



# Letter of Cooperation

#### BETWEEN

# SAM RATULANGI UNIVERSITY, INDONESIA

AND

UNIVERSITI TEKNOLOGI MALAYSIA

# This Letter of Cooperation ("LoC") is made between:

UNIVERSITAS SAM RATULANGI (hereinafter referred to as "UNSRAT() a state university whose address is at Kampus UNSRAT, Kelurahangi Keak, Manado 95115, Indonesia, and shall include its lawful representatives and permitted assigns; and

**UNIVERSITI TEKNOLOGI MALAYSIA** (hereinafter referred to as "UTM") a public Research University established by virtue of the Malaysian universities and University Colleges Act 1971, whose address is at 81310 Sekudai, Johor, Malaysia and shall include its lawful representatives and permitted assigns;

(UNSRAT and UTM hereinafter referred to a singularity as "the party" and collectively as "the Parties")

#### **Article 1: Introduction**

Both Universities want to collaborate with each other so as to promote the advancement of international understanding, dissemination of learning and strengthening of cultural ties on the basis of equality and mutual benefit. They have entered into this LOC to create a foundation from which such collaboration may be developed.

## **Article 2: Fields of Collaboration**

Collaboration between both Universities will include the research collaboration and promotion of academic in the areas of built environment, architecture, landscape architecture, sustainable design and other disciplines offered at both Universities.

#### **Article 3: Forms of Collaboration**

Both Universities agree and acknowledge that collaboration may develop in the following programs, but not limited to:

- (a) Exchanges of information, knowledge and materials;
- (b) Promotion of collaborative research and publication by researchers from both Universities;
- (c) Facilitation of the mutual exchange in the use of research laboratories and literature;
- (d) Joint research and development (R&D) for international research funding, subject to approval of both Universities;



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- (e) Promotion of the exchange of academic activities including academic discussions, seminars, conferences, conducting research and/or supervision student project; and
- (f) Other related fields as mutual agreed by both Universities in future.

## **Article 4: Cost and Expenses**

Any cost and expenses incurred in performing any activity pursuant to the collaborative programs shall be negotiated to the mutual acceptance of both Universities.

**Article 5: Nominated and Representatives** 

Each University's nominated representative is responsible for the development and implementation of this LOC, including receiving and acting on proposals for collaborative activities

## **Article 6: Duration and Termination**

- (a) The collaborative programs shall enter into force at the day of signature by the signatory of each party and shall remain in force for three (3) years unless terminated by one of the University by giving one (1) month notice to the other.
- (b) The collaborative programs shall be reviewed at the end of second (2) year to determine the effectiveness to continue or terminate.
- (c) Where such termination occurs, the provision of the collaborative programs shall continue to apply to on-going activities until their completion.

Date: 22.6.2016

Signed by for and on behalf of Universiti Teknologi Malaysia

Prof Datuk Tr Dr Wahid bin Omar President/ Vice Chancellor Date: 22.6.2016

Signed by for and on behalf of Universitas Sam Ratulangi

Prof Dr Ir Ellen Joan Kumaat Rector

#### Addendum

The Department of Architecture Faculty of Engineering and The Master Program of Architecture of Post Graduate Program Universitas Sam Ratulangi (UNSRAT) and has been participated in some academic programs organized by KALAM Centre for the Study of Built Environment in Malay World, the Architecture Department and the Faculty of Built Environment Universiti Teknologi Malaysia (FAB-UTM) since 2012. They were as follows:

- 1) Guest Lecture Program for Postgraduate students and lecturers.

  Prof. Dr. Ir. Sangkertadi, the Head of Master Program of Architecture of Postgraduate Program, Universitas Sam Ratulangi (UNSRAT) was invited in 2012 to be a guest lecturer at FAB UTM Johor and gave a talk on Environmental Architecture to FAB Postgraduate students. Since September 2014 he is the Vice Rector for Planning, Budgeting and Collaboration UNSRAT.
- KALAM Academic Trip.
  KALAM academic trip to Universitas Sam Ratulangi by Assoc. Prof. Dr.
  Raja Nafida Bt. Raja Shahminan, (the Director of KALAM-UTM), Dr.
  Sapura Mohammed (from Landscape Architecture Department) and Assoc.
  Prof. Dr. Eka Sediadi (from Architecture Department). The director of KALAM and Assoc. Prof. Dr. Eka Sediadi were invited to give separate lectures at the Dept. Of arhitecture to its undergraduate and postgraduate students about heritage architecture in Malaysia and the green building design approach.
- 3) Student International conference and workshop.

  A group of 20 participant consist of lecturers and students from Universitas

  Sam Ratulangi have joined the International Student Conference and

  Workshop "GREEN Building and Environment" organized by KALAM and

  FAB UTM at FAB UTM Johor in October 2014.
- 4) Prof. Dr. Ir. Jefrey Kindangen, the Dean of Engineering Faculty Universitas Sam Ratulangi has participated as paper presenter in International