (six) months in advance of each termination to the other Party.
- (d) The termination of this MoU shall not affect the validity and duration of any on-going activities or projects made under this MoU until the completion of such activities or projects.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this MoU is done in on and shall be effective as the Effective Date and is executed in two identical counterparts which are equally valid. The parties to this MoU have thoroughly read and certified this to be in accordance with their desires in all aspects that relevant signatures are set to be of evidence at the presence of the witness thereof and each copy held by the Parties.



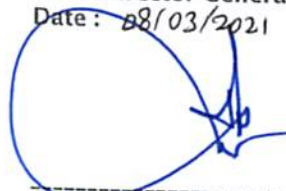
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