

Working Agreement
Between
The Faculty of Veterinary Science,
The University of Melbourne, Australia
and
The School of Veterinary Medicine,
The University of California, Davis, USA

In conforming with the declarations and clauses in the Memorandum of Cooperation (Memorandum) between the University of Melbourne (Melbourne) and the University of California, Davis (UC Davis) and to promote and facilitate exchange and cooperation between the two institutions within the area of veterinary medicine, the following Working Agreement for an exchange program in veterinary medicine has been developed to be executed as an attachment to the said Memorandum.

I. Under this Working Agreement the institutions involved will collaborate through:

- (a) Exchange and joint development of collaborative research programs related to animal health;
- (b) Training in clinical veterinary medicine;
- (c) Exchange of technical and professional expertise in the area of animal health;
- (d) Graduate student training programs;
- (e) Interchange of publication materials; and
- (f) Interchange of professors and investigators.

II. Under the terms of this Working Agreement the institutions agree to the following:

- (a) Both institutions will accept researchers from the other institution on sabbatical for a period of up to one academic year; exchange faculty/academic staff and other affiliated personnel on short research projects for periods of up to four weeks; and exchange graduate students for up to three months. Acceptance of visitors on these terms is subject to availability of resources and space and therefore subject to approval by the host institution on a case-by-case basis.
- (b) Each institution will continue to pay the salary of its own employee(s) while he or she is participating in the exchange (i.e. Melbourne participants at UC Davis will continue to receive their salary from Melbourne, and UC Davis participants at Melbourne will similarly be paid by UC Davis). Other fees and related costs will be discussed on a case-by-case basis and mutually agreed in writing prior to the commencement of the exchange period.
- (c) Subject to resources, both institutions will accept students on clinical or extra-mural placements during their course. The activities undertaken by students during their placement period will be approved by both institutions prior to the commencement of the placement. In accepting these students, neither institution will be expected to take any action which would be contrary to its established regulations and practice. Both institutions will offer an annually capped number of placements per year in which the usual fees are waived for the students they host under this agreement. The number of places and the rotations available for this fee-waiver will be at the discretion of the hosting institution. All other fees and expenses will be met by the participating students.
- (d) Each institution involved will name a Program Coordinator for this exchange.

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III. Terms of Renewal, Amendment and Termination:

This Working Agreement, which becomes effective upon its signature by all parties involved, shall continue in force for a period of four (4) years from the date of the last signature, with the understanding that it may be terminated by either party giving six months written notice to the other party. If this agreement is terminated, then students or staff who are on placement at the time of the termination will be allowed to complete their placement under the terms set out in this agreement. This agreement may only be renewed if, after a review process between the parties, the parties agree in writing to renew it. This agreement may be amended by the exchange of letters between the two parties. Such amendments, once approved by the parties, will become part of this agreement.

IV. Compliance with Laws:

Both parties will comply with all relevant laws, including taxation and privacy laws. Melbourne's privacy policy can be located at: www.unimelb.edu.au/unisec/privacy/

V. Intellectual Property:

Ownership of intellectual property created by exchange students as part of their enrolment at the host institution will be governed by the host institution's policy on ownership of intellectual property.

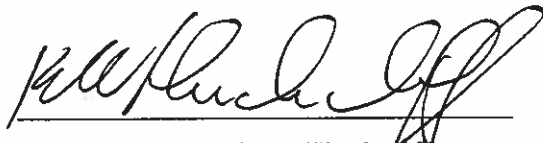
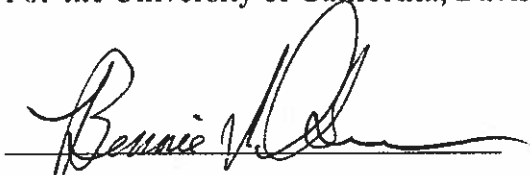
VI. No Agency:

Nothing in this agreement gives rise to a relationship of agency between the parties.

VII. Signed by the Deans and authorities of the respective universities:

For the University of California, Davis

For the University of Melbourne



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Dean
School of Veterinary Medicine

Professor Kenneth W Hinchcliff
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Date: 13-01-09

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Date: 18-12-08