



**MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING**

**BETWEEN**

**THE UNIVERSITY OF TENNESSEE**

**AND**

**AND LA UNIVERSIDAD TECNOLÓGICA DE LA COSTA GRANDE DE GUERRERO**

This is MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING by and between the University Of Tennessee, acting on behalf of its Martin campus, hereafter referred to as the "University", and La Universidad Tecnológica de la Costa Grande de Guerrero (UTCGG) in Petatlán, Guerrero, Mexico, acknowledge that they will mutually cooperate to promote international education as partners and collaborators. By this document, the two institutions resolve to form a fruitful relationship and to explore avenues of cooperation.

Common objectives are:

- I. The University and UTCGG shall strive to establish academic programs at their respective institutions which seek to improve understanding between Mexico and the United States, as well as our cities and regions.
- II. The University and UTCGG shall, when possible, promote the exchange of professors, administrators and students in order to promote international understanding.
- III. The two institutions agree to provide information and advice for professors, administrators and/or students visiting the respective partner institution for research, study, or good will.
- IV. The University and UTCGG shall encourage the development of cultural exchange programs, such as visiting guest lecturers, exchange teachers, cultural and educational tours, and the exchange of books, films and art.
- V. In recognition of the need to promote better human understanding of global problems, the two institutions pledge themselves to work informally and formally to make contributions toward the development of a better educated and peaceful world.
- VI. This contract shall not be binding upon the parties until it is approved by both universities. The terms of this contract shall be from March 2018 through March 2023. Further agreements shall outline any specific exchange programs.

The parties agree that this Agreement has been drafted and signed in English and Spanish and that the parties intend for all versions of this Agreement to contain identical terms and conditions regardless of the language used. Notwithstanding any other provision of this Agreement which may appear to be to the contrary, in the event that any version of this Agreement does not contain all of the terms and conditions included in the English version, or in the event that any version contains any terms and conditions that either conflict with, are contrary to, or are in addition to the terms and conditions contained in the English version, then the English version shall prevail over such other versions and be controlling and legally binding on the parties

In witness where to the parties hereto have entered into this understanding on:

BY: David L Miller  
David Miller  
Chief Financial Officer, University of Tennessee

3/26/2018  
Date

BY: [Signature]  
Dr. Keith Carver  
Chancellor, University of Tennessee at Martin

4/8/18  
Date

BY: [Signature]  
C.P. René Galeana Salgado  
Rector, Universidad Tecnológica de la Costa Grande de Guerrero

4/24/18  
Date