

**MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING  
FOR COOPERATION AND EXCHANGE  
BETWEEN  
THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAI'I AT MĀNOA  
AND  
ISTANBUL GELIŞİM UNIVERSITY**

The University of Hawai'i, for the benefit of the University of Hawai'i at Mānoa, College of Social Sciences, Department of Ethnic Studies and Istanbul Gelişim University (collectively, the "Parties") agree to cooperate on international programs based on the principle of reciprocity.

This Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) encourages the exchange of faculty, scholars, students, academic information and materials in the belief that the research and educational processes at both universities will be enhanced and that mutual understanding between their respective faculty, scholars and students will be increased by the establishment of such exchanges.

1. The universities will pursue the following exchange activities based on their respective academic and educational needs:
  - a. Exchange of faculty, scholars and students (professors, lecturers, or researchers)
  - b. Exchange of students (including undergraduate and graduate students)
  - c. Exchange of academic information and materials
  - d. Exchange of periodical academic publications
  - e. Organization of joint research programs
  - f. Organization of joint conferences
  - g. Organization of other student programs
  - h. Other academic exchanges agreed to by both universities
2. The implementation of each specific exchange activity based on this MOU shall be separately negotiated and determined by both universities in separate written agreements. Efforts will be made by both sides to find financial sources for carrying out the exchange activities.
3. Nothing shall diminish the full autonomy of either institution, nor will any constraints or financial obligations be imposed by either upon the other in carrying out the MOU.
4. If this MOU is provided in the language of both signatories, both documents have equal validity.
5. This MOU is in effect for five years and is subject to revision or modification by mutual written agreement. It is also understood that either institution may terminate the MOU at any time by giving written notice at least 6 (six) months in advance to the other Party to minimize impact to participants completing their activities at the host University. This MOU shall take effect from the date of the latest signature below.

6. Any notice or request given or made by one Party to the other under this MOU shall be in writing in the language of English and shall be addressed to the appropriate office as is designated in writing hereinafter:

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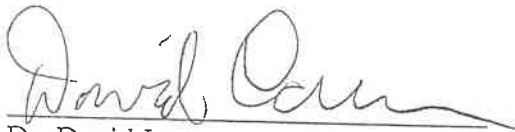
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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Parties hereto have caused this MOU to be executed by their duly authorized representatives. Each Party shall hold one original signed MOU, with both documents being equally authentic.

For The University of Hawai'i

For Istanbul Gelişim University

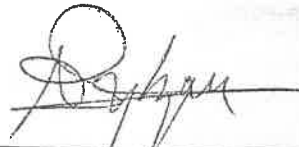


Dr. David Lassner

Chancellor

University of Hawai'i at Mānoa

Date: APR - 5 2018

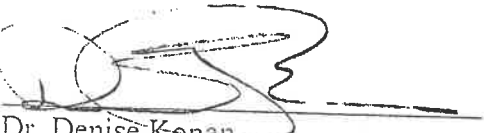


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