

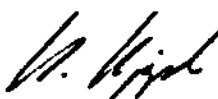
**AGREEMENT FOR SCHOLARLY EXCHANGE AND COLLABORATION  
BETWEEN UNIVERSITÄT KARLSRUHE (TH), GERMANY AND  
UNIVERSIDAD DE CONCEPCION, CHILE.**

1. Universität Karlsruhe (TH) and Universidad de Concepción, desiring to promote cooperation in the fields of education and academic research and represented by the signatories, agree to the following:
  - 1.1. to encourage exchanges and visits in the following categories: undergraduate and graduate students, non-teaching and post-graduate fellows, and junior and senior faculty members.
  - 1.2. to exchange information and materials in those fields which are of interest to both universities.
  - 1.3. to facilitate negotiations and arrangements made by individuals or faculties in the accomplishment of the above exchanges.
  - 1.4. to organize joint conferences and academic programs
  - 1.5. to arrange joint research activities and publications.
  
2. Specific details for the implementation of these activities will be developed mutually for specific projects and will be added as annexes to this agreement.
  
3. The Agreement will be in effect from the date of signature for a period of five years. It shall be extended automatically for an additional period of five years unless either party gives six month's advance notice in writing to terminate the Agreement.



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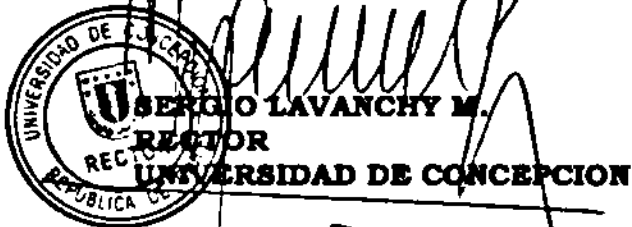
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**ANNEX TO THE AGREEMENT FOR SCHOLARLY EXCHANGE AND  
COLLABORATION BETWEEN UNIVERSITÄT KARLSRUHE (TH) AND  
UNIVERSIDAD DE CONCEPCION (UDEC).**

**STUDENT EXCHANGES**

Universität Karlsruhe (TH) and Universidad de Concepción agree to exchange students under the following conditions:

1. Student exchange will be organized at the undergraduate and graduate level in all departments available at the partner institutions; at least a second year of studies at the home institution is required.
2. Students must have a sufficient command of the language of instruction of the host institution. The home institution will check the level of language competencies and recommend only students with sufficient proficiency.
3. Students continue to pay their tuition fees at their home institution; tuition fees and administrative fees at the host institution will be waived. Other fees, especially service fees, must be honoured by the students as well as all living expenses including health insurance and travel cost.
4. The host institutions will provide information about housing and other services like introductory events.
5. To organize this exchange, the following offices will be named as responsible contact points:
  - 5.1. Universität Karlsruhe (TH): International Office, [info@aa.uni-karlsruhe.de](mailto:info@aa.uni-karlsruhe.de)
  - 5.2. Universidad de Concepción: Office of Institutional and International Affairs, [dai@udec.cl](mailto:dai@udec.cl)
6. Both institutions agree on the exchange of 3-5 students per school year, the number being balanced over a three year period. It is important to keep a balance on the number of students exchanges between both Universities. Failing to do that will involved the payment of fee as all Chilean students do.
7. This annex remains in effect for the duration of the "Agreement". An evaluation of activities shall be prepared after 3 years.



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