

## MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING FOR ACADEMIC EXCHANGE **BETWEEN**

## PROTEO-SCIENCE CENTER NATIONAL UNIVERSITY CORPORATION EHIME UNIVERSITY, JAPAN AND WEHI, AUSTRALIA

Proteo-Science Center, National University Corporation Ehime University, Japan, and WEHI, Australia, hereby agree to promote cooperation and exchange in education and research between the two parties.

- Both parties will work to realize the following, in a manner consistent with the applicable laws and regulations of both countries:
  - (1) Exchange of educational and scientific publications and other information
  - (2) Exchange of academic, research and administrative staff and students
  - (3) Planning and operation of joint research and other related activities
- 2. Both parties will consult each other about the contents above upon their actual realization.
- In implementing this memorandum, each party is responsible, in principle, for all related expenses which concern each party.
- This memorandum becomes effective on the date of the last signature and is valid for an initial period of five years. It can be amended by the written consent of both parties. It shall be automatically renewed, by mutual agreement, on the next date of the expiration and is valid for another five years until terminated by either party by giving a notice of termination in writing no less than six months in advance.
- 5. Both parties shall strictly comply with all applicable laws, rules and regulations on international trade such as embargos, and import and export control. Both parties shall also comply with all applicable laws, rules and regulations on access to genetic resources and benefit-sharing.
- 6. Both parties agree that they shall endeavor to settle any dispute relating to this memorandum by negotiation with each other in good faith.
- 7. This memorandum is prepared in English. Two signed copies will be prepared and both parties will keep one of each.

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