

MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING
between
THE UNIVERSITY OF TENNESSEE
and
The Federal University of Paraiba

1.0 PURPOSE

The purpose of this MOU is to develop academic and educational cooperation on the basis of equality and reciprocity and to promote sustainable partnerships and mutual understanding between the University of Tennessee on behalf of its Knoxville campus (hereinafter referred to as "UT") in the United States of America and The Federal University of Paraiba (hereinafter referred to as "UFPB") in Joao Pessoa, Brazil. Both UT and UFPB may be referred to individually as the "party" or collectively as the "parties".

2.0 SCOPE OF ACTIVITIES

UT and UFPB aim to undertake cooperation in areas that may include, but are not restricted to, the following:

- a) Student exchange for research and study
- b) Exchange of faculty, staff and research scholars
- c) Joint research activities
- d) English as a Second Language programs
- e) Continuing education programs
- f) Organization and participation in seminars, symposia, short-term academic programs and academic meetings
- g) Exchange of research and educational materials, publications and academic information
- h) Technical assistance
- i) Creation and marketing of electronic instruction media, including credit and non-credit courses
- j) Dual degree and joint degree programs

3.0 ACTIVITY AGREEMENTS

Before any activities may be implemented, the parties shall discuss the relevant issues to the satisfaction of each party and enter into specific activity agreements based on the mutually agreed objectives and outcomes of the activity. Activity agreements will include such terms as the following:

- a) Elaboration of the responsibilities of each institution for the agreed upon activity
- b) Specific schedules for the activity
- c) Budgets and sources of finances for the activity
- d) Detailed management of intellectual property rights and publications

