# MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING BETWEEN THE KOREAN EDUCATIONAL DEVELOPMENT INSTITUTE AND

## SRINAKHARINWIROT UNIVERSITY

ON

# COOPERATION IN THE FIELD OF RESEARCH, DEVELOPMENT AND TEACHER TRAINING ON GIFTED EDUCATION AND CREATIVITY

The Korean Educational Development Institute of the Republic of Korea, and Srinakharinwirot University of the Kingdom of Thailand hereinafter referred to as the parties.

RECALLING the conclusion of the first Memorandum of Understanding in September 22, 2005;

**ACKNOWLEDGING** the cooperation between both parties to encourage research, development and teacher training on gifted education and creativity; and

**REITERATING** the intention of both parties to intensify and expand cooperation on the basis of equal footing and mutual benefit;

#### Article 1

**Objectives** 

This Memorandum of Understanding serves as an arrangement to strengthen the mutual ties of friendship and understanding between the parties and to develop the relations in the field of research, development and teacher training on gifted education and creativity;

Both parties shall under their principle of equality and mutual benefit, cooperate and promote research, development and teacher training on gifted education and creativity between them.

#### Article 2

# Scope of Cooperation

Both parties shall organize itself and its activities within their own budgets and are approved to choose appropriate forms of scientific cooperation activities within the framework of the Memorandum of Understanding, such as;

- 1. Joint or co-operation projects and programs;
- 2. Education, teacher training and participation in ongoing programs; and
- 3. Other forms of cooperative activities as may be mutually approved upon.

#### Article 3

# Responsibilities of the Parties

Cooperative activities under this Memorandum of Understanding will be subject to availability of funding in each organization. However,

- 1. The exchange of researchers in the framework of this Memorandum of Understanding will be promoted. Both parties shall encourage the adequate training and other relevant facilities available for this purpose; and
- 2. The parties shall keep each other well informed of their respective programs that are relevant to the activities under this Memorandum of Understanding.

#### Article 4

# Implementation of Arrangement

- 1. The implementation of this Memorandum of Understanding shall be in accordance with the laws and regulations of each country;
- 2. Activities described in this Memorandum of Understanding may be implemented through the development of specific arrangements, programs or projects between the appropriate institutions or organizations of the parties;
- 3. Details of the implementation arrangement and the protection of Intellectual Property Rights shall be specified;
- 4. Necessary funds to finance the implementation of the activities may be generated from the budget of each Parties as well as from other autonomous parties; and

5. The parties and each involved organization will finance the costs of their own personnel or may accept on other arrangements determined by mutual consent.

#### Article 5

# Amendment and Settlement of Dispute

- 1. This Memorandum of Understanding may be amended, if it is deemed necessary, by mutual written consent by the parties. Any modification or amendment shall enter into force on the date as will be determined by the parties.
- 2. Any dispute arising out of the interpretation and implementation of this Memorandum of Understanding shall be settled amicably through consultation and negotiations between two parties.

### Article 6

# Validity and Termination

- 1. This Memorandum of Understanding will enter into effect on the date of the signing.
- 2. This Memorandum of Understanding will continue in effect until either party gives six months' notice of discontinuance.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned duly authorized by their respective organizations, has signed this Memorandum of Understanding.

This Memorandum of Understanding, which the representatives of each party have signed, was prepared in English with two copies of equal authenticity.

Signed for and on behalf of Srinakharinwirot University by Signed for and on behalf of The Korean Educational Development Institute by

Professor Dr. Wiroon Tungcharoen

President

Date: Nov- 1, 2007

Professor Hyung Yeel Koh

President

Date: Nov. 12, 2007