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March 3, 2014

MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

Between

Department of Geography, University of Hawai'i Manoa
And
Faculty of Education (FKIP), University of Jambi

Memorandum of Understanding (hereinafter referred to as **MOU**) between the Department of Geography at the University of Hawai'i Manoa (hereinafter referred to as **UH Geography**) and the Faculty of Education at the University of Jambi (hereinafter referred to as **FKIP**), both of them hereinafter referred to as "**the Parties**";

Desiring to develop and continue a relationship of cooperation on the basis of mutual benefits;

Referring to:

a) The research project "Coffee on the Edge", conducted by co-principal investigators (**co-PI**) Keith Bettinger (UH Geography) and Dr. Bambang Hariyadi (FKIP) to be conducted in Merangin district, Jambi Province, Indonesia, from May 2014 lasting until August 2014.

Acknowledging the importance of combined action for promoting long-term social-scientific and academic cooperation between Indonesia and the United States of America, the importance of building worldwide capacities in social science research and fortifying research infrastructure and culture in general, and the importance of social science to the society at large;

Pursuant to the prevailing laws and regulations in their respective countries as well as their respective governments' procedures and policies on international cooperation.



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The Parties mutually agree to join forces according to the conditions as follows:

Article 1 Objectives

The objectives of the cooperation are:

1. To foster research and academic cooperation between Indonesia and the United States of America, making use of each others' Academic Societies and existing (international) scientific networks and infrastructure;
2. To promote research and academic capacity building, sustainable research networks and partnership, knowledge transfer and dissemination of research findings.

Article 2 Scope and Activities

1. The scope of activities covered by this MoU include research collaboration between the co-principal investigators, Keith Bettinger (UH Geography) and Dr. Bambang Hariyadi (FKIP). The specifics of these activities include:
 - a. Research design advice;
 - b. Conducting field research in Merangin district, Jambi Province, Indonesia;
 - c. Publication and dissemination of research findings in academic journals and other fora deemed appropriate by the co-principal investigators;
 - d. Research and academic capacity building.
2. The activities of the cooperation under this MoU are focused on the following:
 - a. Design of field research project to be conducted by co-principal investigators;
 - b. Execution of field research to be conducted in Merangin district, Jambi province, Indonesia, from May 2014 until August 2014;
 - c. Lectures and presentations by co-principal investigators at the University of Jambi;



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- d. Analyzing research data;
- e. Publication of research results.

3. Under its own responsibility, each principal investigator may involve third party research assistants from the University of Jambi to be supported by funds drawn from a grant provided by the American Institute for Indonesian Studies (AIFIS).

Article 3 Responsibilities of the Parties and Funding

Cooperation activities under this MoU will be subject to funding provided by Keith Bettinger (UH Geography) drawn from a grant from the American Institute for Indonesian Studies.

1. The parties shall strive to support the research project conducted by the co-principal investigators.
2. The parties assume no liability or responsibility for the co-principal investigators.
3. The parties shall strive to provide opportunities for the co-principal investigators to present their research findings.
4. The parties shall strive to further develop communication and collaboration in the future.

Article 4 Intellectual Property Rights, Ethical and Gender Issues

1. The intellectual property rights to the research data as well as any publications and presentations deriving from that data shall be held by the co-principal investigators.
2. The co-principal investigators shall be responsible for conforming to



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recognized ethical standards and norms.

**Article 5
Settlement of Disputes**

Any dispute arising between the co-principal investigators will be settled amicably through consultation and negotiation between the co-principal investigators themselves, within the spirit of collaboration.

**Article 6
Amendment, Duration, and Termination**

1. Amendments to this MoU can only be made in writing by mutual consent of the Parties. Any modification or amendment which has been agreed upon by the Parties, shall enter into force on the date to be determined by Parties;
2. The MoU shall be effective as of the date of its signing and be valid until December, 2014, and can be extended or renewed in writing by mutual consent of the Parties and the co-principal investigators, unless any party notifies the other in writing of its intention to terminate this MoU at least 2 (two) months in advance.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned, the Authorized Representatives, have signed this Memorandum of Understanding.

Done in duplicate in Jambi and Honolulu in March of in the year two thousand and fourteen, in the English Language, both texts being equally authentic.

**For the Department of Geography
University of Hawai'i**

Jiang Hong

Dr. Hong Jiang, Chair



**For Faculty of Education
University of Jambi**

M. Rusdi, M.Sc, Dean

