

An agreement between U. of Florida and Kyoto University

An agreement for academic exchange and cooperation between IFAS, University of Florida and Graduate school of Agriculture, Kyoto University was held on January 27, 2009. This makes tuition free of research students from University of Florida and further collaboration will be expected.



Signing ceremony (January 27, 2009, University of Florida)

GENERAL MEMORANDUM FOR
ACADEMIC COOPERATION AND EXCHANGE BETWEEN
INSTITUTE OF FOOD AND AGRICULTURAL SCIENCES,
UNIVERSITY OF FLORIDA, USA
AND
GRADUATE SCHOOL OF AGRICULTURE, KYOTO UNIVERSITY, JAPAN

The Dean of Graduate School of Agriculture, Kyoto University and the University of Florida Board of Trustees on behalf of the Director of Institute of Food and Agricultural Sciences, University of Florida hereby conclude an agreement for academic exchange and cooperation between the two universities. (referred to hereafter as 'the two parties')

1. The two parties will promote in particular the following activities:
 - [1] Exchange of scientific materials, publications, and information
 - [2] Exchange of faculty members
 - [3] Exchange of students
 - [4] Joint research and meetings for research
2. These activities are to be carried out after mutual consultation between the two parties or the divisions concerned thereof.
3. All financial arrangements to pursue any of the above activities are to be negotiated for each specific case.
4. The two parties agree that, in the event of research collaboration leading to patent rights, copyrights and other intellectual property rights, a further agreement must be negotiated in each case in accordance with the policies of the two parties on intellectual property.
5. Amendment of this general memorandum is to be effected upon deliberation by the two parties.
6. This general memorandum shall be effective upon signature by the two parties and shall remain in force for a period of five years. Thereafter it shall be automatically renewed from year to year.

7. Termination of this general memorandum is to be effected upon deliberation by the two parties. However, after the initial period of five years either party may terminate the memorandum at the end of a given year by giving six months notice in writing of such intent.

8. The general memorandum is written in English.

Date 27 January 2009

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Date January 22, 2009

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ATTACHMENT A

ADMINISTRATION OF PROGRAM

Florida – Administrative and fiscal management of the reciprocal exchange program is housed in the International Center at the University of Florida. Such functions are under the direct responsibility of the Executive Associate Director, International Center. Academic responsibilities are housed in Institute of Food and Agricultural Sciences. The Florida program coordinator will review all academic aspects of the program, including student applications. Correspondence regarding these matters should be directed to:

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